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22/05/2019
The Secretary
Legislative Council
Environment and Planning Committee
Parliament House,
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EAST MELBOURNE VIC 3002

Dear Sir/Madam,
RE - Submission for recycling inquiry

My concerns for the management of recycling in Victoria are:

1. A container deposit scheme as in South Australia should be adopted to encourage the separation and return of containers in Victoria.
2. Implementation of mandatory recycling for all education, work places and businesses where it is cheaper to recycle rather than send to landfill. The sustainability fund should support education and implementation of recycling infrastructure in these organisations.
3. Encourage separation of container types.
4. Implement a circular economy where all containers are recycled or reused.
5. Discourage single use containers and cutlery.
6. 'No' to incineration of waste for thermal energy or waste incineration. This only encourages consuming more and increases greenhouse gas pollution.
7. The sustainability fund should support education in schools and work places of the damage our throw away societies is causing to the environment.
8. Reintroduction of infrastructure for reuse systems for glass milk and drinks containers.
9. More incentive to encourage shoppers to bring their own containers to bulk stores for products such as detergent, shampoos and cosmetics.

Kind regards,

Gianna Romano



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