



# **Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Amendment (Hexachlorobenzene) Regulation 2014**

## **Select Legislative Instrument No. 74, 2014**

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I, General the Honourable Sir Peter Cosgrove AK MC (Ret'd),  
Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the  
advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulation.

Dated 12 June 2014

Peter Cosgrove  
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Greg Hunt  
Minister for the Environment

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## **1 Name of regulation**

This regulation is the *Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Amendment (Hexachlorobenzene) Regulation 2014*.

## **2 Commencement**

This regulation commences on the day after it is registered.

## **3 Authority**

This regulation is made under the *Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Act 1989*.

## **4 Schedule(s)**

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

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## Schedule 1—Amendments

### *Hazardous Waste (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Regulations 1996*

#### **1 Regulations 5A to 5C**

Repeal the regulations, substitute:

#### **5A Export particulars—hexachlorobenzene**

The following particulars are specified for paragraph 18A(2)(a) of the Act:

- (a) the hazardous waste to be exported is hexachlorobenzene and other chlorinated waste, including hexachlorobutadiene, hexachloroethane and octachlorostyrene;
- (b) up to 132 tonnes of the waste (comprising 111 tonnes of hexachlorobenzene and 21 tonnes of packaging and pallets) is to be exported to France, which is a party to the Basel Convention, for disposal;
- (c) the waste is stored by Orica Australia Pty Ltd of 16-20 Beauchamp Road, Matraville, New South Wales 2036;
- (d) the waste is stored in 200 litre steel drums contained within 20 foot shipping containers;
- (e) the drums and containers are to be transported by road to Port Botany, New South Wales, where they are to be loaded onto ships for export to a facility in France;
- (f) the waste is to be disposed of in the facility by high temperature incineration on land.