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Dear Neighbour,

Subject: Proposed Eastern Creek Composting Facility Upgrade – Information for our neighbours.

We are planning to upgrade our facility as part of our dedication to environmental well-being and responsible waste management. Our company was recently acquired by Cleanaway as part of their 2030 Organics strategy; however, our Eastern Creek Facility has been serving the Western Sydney community for nearly 20 years. In that time, we have processed over 4,000,000t of house hold waste but now we want to make it better.

As our neighbour, your insight and support is very important to us.

We have attached here an overview of our proposed transition of our Eastern Creek waste facility to use best-inclass technology to process Food Organics and Garden Organics (FOGO).

The proposed state significant facility modification includes covering the composting areas with an all-weather roof and walled on three sides. This design will minimise any risk of odour and dust emissions, and so maintain the current amenity for the surrounding areas.

At Global Renewables, our mission revolves around prioritising the well-being of our environment. Our overarching goal is to contribute to the principles of a circular economy, where waste is reimagined as a valuable resource and emissions are measurably reduced.

Our Eastern Creek facility already receives 220,000t per year of Municipal Solid Waste which contains FOGO and processes it 24 hours a day, seven days a week. We now propose to increase our facility's capacity to 300,000t per year to directly respond to the urgent need for increased organics processing capacity throughout Sydney. By doing so we aim to significantly reduce the disposal of food waste into landfills and create a nutrient rich compost which can be used on farms and Mine site rehabilitation. The proposed 80,000t increase per year in our processing capacity will not significantly increase the truck movements, as FOGO is heavier than Municipal Solid Waste, resulting in more tonnage per truck, rather than more trucks on the road.

Please take the time to read the attached fact sheet about the project. We understand that you may have questions about this change. Your opinions are important to us, and your participation and feedback will be critical as we move towards increasing our capacity for more sustainable processing. You are encouraged to share your thoughts via our website www.globalrenewables.com.au or alternatively you can reach out to us directly on 02 9677 3120.

Thank you for your interest in this proposed upgrade. I look forward to having the opportunity to share with you more about our plans as we navigate towards a greener future together.

Yours sincerely,

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Aerial site image - current



DID YOU KNOW OUR EXISTING FACILITY

Offsets emissions equivalent to removing 40,000 cars off the road every year We have recycled 38,000t of steel equivalent to 70% of the Sydney harbour bridge We have recycled 32,000t of paper, saving 550,000 trees

Aerial site image – proposed

The proposed facility upgrade includes covering the open-air composting pad with a roof and walls on three sides



The determining authority for this significant Development Modification is Department of Planning & Environment

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