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## Environment Protection Act 2017

### NOTICE OF WASTE LEVY WAIVER NO. 1

I, Steve Dimopoulos, Minister for Environment and Minister responsible for administering the **Environment Protection Act 2017** (the Act), give notice under section 146 of the Act of a waiver of the requirement to pay a waste levy under section 145 of the Act, in accordance with the following terms.

#### 1. Authorising provision

This waiver is made under section 146 of the Act.

#### 2. Definitions

In this waiver, the following terms mean:

- a. **Affected areas**, for the purposes of section 146(2)(a) of the Act, means the following local government areas:
  - i. East Gippsland Shire Council
  - ii. Wellington Shire Council
  - iii. Latrobe City Council
  - iv. South Gippsland Shire Council
  - v. Bass Coast Shire Council
  - vi. Baw Baw Shire Council
  - vii. Yarra Ranges Council
  - viii. Cardinia Shire Council
  - ix. Alpine Shire Council
  - x. Murrindindi Shire Council
  - xi. Greater Dandenong City Council
  - xii. Monash City Council
  - xiii. Casey City Council
  - xiv. Knox City Council
  - xv. Kingston City Council
  - xvi. Bayside City Council
  - xvii. Glen Eira City Council
  - xviii. Mitchell Shire Council
  - xix. Melton City Council
  - xx. Greater Geelong City Council
  - xxi. Mansfield Shire Council
- b. **Affected landfills**, for the purposes of section 146(2)(c) of the Act, means any landfill which receives disaster waste from the affected areas.
- c. **Emergency**, for the purposes of section 146(2)(a)(i) of the Act, means the emergency events in Victoria commencing on the 13 February 2024.
- d. **Disaster waste**, for the purposes of section 146(2)(b) of the Act, means any material deposited on property by the emergency, or material damaged by the emergency that is required to be disposed of as part of the recovery from the emergency.

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**3. Waiver**

The waste levy is waived for all disaster waste taken to affected landfills from the date this notice is published in the Government Gazette until 30 April 2024.

**4. Conditions**

Affected landfills must provide information on disaster waste as part of their Waste Levy Statements.

Dated 16 February 2024

STEVE DIMOPOULOS MP  
Minister for Environment

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