

Message 001

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Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délai - Kein Fristbeginn - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nezahajuje prodlení - Fristerne indledes ikke - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - No abre el plazo - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Ne otvara razdoblje kašnjenja - Nem nyitja meg a késésekét - Non fa decorrere la mora - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Atlikšanas laikposms nesākas - Ma jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dewmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nezačína oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Inleder ingen frist - Ní osclaíonn sé na moilleanna

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4. 2025/0436/AT - S10E - Packaging

5. Packaging Classification Ordinance [Verpackungsabgrenzungsverordnung], Amendment 2025

6. Packaging

7.

Directive 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste

The underlying regulation regulates the distinction between household and commercial packaging.

8. In 2015, the Federal Minister for Agriculture and Forestry, Environment and Water Management adopted the Packaging Classification Ordinance, which enabled corrections to be made to the packaging allocations for households on the one hand, and for commercial enterprises on the other. This Regulation is currently limited in time until the end of 2025 and is to be extended for an additional four years (until the end of 2029).

9. The most exact possible classification of household packaging and commercial packaging is necessary in order to be able to correctly allocate the respective costs of collection and recycling. The requirements of this regulation have proven their worth, with no major changes evident. The EU Packaging Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2025/40 of 19 December 2024 on packaging and packaging waste, amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1020 and Directive (EU) 2019/904 and repealing Directive 94/62/EC) also allows Member States to maintain the household/commercial distinction after its date of application on 12 August 2026. (see also Recital 120: "Member States that have set up different systems for the management of packaging waste from households on the one hand, and packaging waste from industrial and commerce settings on the other should be able to maintain their specific system.").

10. Reference to the basic texts: 2014/0476/A, 2020/0601/A

Basic texts have been forwarded under a previous notification:

2014/0476/A

2020/0601/A

11. No

12.

13. No

14. No

15. Yes

16.

TBT aspects: No

SPS aspects: No

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