

Waste Reduction and Recycling and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2023

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an article was published some time ago regarding Singapore's handling of their refuse Which was very interesting & informative . it stated/showed that Singapore had installed high temperature Furnaces that combusted all waste & in doing so the heat & gases etc were used to generate enough electricity for total supply to the Island . The neutral ash/material left was used in land reclamation. Another suggestion . Whilst in the employ of the Qld. Government as Freight Business Mgr. for Central Qld. for Qld. Rail I made a suggestion at a "Think Tank" at a M'ment meeting in Brisbane . That the empty coal trains after unloading coal at ports be utilised to transport waste back to unused open cut mine sites. These sites to be sealed before utilising to prevent groundwater contamination & sealed & covered over on filling , with pipe work installed to carry the generated gases to power Electric Generators as per some Piggeries are doing with their ecrement discharge. Some of these open cut sites have never been reclaimed & the country an eyesore & useless to man or beast , It would require a change to wagon design & transfer systems though if we are considering The "Greenie Benefits" , worth the thought.