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Subject: RE: Invite to comment on Referral - Project Caymus Bulk Fuel Storage Facility, East Arm - CONFIDENTIAL attachments

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the project as described below.
As this project involves the storage and distribution of large quantities of Hazardous chemicals (namely class 3 fuels) The are requirements under the NT *Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011 [WHA]* and Regulations. Yet this legislation has not been mentioned!
It is also noted that details on the Fuels has not been included (i.e. the SDS). It is strongly recommended that the physical and chemical characteristics of any hazardous chemicals be included.
These have not been addressed (i.e. bunding, control measures etc).
There is some 300 ML of fuels propose to be stored in close proximity to the VOPAK Major Hazard Facility (MHF) which affords a higher risk of major accidents in the area should controls not be adequate.
The project triggers requirements under Chapter 9 of the WHA Regulations for notification and assessment as a Major Hazard Facility (refer Chapter 9 of the WHA and Schedule 15 of the WHA Regulations) which will require specific details to be provided before activities could commence at the constructed site.
As there is a large MHF in close proximity there would need to be further details on potential interaction that could eventuate as a result of incidents either at the site or at another site and how this may impact on the potential release of materials from either site. This has an impact on environmental stability.

It is expected that further discussions will occur with NT WorkSafe prior to construction activities commencing.

If further information is required please do not hesitate to contact the endersigned.

Regards

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