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FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE AUTONOMOUS REGION OF THE BASQUE COUNTRY AND THE SYSTEM PROMOTED BY ECOEMBALAJES ESPAÑA, S.A.

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - He се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

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3. Department Responsible

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

SELECTIVE COLLECTION OF LIGHTWEIGHT PACKAGING BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

7. Notification Under Another Act

- Directive 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste

8. Main Content

LAW 11/1997 ON PACKAGING REQUIRES THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INITIAL SALE OF PACKAGED PRODUCTS (PACKAGING COMPANIES) TO HANDLE USED PACKAGING AND PACKAGING WASTE FOR THE PRODUCTS SOLD BY THEM. ACT 22/2011 OF 28 JULY 2011 ON WASTE AND CONTAMINATED SOIL REQUIRES LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO PROVIDE FOR THE SELECTIVE COLLECTION OF THE WASTE FOR WHICH THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE. TO RESOLVE THE ISSUE OF DUPLICATE OBLIGATIONS, THIS AGREEMENT COVERS THE COMPENSATION GIVEN BY PACKAGING COMPANIES TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO ENABLE THEM TO FULFIL THEIR OBLIGATIONS TO MANAGE THEIR PACKAGING WASTE THROUGH SELECTIVE COLLECTIONS ORGANIZED BY THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES. THE PACKAGING COMPANIES HAVE SET UP AN INTEGRATED MANAGEMENT SYSTEM KNOWN AS 'ECOEMBES', AND THEY HAVE SIGNED THE AGREEMENT TO WHICH THIS NOTICE RELATES WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE BASQUE COUNTRY TO ENABLE THE PARTICIPATION OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

THE AGREEMENTS PROVIDED FOR IN LAW 11/97 MUST BE SIGNED TO ENSURE COMPATIBILITY BETWEEN THE POWERS OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE INTEGRATED MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS FOR PACKAGING WASTE.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References to basic texts: STATE LEGISLATION ON PACKAGING, AND AMENDMENTS THERETO.
ACT 22/2011 OF 28 JULY 2011 ON WASTE AND CONTAMINATED SOIL, AND ACT 11/1997 OF 24 APRIL



1997 ON PACKAGING AND WASTE PACKAGING. ARTICLE 9BIS OF ROYAL DECREE 782/1998 OF 30 APRIL 1998 STIPULATES THAT: 'NOTIFICATION OF ACCORDS AND AGREEMENTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION AT THE DRAFT STAGE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ROYAL DECREE 1337/1999 OF 31 JULY 1999 REGULATING THE SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION ON TECHNICAL STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS'.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

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16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - the draft is not a technical provision or a conformity assessment procedure

SPS aspect

No - the draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure.

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