

## ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION ACT 1970 SECTION 31A

### POLLUTION ABATEMENT NOTICE



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TO:

BRADBURY INDUSTRIAL SERVICES PTY LTD (Administrator Appointed)

ACN: 121 279 847

ADDRESS:

16-18 THORNYCROFT ST, CAMPBELLFIELD VIC 3061

PREMISES:

16-18 THORNYCROFT ST, CAMPBELLFIELD VIC 3061

LEGAL REFERENCE:

EP Act 1970 s.31A(1) Remedial notice required to address current or likely

pollution, environmental hazard, or non-compliance

Who we are: Environment Protection Authority (EPA) Victoria is an independent statutory authority established under the *Environment Protection Act 1970* (the EP Act). Our purpose is to protect and improve our environment by preventing harm to the environment and human health.

Why we serve remedial notices: Remedial notices are served to prevent or remedy actual or likely pollution, environmental hazards and a range of non-compliances with the EP Act.

What you are required to do: Section 31A(2) of the EP Act requires you to comply with the requirements in this notice with one or more actions to prevent or remedy an actual or likely non-compliance. Under section 60A(1), if someone plans to take control of your premises, you must notify them of this notice and your progress towards compliance.

When this notice takes effect: 40 days from the date of issue below.

If you want compliance dates extended: An application to extend a compliance date listed in Section 3 of this notice must be received at least 10 working days prior to the compliance date. Application forms, available at <a href="www.epa.vic.gov.au/business-and-industry/forms">www.epa.vic.gov.au/business-and-industry/forms</a> must be addressed to the Manager of the EPA office listed on this notice with the subject line: "Notice amendment application". Your served notice remains legally binding until EPA advises of any change. Refer to the Remedial notices policy (publication 1418) for further information on amendment applications.

What happens if you do not comply: If found guilty of contravening a requirement of this notice, you may be ordered to pay a fine of up to 2400 penalty units (\$396,528) and an additional penalty of up to 1200 penalty units for each day the offence continues (\$198,264 a day).

What your review rights are: An application for review of this notice can be made to EPA and/or the Victorian Civil Administrative Tribunal (VCAT). Applications for an EPA review must be made within 7 calendar days from the notice issue date (below). VCAT applications must be made within 21 days of the notice issue date. Application forms for an EPA review are available at <a href="https://www.epa.vic.gov.au/business-and-industry/forms">www.epa.vic.gov.au/business-and-industry/forms</a>, or from our offices. For more information on your review rights, refer to the Remedial notice review policy (publication 1531) or contact us on 1300 EPA VIC (1300 372 842).

For the purpose of this notice 'You' means the recipient of this notice or your authorised representative and 'Premises' means the site at the premises address, as identified above.

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### REASONS FOR VIEW FORMED

- 2.1 The premises at 16-18 Thornycroft Street, CAMPBELLFIELD has been licenced to operate as a waste treatment facility to store prescribed industrial waste and for solvent reclamation/regeneration since 2014 under licence number 100771.
- 2.2 On the basis of the inspection at the licensed premises on 13 March 2019, the EPA identified multiple non-compliances with conditions below:
- LI\_WM1 You must not store more than 154,000 litres of liquid wastes or 14 tonnes of solid waste on the premises at any time;
- LI\_WM2 Each container holding waste at the premises must be labelled so that the contents and the waste producer can be identified;
- LI\_WM7 All unloading, loading, processing, storage and general handling of contaminated water, prescribed industrial waste, oils and chemicals must be conducted in a bunded area in accordance with EPA Publication 347 'Bunding Guidelines'.
- · LI G2 You must immediately notify EPA of non-compliance with any condition of this licence.
- 2.3 With the suspension of the licence, regulation under notice is required to prevent further environmental impacts resulting from waste treatment facility at the premises.
- 2.4 On this basis, and considering the observations previously stated, I have formed a view and I am satisfied that:
- · a use of the premises

has caused or is likely to cause a failure to comply with a condition in a licence or permit, as per section 31A (1)(b)(iv) of the EP Act.

In order to address this, you must meet the requirements listed in this notice.

Richard Cowan
AUTHORISED OFFICER
EPA Metropolitan
EPA Victoria

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# REQUIREMENTS - WHAT OUTCOMES ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLY?

#### **General Requirements**

- 3.1 You must not accept any waste at the premises.
- 3.2 By 28 June 2019, you must assess, treat, dispose or recycle the waste that is currently stored at the premises that is in exceedance of 154,000 litres of liquid waste and 14 tonnes of solid waste.
- 3.3 You must ensure that waste is not discharged, emitted or deposited beyond the boundaries of the premises except in accordance with this notice.
- 3.4 You must immediately notify EPA of non-compliance with any requirement of this notice by calling 1300 EPA VIC (1300 372 842), sending an email to contact@epa.vic.gov.au, or using the EPA Interaction Portal.
- 3.5 You must maintain a financial assurance calculated in accordance with the EPA method.
- 3.6 You must ensure that odours offensive to the senses of human beings are not discharged, emitted or released beyond the boundaries of the premises.
- 3.7 You must ensure that each container holding waste at the premises must be labelled so that the contents and the waste producer can be identified.
- 3.8 You must ensure that polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB) content of waste oil is assessed to ensure that it may be accepted at the premises.
- 3.9 You must ensure that before dispatching waste oil from the premises it must be assessed to ensure that the polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB) content may be accepted by the recipient.
- 3.10 You must ensure that all unloading, loading, processing, storage and general handling of contaminated water, prescribed industrial waste, oils and chemicals must be conducted in a bunded area in accordance with EPA Publication 347 "Bunding Guidelines".
- 3.11 You must ensure that any stormwater discharged from the premises is not contaminated with waste.
- 3.12 You must ensure that the land and groundwater is not contaminated.
- 3.13 By 22 March 2019, you must engage an EPA appointed Environmental Auditor (Industrial Facilities) and immediately notify EPA in writing following the engagement.

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