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Draft decree on the prevention and management of waste furniture

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Message 002

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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 késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не 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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4. Notification Number

2011/0423/F - S00E

5. Title

Draft decree on the prevention and management of waste furniture

6. Products Concerned

The decree concerns waste furniture held by households and professionals

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The decree establishes the principle of extended producer responsibility (EPR) for the prevention and management of waste furniture, which must henceforth be taken care of by those who place furniture on the market. This covers upstream prevention and the organisation of the collection, removal and treatment of waste furniture.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Commitment 251 of the Grenelle Environment Forum embodied, at the end of 2007, the collective desire to create a cycle based on the principle of extended producer responsibility (EPR) for the management of waste furniture. This commitment must make it possible to prevent the environmental and health risks associated with the handling and treatment of this waste when mixed with household waste.

The decision to create an EPR cycle is borne out of the government's desire to find a lasting and effective solution for the management and treatment of waste arising from both household furniture and workplace furniture.

The purpose of this cycle is to improve the treatment of waste furniture by developing re-use and recycling and to reduce the financial burden borne by local authorities for the management of said waste.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference texts: Article 200 of Law No 2010-788 of 12 July 2010 on a national commitment to the environment Article L. 541-10-6 of the Environmental Code

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality



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Single Market for goods Prevention of Technical Barriers

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

Yes

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - The draft is not a technical regulation or conformity assessment

SPS aspect

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

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