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## **Draft Royal Decree, approving the regulation for the development and implementation of Law 11/1997, of 24 April, on packaging and packaging waste.**

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**5. Title**

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development and implementation of Law 11/1997, of 24 April,  
on packaging and packaging waste.

**6. Products Concerned**

Packaging and packaging waste.

**7. Notification Under Another Act**

The Commission is notified in the draft phase under  
protection, of exclusively article 16.1 of Directive  
94/62/EC, without the inclusion of any technical measure.

**8. Main Content**

This draft contains the statutory-type regulations in order  
to develop the Law on packaging and packaging waste. The  
Regulation on business preventative plans is of note, due to  
its particular importance, and which must be developed by the  
packers who place a high number of packaged products on the



market.

At the same time, it includes the standards on identification of materials and databases, contained in Decisions 97/129/EC and 97/138/EC.

#### **9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

The exclusive objective of the present provision is to develop Law 11/1997, without the inclusion of any technical type of measure.

#### **10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Law 11/1997, of 24 April, on packaging and packaging waste (corresponds to Notification 96/6001/E).

#### **11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

Yes

#### **12. Grounds for the Emergency**

This draft must be urgently and immediately applied as it is necessary in order to apply the selective collection systems for packaging and packaging waste regulated in Law 11/1997 from 1 May 1998, since starting to apply these selective collection systems at a later date will inevitably cause a delay in reaching the recycling and re-use targets on 20 June 2001, as required by Directive 94/62/EC.

#### **13. Confidentiality**

No

#### **14. Fiscal measures**

No

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