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Dear Damien,
Sorry for this late reply, but I was not in yesterday.

- 1) No, Kommunekemi (KK) does not export fly ash generated by their incineration process. All of it is land filled at their own landfill - Klintholm.
- 2) Yes, KK export solids as well as some residues from external sides. In Denmark KK is the main Hazardous waste facility and as such also have solutions for hazardous waste which they does not treat themselves as they do not have the technology to treat e.g. mercury (which they export) . All export of hazardous waste has to be notified to the Danish EPA. In the case of the HCB waste it can only be treated at KK and not exported to other sites.
- 3) Dorte Hermansen, Head of Division (Soil and Waste) Danish Environmental Protection Agency, will be the one signing the respond to the DRR. This is in line with what she normally signs with respect to the import/export regulation.

Best regards

Lone

Fra: Hall, Damien [mailto:Damien.Hall@environment.gov.au]
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Good morning Lone,

In addition to our recent discussions I have three questions which I would appreciate your response to.

The first question relates to the Kommunekemi facility.

(i) Can you please confirm whether or not the Kommunekemi facility exports fly ash, generated by their incineration process, that does not meet Danish EPA landfill requirements to Norway for

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neutralisation?

The second question is linked to a statement in the Kommunekemi Environmental Report 2008 (page 21).

(ii) Kommunekemi state in the report that some solids generated by clients are exported by Kommunekemi under permit to appropriately licensed overseas landfills. These solids are not generated by Kommunekemi and also do not meet the requirements for landfill at Klintholm and are therefore exported overseas. Could you please confirm if this is correct.

The third question is a matter of process and relates to the Danish EPA's acceptance of the Australian DRR

(iii) Could you please advise who in Denmark will be signing the letter of acceptance to our DRR? It would be very useful if we could have the name, title, etc so that we can have our response prepared in advance for our Minister's signature.

I would greatly appreciate your feedback on these questions at your convenience.

Warm Regards
Damien

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