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The Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging Waste)(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

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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

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5. Title

The Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging Waste)(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

6. Products Concerned

Packaging and packaging waste

7. Notification Under Another Act

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

8. Main Content

Amendment of Schedule 2 of the Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging Waste) 2007. The changes are to introduce recovery targets for 2011-2020 and changes to material specific targets for 2011-2020. There are also a number of other amendment to introduce the specific technical changes.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Existing UK business targets currently cease in 2010. In order to ensure ongoing compliance with the Directive, and meet the UK national policy objectives, new recovery targets and associated material specific recycling targets have been proposed. The proposal would bring the overall recycling rate to around 72% by 2020 and bring significant environmental benefit.

The other proposed changes relate to the transparency of the funding flows of the existing producer responsibility system for packaging. Due to the way in which the UK has transposed the Directive requirements, the flow of funding provided by producers, and its impact, is not always apparent. The proposed amendments will provide greater transparency for producers, Local Authorities and waste handlers.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

No Basic Text exists

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

Yes

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

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