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INDUSTRIAL WASTE MANAGEMENT POLICY (PRESCRIBED INDUSTRIAL WASTE) Prescribed Industrial Waste – Classification by Hazard

Pursuant to clause 11(1) of the Industrial waste management policy (Prescribed Industrial Waste) and in accordance with the criteria presented in Schedule 1 of that policy, the Environment Protection Authority Victoria ('EPA') hereby classifies the prescribed industrial wastes specified in Section 3 below based on the hazard posed by the waste to human health and the environment.

1. CLASSIFICATION NUMBER

2007/021

2. OCCUPIER AND PREMISES TO WHICH THIS CLASSIFICATION APPLIES

- H & R ANZ Pty Ltd ('the occupier')
- Premises address: 144–152 Fitzgerald Rd, Laverton North ('the premises')

3. PRESCRIBED INDUSTRIAL WASTE TO WHICH THIS CLASSIFICATION APPLIES

3.1 This classification applies to the following prescribed industrial wastes that have been generated at the premises.

- Waste wax and spent filter earth generated in accordance with the methodology specified in the 'Application for Classification by EPA for Waste Wax and Spent Filter Earth' submitted to EPA on 5 November 2007 ('the Application'):
 - a) containing TPHs (C10–C36):
 - with a total concentration not exceeding the range specified in the Application; and
 - that are solely due to the presence of materials referred to in the Application and specified by Chemical Abstracts Service ('CAS') Registry Number 64742-61-6; and
 - b) containing any other contaminants where contaminant concentrations and leachable concentrations do not exceed any TC1 or ASLP1 thresholds specified in Appendix 3 of EPA Publication 996, 'Guidelines for Hazard Classification of Solid Prescribed Industrial Wastes, 2005' (as amended from time to time) ('EPA Publication 996'); and
 - c) that does not display any of the specific hazard characteristics listed in Appendix 2 of EPA Publication 996.

4. PERIOD OF VALIDITY

This classification commences on 19 December 2007 and is effective until 31 December 2008 unless it is revoked or varied by the EPA before that date.

5. HAZARD CLASSIFICATION

Waste wax and spent filter earth that has been managed in accordance with the conditions of this classification (as set out in Section 6 below) is classified as Category C prescribed industrial wastes.

6. CONDITIONS OF CLASSIFICATION

Waste wax and spent filter earth referred to above ('wastes') are only classified as Category C wastes if all of the following conditions have been met.

SPECIAL

Waste assessment, treatment and disposal requirements

- 6.1 Wastes destined for landfill must not contain any free liquid as determined by method 9095A 'Paint Filter Liquid Test' in the Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Wastes – Chemical/Physical Methods (USEPA 1997).
- 6.2 Wastes destined for landfill must not be mixed or contaminated with any other prescribed industrial waste as listed in Part B of Schedule 1 to the Environment Protection (Prescribed Waste) Regulations 1998.
- 6.3 Wastes may only be disposed to a facility licensed by EPA to accept Category C prescribed industrial wastes in accordance with a classification issued by EPA.

Sampling and analysis

- 6.4 The occupier must carry out sampling and analysis of the wastes in accordance with Schedule 1 to this classification.
- 6.5 The sampling of wastes must be carried out in accordance with EPA Publication 441, 'A guide to the Sampling and Analysis of Waters, Wastewater, Soils and Waste, 2000' (as amended from time to time).
- 6.6 The analysis of wastes to determine the hazard category must be carried out in accordance with EPA Publication 996.

Monitoring and reporting

- 6.7 By the end of each month, the occupier must provide to EPA, Waste Management Unit, a report for the previous month that includes the total quantity of wastes disposed of to landfill.
- 6.8 On or before 30 April 2008 and on or before 31 October 2008, the occupier must provide to EPA, Waste Management Unit, a report for the previous month that includes the analysis results for each of the analyses required in Schedule 1.

Notification and record keeping

- 6.9 The occupier must keep a copy of all analysis results for wastes for at least five years.
- 6.10 The occupier must immediately notify EPA in writing of any wastes that do not meet the requirements of this classification.

7. NOTE

This classification may be amended or revoked by the EPA by way of written notice in the Victoria Government Gazette. Current classifications can also be found on EPA's website at www.epa.vic.gov.au

Schedule 1: Sampling and analysis requirements

Period	Sampling requirements	Frequency	Analytical requirements
15 Dec 07 – 31 Dec 08	One grab sample of wastes from each load sent to landfill over one month combined into a composite sample.	Once in Mar 2008 and once in Sep 2008	Analysis of total contaminant concentrations for the following contaminants listed in Appendix 3 of EPA Publication 996: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● all inorganic species excluding asbestos and tributyltin oxide; ● C6–C9 petroleum hydrocarbons; ● C10–C36 petroleum hydrocarbons; and ● phthalates. Analysis of leachable concentrations for all of the above contaminants with total concentrations greater than 20 times the ASLP1 threshold in Appendix 3 of EPA Publication 996.
		Once in Mar 2008	Chemical analysis to identify the chemical species that contribute to the TPHs (C10–C36) levels detected in the wastes.

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