

**Certification:
Virgin excavated natural material**



<p>1. I [full name] of [organisation and address]</p> <p>certify that the waste as set out in section 2 of this notice is Virgin Excavated Natural Material (VENM) as defined in Schedule 1 of the <i>Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997</i>.</p> <p>This certification is made on behalf of the waste generator [fill out if applicable] being [full name] of [organisation and address]</p>
<p>2. The waste was generated at: Street address:</p> <p>Title reference (Lot/DP, etc.):</p> <p>The amount of waste (by volume or weight) is:</p>
<p>3. I have made the determination that the waste is VENM because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> I have assessed the historical and current land use of the site at which the waste was generated.<input type="checkbox"/> The waste is not contaminated with manufactured chemicals, or with process residues, as a result of industrial, commercial, mining or agricultural activities.<input type="checkbox"/> The waste does not contain any sulfidic ores or soils.<input type="checkbox"/> The waste does not contain any other waste.<input type="checkbox"/> The waste does not contain asbestos in any form.

Note: that all sections of this form must be completed including all boxes checked in Section 3 above and signed below for any material to be certified as VENM.

Signature(s)
Name(s) (printed)
Date

Warning: There are significant penalties under s.144AA of the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* for a person who supplies (whether knowingly or not) information that is false or misleading in a material respect about waste.

This certificate is intended to assist waste generators, contractors and/or receivers of VENM to have confidence that a range of relevant factors have been considered in the classification of a waste material as VENM.

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