

ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION ACT 1970

SECTION 22(1)

NOTICE TO SUPPLY FURTHER INFORMATION

TO:

RLX OPERATING COMPANY PTY LTD (A.C.N 129 963 935)

OF:

PO BOX R1313, ROYAL EXCHANGE, NSW 1225

WHEREAS an application by you for a works approval number 1001580, in respect of premises situated at 22-76 Victoria Street, Miners Rest, VIC 3352, was received by the Environment Protection Authority ("the Authority") on 16 January 2015 and augmented by additional information between May 2015 and July 2015.

AND WHEREAS the Authority considers the information specified herein is necessary and relevant to the consideration of the application.

NOW TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to section 22(1)(a) of the Environment Protection Act ("the Act") you are **HEREBY REQUIRED** to supply to the Authority by 30 October 2015 the information specified in the Attachment to this Notice.

DATED: 1 October 2015

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ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AUTHORITY





Attachment

General

- 1. You must provide a final design of the facility, including:
 - a. total areas for animal holding yards (roof and unroofed).
 - b. total irrigation areas.

Air Emission

- 2. You must undertake odour dispersion modelling to:
 - a. assess the odour impact of the proposed saleyard using the State Environment Protection Policy (Air Quality Management) and adopting a criteria of one odour unit at the site boundary (except for the interface between the site and the Western Highway); or
 - b. prepare a risk assessment that shows the odours from the proposed saleyard do not adversely affect any beneficial use protected by the *State Environment Protection Policy (Air Quality Management)*.
- 3. If a model is selected, other than the regulatory model, AERMOD, you must provide EPA for its approval a modelling proposal in accordance with the requirements specified in section 4 of Part A, Schedule C.
- 4. Any odour dispersion modelling that is the subject of a modelling proposal approved by EPA, referred to in Condition 3, must be conducted in accordance with that approval.
- 5. You must undertake the odour dispersion modelling, including the solid waste management facility.
- 6. You must demonstrate that the proposal has adopted best practice in minimising odour emissions, including from the solid waste storage area, animal holding yards and wastewater treatment areas.

Wastewater treatment and groundwater protection

- 7. Your must redesign the wastewater treatment system to include the following requirements (or an alternative standard approved in writing by the Authority):
 - a. using weekly peak flow.
 - adding a maturation pond with a minimum hydraulic retention time of 30 days for disinfection purposes.
- 8. Your must provide design details of any aerator to supply the required oxygen to break down organic load in aerated pond.
- 9. You must provide water balance budget calculations to verify the sufficiency of the proposed irrigation area and winter storage requirements.
- 10. You must provide a minimum of 0.6metres thick compacted clay lining with permeability less than 1 x 10° metres/second for the holding ponds.

Noise

- 11. You must conduct a noise assessment, including
 - a. confirmation of the recommended maximum noise levels for day, evening and night periods.
 - b. modelling to demonstrate the compliance with the Noise from Industry in Regional Victoria.
 - c. assessment of the effectiveness of any acoustics screenings.
 - d. assessment of impact of noise from trucks at the truck wash dropping their decks.
- 12. Your must provide a description of any noise control measures selected, including the consideration of the locations of fixed plant to maximise noise attenuation.

Solid waste management

- 13. You must provide the details of solid waste generation calculations and the duration of stockpiles for each type of waste.
- 14. You must provide the design of the solid waste stockpile management facility, including:
 - a. stockpile dimensions to demonstrate that the area will be large enough to contain the wastes.
 - b. odour control measures
 - c. preventing the contaminated run-off from the stockpile areas entering into the facultative pond.
 - d. any covering of the waste storage area to control moisture.
- 15. You must provide the location and the design of the area for storing stock mortalities. If on-site burial is to occur, where will the burial site be located?