

Amendment 437

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Proposal for a regulation**Article 22 – paragraph 1***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

1. Economic operators shall not place on the market packaging in the formats and for the purposes listed in Annex V.

1. ***From 1 January 2030***, economic operators shall not place on the market packaging in the formats and for the purposes listed in Annex V ***unless***:

(a) such placing on the market is in line with paragraph 2 of Article 4 of Directive 2008/98/EC; and

(b) the economic operators can show effective collection for recycling of these packaging formats, on the basis of the predominant packaging material, at least 85% by weight by 2028 and every year thereafter.

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Justification

The Waste Framework Directive foresees that making the choice that delivers the best overall environmental outcome justified by life-cycle thinking may require specific waste streams to depart from the hierarchy. The proper application of the hierarchy, as defined by the WFD, should be applied consistently throughout the Regulation, while also taking the possibilities that comes with effective collection for recycling into account. These two conditions together justify the use of formats listed in Annex V.

