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## WORKS APPROVAL FOR LICENCE EXTENSION AT MELBOURNE REGIONAL LANDFILL

Cleanaway Waste Management Ltd (ASX:CWY) advises that the Victorian Environment Protection Authority (EPA) has today granted a Works Approval to enable the extension of landfill operations at the Melbourne Regional Landfill located in Ravenhall, Victoria.

The EPA Works Approval is a critical step in the approvals process. A planning permit must also be granted by the Victorian Minister for Planning in order to extend operations at the site.

The Works Approval extends the existing footprint for landfilling on the site. Based on internal estimates of projected waste volumes, this extension will enable landfilling on the site until approximately 2038, subject to planning approval.

The scope of the Works Approval and its conditions, which were released earlier today, are currently being reviewed by Cleanaway.

Commenting on the Works Approval, Vik Bansal, CEO of Cleanaway said: "The Works Approval we have received today is an important step in the approval process for the extension of our landfill operations in Melbourne.

"The EPA's decision, subject to the Planning Minister's approval, will enable landfilling to continue on the site until approximately 2038 and will support our investment in Victorian operations.

"This highly engineered site, purchased in 2015, plays a critical role in managing Victoria's growing residual waste volumes in a safe and sustainable manner."

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