



Recycling & Recovery

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RE: E-waste Landfill Ban

SUEZ welcomes the opportunity to contribute to the E-Waste Landfill Ban policy.

As a leader in resource recovery and with a strong presence in infrastructure in Victoria, SUEZ is well positioned to provide comment on the e-waste landfill ban policy. In Victoria, SUEZ currently owns and operates two engineered smart cell landfills in Hampton Park and Dandenong South.

SUEZ supports the governments ban on landfill e-waste and believes that it should be recycled and recovered to be created into new product where possible. SUEZ believes that by having the correct framework in place and the right mechanisms and controls to monitor this framework, e-waste can be appropriately managed and diverted from landfill. The correct management of e-waste needs to be the responsibility of the of the entire waste process. manufacturers of the product, business and community who purchases the e-waste and the landfill operators. Landfill operators cannot have complete responsibility for ensuring that e-waste does not enter the landfill.

In closing, SUEZ appreciates the opportunity to provide these short comments. Should you require any further information, please don't hesitate to contact me or Felipe Amigo on felipe.amigo@suez.com or 0400 884 204

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Sargent".

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