

Waste Reduction and Recycling Act 2011

DECLARATION OF WASTE AS EXEMPT WASTE (WASTE LEVY)

This declaration is made under s35 of the *Waste Reduction and Recycling Act 2011* (the Act) by the Executive Director, Waste and Enforcement Services, Department of the Environment, Tourism, Science and Innovation.

Under this declaration, I declare that coloured sand products containing asbestos disposed to landfill is exempt waste, subject to any conditions and limitations (as per s35(3) of the Act) included in this declaration.

Definitions

coloured sand products containing asbestos means all products the subject of an Australian Competition and Consumer Commission Product Safety issued national recall notice:

- Educational Colours rainbow sand and Kadink sand (1.3kg);
- Creatistics coloured sand (1kg);
- Kadink Decorative sand 10g 6 pack;
- Active Sandtub 14 piece Sand Castle Building Set; and
- Blue, Green and Pink Magic Sand.

The following conditions apply to this declaration –

1. Coloured sand products containing asbestos is exempt waste under this declaration from the date of this declaration to 18 February 2026 inclusive.
2. This declaration does not apply to other waste mixed with coloured sand products containing asbestos.
3. This declaration applies only to coloured sand products containing asbestos in Queensland.
4. This declaration only relates to exemption from the waste levy. It does not affect requirements or conditions of any environmental authority or any other approval, permit or obligation under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994*, the *Waste Reduction and Recycling Act 2011* or any other Act.

This declaration is made on the date of publication on the department's website.



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