

## Preamble

## Objectives

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The proposed legislation primarily comprises the following measure:

Measure 1: Extension of the scope by four years to 31 December 2029.

## Significant impacts

There is no significant impact in the impact dimensions outlined under Section 17(1) of the Federal Budget Act (BHG) 2013.

## Financial impacts on the federal budget and other public budgets

The measure in question has no financial impact on the federal government, the provinces, the municipalities or social security institutions.

## Relationship with European Union legislation

The proposed legislation serves to transpose an EU Directive

## Special features of the legislative procedure:

None

## Simplified outcome-oriented impact assessment

### Regulation amending the Packaging Classification Regulation

Submitting entity:	Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environmental Protection, Regions and Water Management		
Title of the proposed legislation:	Regulation amending the Packaging Classification Regulation		
Type of proposed legislation:	Regulation	Entry into force / effective date:	2026
Year created:	2025	Last updated:	7.8.2025

The proposal does not contribute directly to an efficiency target.

## **Analysis of the problem**

### **Definition of the problem**

The (already positively evaluated) Packaging Classification Regulation (Federal Law Gazette (*BGBl.*) II No 10/2015) expires on 31 December 2025 and, because it has proven itself, should be extended for a further four years.

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Description of the objective:

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Implemented by:

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Implementation of:

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