Fact Sheet

Pact upgrades at a glance

Pact is investing in infrastructure to create a strong local circular economy that diverts plastic waste materials from landfill to recycle and reuse in value-add products that reduce the consumption of virgin (newly made) materials.

Total

Australia.

\$75.8 million

for plant and equipment upgrades across 15 of our sites in New South Wales, Queensland, Victoria and Western

Includes

\$20 million

in funding from the Federal Government's Modern Manufacturing Initiative for Recycling and Clean Energy Manufacturing projects.

Meet 2025 National Packaging Targets which includes

20% average recycled

average recycled content included in plastic packaging



Pact's investment is expected to:

Create more than 250 permanent full time jobs in Pact Group's facilities

- 112 in Victoria
- 90 in New South Wales
- 39 in Queensland
- 12 in Western Australia

And a further 120 construction jobs



Boost inclusion of locally recycled content



100% recycled PET for beverage bottles



Up to 80% recycled plastics in mobile garbage bins for local councils



50% recycled HDPE in milk bottles



30% recycled plastics in paint pails and cubes for industrial applications

PACT

Leading the circular economy.

National dairy packaging facilities – \$21.5 million for new equipment in NSW, VIC, QLD and WA

Our four dairy packaging facilities – two in Melbourne, one in Sydney and one in Perth – will be upgraded with new energy efficient blending and moulding equipment, material handling systems and quality control systems to increase the use of recycled materials in the production of HDPE milk bottles.

This will enable up to 50% recycled content in milk bottles and dramatically reduce the need for virgin (newly made) plastic.

PET bottles – \$13.9 million for new recycling technology to manufacture juice, carbonated and non-carbonated PET drink bottles in NSW and VIC.

Pact Group will be constructing facilities at two operations in Melbourne and Sydney to install new technology used to manufacture PET preforms for beverage bottles.

It will boost production capacity for 100% recycled PET beverage packaging by washing flake material from recycled PET bottles and processing this directly into preforms and bottles in a single cycle rather than the current production method which is less energy and cost efficient.

SULO Mobile Garbage Bins – \$20.1 million to upgrade facilities in New South Wales and Victoria

Sulo is installing new state-of the art injection moulding, blending and material handling equipment used to manufacture mobile garbage bins at its manufacturing facilities in Somersby and Melbourne.

The new equipment will increase our production capacity and enable the bins to be made with up to 80% recycled content, compared to the current average of 30%.

Industrial packaging – \$20.3 million to install new equipment to for recycled paint pails and industrial packaging at facilities in New South Wales, Victoria and Queensland.

Our industrial products facilities in Melbourne, Sydney and Brisbane will be upgraded with new state-of the art equipment used to manufacture pails and lids ranging in size from 50ml to 1000 Litres.

The upgrade will increase capacity and will enable the pails and lids to be made with up to 30% recycled content. New moulding, blending and material handling machinery will also be integrated to increase production capacity for making plastic cubes used in agricultural chemical and industrial applications.

