

**Monday, 5 July, 2010**

The Hon Frank Sartor MP  
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Dear Minister,

**RE: Introduction to ALOA & our position on Waste Levies**

I would like to take the opportunity to introduce you to the Australian Landfill Owners Association (ALOA) and also draw your attention to our recently released position on waste levies.

ALOA is the national association and representative voice for landfill owners across Australia who share a concern for the environment and business sustainability. Our members provide services in waste disposal, waste treatment and resource recovery. Collectively our members operate more than half of the landfill capacity across Australia, receiving in excess of 15 million tonnes of solid waste annually and employ more than 12,000 people.

Last week, in response to the ongoing debate regarding implementing change in waste generation and recycling habits, we released an eight point document summarising our thoughts on waste levies. This document is attached.

We are very committed to improving waste management and resource recovery practices across Australia and would like the opportunity to discuss our suggestions with you. As such we ask that you receive a small delegation from our NSW Chapter so that we can brief you more fully on this issue.

You can contact me through our Melbourne Office on 03 83 999 514, [info@aloe.com.au](mailto:info@aloe.com.au) or 0400 880 677.

Yours faithfully,



**Max Spedding**  
**Secretary**