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Dear Hannah

Thank you for your email.

We confirm that, as per page 6 of the Application (as varied by our email of 6 December 2024), the Participants seek authorisation for both the Participants and current and future program partners in respect of both the in-store soft plastics pilot program and stockpile remediation.

Page 3 of the Application effectively defines who the current or future partners are (ie, participants in the instore soft plastics pilot program). However, page 6 of the Application identifies the proposed conduct by these parties for which authorisation is sought. This includes both stockpile remediation and the in-store pilot.

In practice, it may be that some future program partners (eg, manufacturers) will not be involved in stockpile remediation. However, there are other program partners (especially processors and logistics providers) who will be involved in both stockpile remediation and the in-store pilot.

For this reason, the Participants consider that it is appropriate that coverage for program partners extends to both activities.

Please don't hesitate to contact us to discuss if you have any queries.

Kind regards

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