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DA-86-04-01-MOD 10; 10397 of 1995-MOD 8

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Attention: Ms Emma Barnet

Dear Ms Barnet

**WESTON ALUMINIUM PTY LTD - MIXED SPENT POT LINING PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS
DA 86-04-01 MOD 10 AND 10397 OF 1995 MOD 8**

I refer to your email of 19 September 2016 requesting the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) review and provide comments and any recommended conditions of approval for the above mentioned proposals.

Reference is also made to the submitted document "*Monitoring and Verification Report, Mixed Spent Potlining Processing Trial*", dated the 20 May 2016 and prepared by Weston Aluminium Pty Ltd.

In summary, the proposals, referred to as DA 86-04-01 Modification 10 and DA 10397 of 1995 Modification 8, seek to amend the definition of spent pot lining (SPL) in the respective consents to allow the processing of first and second SPL, or a mixture of both, at the Weston Aluminium premises licensed under Environment Protection Licence (EPL) 6423.

The EPA has reviewed the information provided and is satisfied that the report meets the EPA's requirements for the project. The EPA does not object to the proposed modifications, however the EPA also does not have any recommended conditions of approval to provide in relation to these applications.

If the modification applications are approved the EPA may vary the conditions of EPL 6423 to reflect the varied consents. This may include variations to conditions L4.1 and U1 currently on EPL 6423, however any amendments to the licence will have to be applied for separately if approval is granted.

Should you require any further information regarding this matter, please contact Emma Paull on 4908 6828 or by email to hunter.region@epa.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely



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