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To the Chief Planning Executive

As the operator of a Children's Centre located in Fyshwick, I would like to make a submission in relation to the Materials recovery facility - Fyshwick - EIS application 201700053.

We opened the Stella Bella Children's Centre in March 2017, in what is currently an ideal location, but we feel that the safety and health of the children we care for will be put at risk from the proposal by CRS Pty Ltd. Our childcare centre is unique in Canberra in that it provides specialised respite and occasional care for chronically ill (non contagious) babies and children, as well as mainstream childcare rooms.

In particular, we are concerned about the potential for offensive and potentially dangerous odours from all the waste material being brought to the proposed site, which is within a kilometre of our children's centre. We are particularly concerned about the potential impact on the chronically ill children in our care. Air quality is very important for all children, but for those with chronic illnesses, especially so.

We are also concerned about the fire risk from such a facility operating in Fyshwick.

Another issue is the increase in traffic in Fyshwick, and the subsequent increase in noise from all the trucks coming in and out of the facility all day.

For these reasons, we feel that the proposal is too risky and we oppose its development in Fyshwick.

Kind regards

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