



Australian Government

Department of Climate Change, Energy,
the Environment and Water

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION RECEIVED UNDER THE
HAZARDOUS WASTE (REGULATION OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS) ACT 1989**

Pursuant to section 33 of the *Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Act 1989*, notice is given that application AUH25-007 has been received from TWM PNG Limited (Registration Number IPA 1-80483), Napa Napa Road, Port Moresby, 131, National Capital District, Papua New Guinea (Telephone: +675 320 3242).

The application relates to the Waigani import of up to 500,000 L of waste polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) that are no longer useful or needed, including firefighting foams and contaminated water (Basel code A4140), from Papua New Guinea. The waste is proposed to undergo the following disposal operations: D9 – Physico chemical treatment not specified elsewhere in Annex IV of the Basel Convention which results in final compounds or mixtures which are discarded by means of any of the operations in Section A of Annex IV (e.g., evaporation, drying, calcination, neutralisation, precipitation, etc.); and D10 – Incineration on land. These operations are proposed to take place at the following facilities: Transwaste Technologies Pty Ltd at Campbellfield, Victoria (D9); and Geocycle, Cement Australia at Dandenong South, Victoria (D10).

Written comments on the permit application may be lodged with the department within 15 business days of publication of this notice. Comments should be addressed to the Director, Hazardous Waste and National Television and Computer Recycling Scheme (NTCRS) Section, Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water, GPO Box 3090, CANBERRA ACT 2601, or forwarded by email to hazardous.waste@dcceew.gov.au. Respondents should be aware that comments will be shared with the applicant and should not contain commercial-in-confidence information.

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