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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

NO. 7812 **14 August 2026**

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: WASTE ACT, 2008 (ACT NO. 59 OF 2008)

CONSULTATION ON APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FOR THE EXCLUSION OF A WASTE STREAM OR A PORTION OF A WASTE STREAM FROM THE DEFINITION OF WASTE FOR BENEFICIAL USE

I, David Maynier, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby, in terms of regulation 6(3) of the Regulations regarding the exclusion of a waste stream or a portion of a waste stream from the definition of waste, 2018, published under Government Notice No. R.715 in Government *Gazette* No. 41777 of 18 July 2018, read with sections 72 and 73 of the National Environmental Management: Waste Act, 2008 (Act No.59 of 2008), give notice of my intention to take decisions on applications received for the exclusion of a waste stream or a portion of a waste stream from the definition of waste for specified beneficial use, as set out in the Schedule hereto.

In considering these applications, the criteria contemplated in regulation 7, as well as the risk assessment requirements contemplated in regulation 8 of the aforesaid regulations, will be considered. Where a waste stream is excluded from the definition of waste, the applicant will be required to implement and comply with a risk management plan based on the risk assessment, and to submit annual reports to the Department in terms of regulation 10 of the Regulations.

Members of the public are hereby invited to submit written representations or objections to the proposed decisions within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* or the newspaper, whichever date is the last date, to any of the following addresses:

By post to: The Director-General
Department of Forestry, Fisheries, and the Environment
Attention: Mr Jeremia Sibande
Director: Waste and Chemicals Policy and Information Management
Private Bag X447
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By hand at: Ground Floor (Reception), Environment House, 473 Steve Biko Road, Arcadia, Pretoria 0001

By email to: jsibande@dffe.gov.za

Any enquiries in connection with the notice may be directed to Mr. Matjelele Phaladi at mphaladi@dffe.gov.za, Tel: 012 399 9852/066 336 0878.

The Government Notice, register of applications, risk assessments, and the risk management plans of the applications received can also be accessed at http://sawic.dffe.gov.za/ under "Draft documents for comment".

Comments received after the closing date may not be considered.



MR DAVID MANIER
MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

SCHEDULE

Applications for the exclusion of a waste stream or a portion of a waste stream from the definition of waste for beneficial use:

No:	Date received	Facility name	Reference	Waste Stream and Beneficial Uses
1.	04-Feb-2025	Auto Industrial Group T/A Isando Foundry Foundry Shotblast Waste)	12/9/11/L250206225721/3/N	**Foundry shotblast waste** • Construction applications (road bases, structural fill; • embankments); • Manufactured products (asphalt, Portland cement, concrete products); and • Agricultural products (manufactured soils, soil additives, compost).
2.	04-Feb-2025	Isando Foundry Spent Foundry Sandcy	12/9/11/L250206233712/3/N	**Spent Foundry sand** • Construction applications (road bases, structural fill, embankments); • Manufactured products (asphalt, Portland cement, concrete products); and • Agricultural products (manufactured soils, soil additives, compost).
3.	04-Feb-2025	Isando Foundry Spent Foundry Sand Core Waste	12/9/11/L250206234250/3/N	**Spent Foundry sand-core waste** • Construction applications (road bases, structural fill, embankments); • Manufactured products (asphalt, Portland cement, concrete products); and • Agricultural products (manufactured soils, soil additives, compost).
4.	04-Feb-2025	Isando Foundry T/A Auto Industrial Wadeville Spent Foundry Sand	12/9/11/L250206235255/3/N	**Spent Foundry sand** • Construction applications (road bases, structural fill, embankments); • Manufactured products (asphalt, Portland cement, concrete products); and • Agricultural products (manufactured soils, soil additives, compost).

No:	Date received	Facility name	Reference	Waste Stream and Beneficial Uses
				• Animal Feeds; and • Soil conditioner.
12.	03-Oct-2025	Gledhow Sugar Company (Pty) Ltd	12/9/11/L251003105013/4/N	**Bagasse Ash** • Soil enhancement, concrete blockmaking, and uses in the construction industry.
13.	13-Nov-2025	Gledhow Sugar Company (Pty) Ltd	12/9/11/L25111312009/3/N	**Burnt Limestone (Lime Kiln)** • Control PH in the chemical industry.
14.	30-Oct-2025	Supreme Poultry (Pty) Ltd-Tigane Processing Plant	12/9/11/L251030100752/3/N	**Boiler ash** • Brick making
15.	11-Dec-2024	Matzonox Fertilizers (Pty) Ltd	12/9/11/L241212100957/9/N	**Ash from coal-fired kettles** • Brick making (clay or cement); and • Road surfacing.
16.	21-October 2024	Atlantis Foundries (Pty) Ltd	12/9/11/L241212100957/9/N	**Chromite Free Green Moulding Sand** • Backfilling of mined portions at the sand mine used by Atlantis Foundries.
17.	12-Feb-2025	Manganese Metal Company Pty Ltd	12/9/11/L250218145241/6/N	**Residue from the production of electrolytic manganese used in the production of clay bricks** • Pigment in the production of clay bricks; and • Strengthening agent in the production of clay bricks.
18.	18-Feb-2025	Ngodwana Energy (RF) Pty Ltd	12/9/11/L250219120519/6/N	**Biomass Boiler coarse and fly ash** • Landfill capping/ cover material; • Artificial aggregates; • Soil stabilisation; • Soil conditioning; • Mine rehabilitation; • Soil ameliorant; • Asphalt manufacture; • Road surfacing material; • Cement manufacture; • Landscaping; and • Paving manufacture.
19.	04-Feb-2025	Northam Platinum	12/11/9/L250319094553/5/N	**Slag**

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