

# Notice of Approval

## Self-containment certification with composting toilets



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***This information sheet is specific to the 'CompCloset'™, Cuddy waterless composting toilets. (Other toilets that meet these requirements may also comply)***

- NZ Lifestyle Camping Ltd is approved by the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainlayers Board as a NZ wide Certifying Authority for self-containment of motor vehicles (green warrants).
- NZ Lifestyle Camping Ltd continues to be a NZ wide Issuing Authority for self-containment under NZS 5465:2001 (blue warrants).

Following extensive discussion with the Plumbers, gasfitters and Drainlayers Board together with distributors and operators of waterless composting toilets ***NZ Lifestyle Camping*** as an appointed Certifying Authority ***approves the self-containment certification of vehicles with the above brand toilets where the following conditions are met.***

- 1) The waterless composting toilet is installed in accordance with the manufacturer's or distributor's instructions.
- 2) The supporting base of the toilet is rigidly mounted on a suitable, hygienic surface (including surrounding area) and does not require removal for emptying. This reduces the risk of any contamination of surrounding surfaces and allows for easy cleaning.
- 3) The waste capacity (solids and liquids) is adequate to meet the occupants needs for a 3 day period. Such capacity may include secondary (sealed) storage.
- 4) The toilet waste is held in a suitable removable container or bag that can be easily emptied and replaced without spillage.
- 5) In accordance with the current regulations there are safe and secure facilities for storing and offloading waste.
- 6) The operation of the waterless composting toilet must include a method or system for limiting the release of foul odours to the vehicle interior. Such methods may include the optional air extraction and the use of natural or chemical additives and products designed to reduce odour and assist in breaking down any solid waste product.

[CompoCloset™ | Cuddy Composting Toilet | Waterless Composting Toilets NZ](#)

[CompoCloset™ | Cuddy Lite Composting Toilet | Waterless Composting Toilets NZ](#)

*Note:* This notice of approval may be amended to include other brand waterless / composting toilets where the above conditions are met.

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