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# BUY RECYCLED POLICY January 2011

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#### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this policy is to implement a 'Buy Recycled' procurement practice as part of our obligations to the Australian Packaging Covenant and sustainability objectives generally.

### Scope:

This policy applies to the purchase of all products and/or materials conducted for, or on behalf of Fix-A-Tap Australia Pty Ltd.

# **Buy Recycled Policy**

## Fix-A-Tap Australia Pty Ltd will:

- Purchase products and materials with recycled content whenever deemed practicable, i. environmentally beneficial and fit for the purpose that meets customer criteria.
- ii. Substitute existing products and materials with recycled content whenever deemed practicable, environmentally beneficial and fit for the purpose that meets customer
- Require contractors and suppliers, where practicable and environmentally beneficial, iii. to specify the quantity of recycled materials within the products and/or materials to be supplied.

## **Definitions:**

Environmentally beneficial: Minimise the overall environmental impact based on sound science and a whole-of-lifecycle approach.

Practicable: reasonably capable of being accomplished, feasible, meets cost, performance, safety and regulatory requirements.

Recycled content: the proportion, by mass, of recycled material in a product or packaging. Only pre-consumer and post-consumer materials are considered to be recycled content (AS/NZIS ISO 14021:2000, Environmental Labels and declarations - Self declared environmental claims).