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Hon. Sheila Mills MLC
Chair
Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs - Legislative Council
Parliament House
Harvest Terrace
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Dear Chair,

Inquiry into Municipal Waste Management in Western Australia

On behalf of AnaeCo Ltd, I would like to thank the Committee for this opportunity to provide the following information about our company and our involvement in the Municipal Waste Management industry in Western Australia.

AnaeCo Ltd

AnaeCo Ltd is a Western Australian ASX listed company that was established in 1999 to develop and commercialise a unique Alternative Waste Technology (AWT) based on the patented DiCOM bioconversion process. The system incorporates advanced sorting, recycling, anaerobic digestion and aerobic composting to recycle municipal solid waste (MSW) into renewable energy from biogas, agricultural grade compost and recyclables such as steel, aluminium, glass and plastics, thus ensuring maximum diversion from landfill and ensuring social, economic and environmentally sustainable management of MSW.

The DiCOM process enables resource recovery intervention closer to source, with enhancement of existing waste transfer stations now a viable waste management option. AnaeCo's experienced team provides design, construction, commissioning, operation and maintenance services for DiCOM AWT facilities, as well as management of all outputs including renewable energy, compost, recyclable materials and non-recyclable residuals.

The DiCOM process is a complete 21st Century solution to the global challenge of environmentally responsible MSW management and offers unparalleled benefits over existing Mechanical Biological Treatment (MBT) processes in its ability to integrate with the established urban environment.

WMRC Project

AnaeCo, in conjunction with its Australian Alliance partner Palisade Investment Partners, has an agreement with the Western Metropolitan Regional Council (WMRC) to construct and operate a commercial-scale DiCOM facility at its existing waste transfer station, 6 kilometres from the Perth Central Business District.

The project is located at Brockway Road Transfer Station, Shenton Park, Western Australia. The waste is provided by the City of Stirling and the WMRC, which is one of Perth's regional waste management groups comprising 5 members; namely Mosman Park, Cottesloe, Claremont, Peppermint Grove and Subiaco councils.

The facility includes a waste sorting and preparation facility and a DiCOM biological processing vessel, including associated ancillary equipment such as an advanced odour management system. The facility is located immediately adjacent to the existing Transfer Station building.

The project will be a powerful demonstration of the potential that the DiCOM technology presents in the MSW processing sector as it will, for the first time in Australia, allow for the retrofitting of existing Transfer Stations with MSW processing technology.



WMRC Transfer Station and Stage 1 DiCOM Facility

Further Information

Additional information on Anaeco Ltd, the DiCOM bioconversion technology as well as progress on the WMRC project can be found on our website at www.anaeco.com.

Anaeco Ltd looks forward to an opportunity to provide further information to the Standing Committee Inquiry if required. Please contact us either in writing at the address above or the undersigned on 0411 876 673.

Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Thomas Rudas'.

Thomas Rudas
Managing Director