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TOPIC: Gunns Limited's pulp mill

REFERENCE: Written Question

QUESTION No. AI -22

Senator The Hon. Eric Abetz asked:

At a discharge of dioxins of 2.0pgTEQ/L how much would that equate to in grams per annum as discharge from the proposed Tasmanian pulp mill?

ANSWER

The pulp mill discharge limit is 64 ML/day at 2 pg/L: i.e.128 µg/day or 41 mg per annum.