

**INQUIRY INTO WASTE AVOIDANCE AND RESOURCE
RECOVERY AMENDMENT (PLASTICS REDUCTION)
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Parliamentary inquiry to examine bill to reduce plastics waste in New South Wales

Dear Ms Faehrmann

The Association has 208 Members many of whom will have an interest in the issue of plastics waste and the recycling options for this material.

Our Members are involved in the collection of plastic waste mainly via kerbside dry recycling collection contracts and from commercial facilities. Some Members also operate materials recovery facilities.

Our industry has also had to deal with a ban on the export of recyclables into China, along with recent Federal Government bans on the export of unprocessed plastic materials.

Rather than make a detailed submission, we hereby offer for the Association to attend a Q&A session with you and your Committee Members.

We look forward to your review and advice.

Yours faithfully

Tony Khoury
Executive Director