

Pan Pacific Retail Management (Singapore) PTE LTD's Disposable Carrier Bag Charge Report 2023

- For the period 3 July 2023 to 31 March 2024

Since July 3, 2023, Pan Pacific Retail Management (Singapore) Pte Ltd has implemented a 5-cent charge for each disposable carrier bag provided. This aligns with the Resource Sustainability Act 2019, which mandates that larger supermarket operators in Singapore with an annual turnover exceeding S\$100 million impose a minimum charge of 5 cents per disposable carrier bag at their SFA-licensed supermarkets. The charge applies to all disposable carrier bags, regardless of material.

This report details the number of disposable carrier bags distributed, the proceeds collected, and their allocation from July 3, 2023, to March 31, 2024, in compliance with the Resource Sustainability Act 2019 and the Resource Sustainability (Disposable Carrier Bag Charge) Regulations 2023.

Number of Disposable Carrier Bags Supplied and Charge Proceeds Collected:

Description	Amount
Number of Disposable Carrier Bags supplied (pieces)	2,881,290
Total Amount collected (inclusive of GST)	S\$ 143,884.71

Application of Charge Proceeds:

Description	Amount	Recipient
For charitable purposes	S\$ 46,396.79	Zero Waste SG Ltd
	S\$ 46,396.78	The Food Bank Singapore Ltd
	S\$ 46,396.78	Food From the Heart
For other purposes	S\$ 4,694.36	Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore - Goods and Service Tax paid to IRAS

By donating to these organizations, we aim to support their shared goal of promoting sustainability in Singapore.

Reducing food waste: The Food Bank Singapore and Food from the Heart redistribute excess food to those in need, preventing it from going to waste. This reduces the environmental impact of food production and disposal.

Promoting sustainable consumption: Zero Waste SG encourages responsible consumption and waste reduction practices. By supporting them, we contribute to a more sustainable lifestyle and reduce the strain on our resources.

Supporting local initiatives: By donating to local organizations, we support their efforts to create a more sustainable Singapore. This fosters local innovation and solutions to environmental challenges.

An external auditor has been engaged to provide limited assurance on the information presented above.

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