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**Draft Decree of ..... laying down the conditions for a  
derogation for glass packaging in relation to the heavy metal  
concentration levels laid down in Article 13 of Act No 11/1997  
of 24 April 1997 on packaging and packaging waste.**

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**5. Title**

Draft Decree of ..... laying down the conditions for a derogation for glass packaging in relation to the heavy metal concentration levels laid down in Article 13 of Act No 11/1997 of 24 April 1997 on packaging and packaging waste.

**6. Products Concerned**

Packaging and packaging waste.

**7. Notification Under Another Act**

It is notified to the Commission at the draft stage exclusively within the framework of Article 16(1) of Directive 94/62/EC, without including any technical measures.



## **8. Main Content**

This draft Ministerial Decree is almost an exact replica of Decision No 2001/171/EC of 19 February 2001 (published in the Official Journal of the European Communities No 62 of 2 March 2001), establishing the conditions for a derogation for glass packaging in relation to the heavy metal concentration levels established in Directive 94/62/EC, in turn laid down pursuant to the provisions of Article 11(3) of Directive 94/62/EC.

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

Independent of the direct applicability of Decision No 2001/171/EC, this draft decree considerably facilitates the correct implementation thereof in Spain, while establishing the framework for the distribution of competences between the various public administrations involved to this end in the Spanish State.

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

Act No 11/1997 of 24 April 1997 on packaging and packaging waste (corresponds to Notification No 96/6001/E).  
Royal Decree No 782/1998 of 30 April 1998 adopting the regulation implementing Act No 11/1997.  
(corresponds to Notification No 98/6001/E)

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

No

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

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## **13. Confidentiality**

No

## **14. Fiscal measures**

No

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