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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 AUH26-008 has been received from Macaulay Metals Limited (NZBN 9429038532177), 45 Seaview Rd, Lower Hutt, 5010, Wellington, New Zealand.
(Telephone: +64 2 156 6238).

The application relates to the transit or transshipment of up to 5,000 T of whole waste lead acid batteries of New Zealand origin (Basel code A1160) from New Zealand to the Republic of Korea (via a further transit in Japan), with transit or transshipment at ports of Australia including but not limited to the Ports of Brisbane, Melbourne, and Sydney. The waste will undergo recovery operation R4 – Recycling/reclamation of metals and metal compounds at the DS Dansuk Co Ltd Gunsan 1 facility at Gunsan-si, the Republic of Korea.

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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