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Single Market Enforcement

Notification of Regulatory Barriers

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Regulation on the levy rates and points system of the single-use plastics fund (Single-Use Plastics Fund Regulation - EWKFondsV)

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Message

Message 001

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5. Regulation on the levy rates and points system of the single-use plastics fund (Single-Use Plastics Fund Regulation - EWKFondsV)

6. Products concerned are those listed in Part E of the Annex to Directive (EU) 2019/904 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 June 2019 on the reduction of the impact of certain plastic products on the environment (Single-Use Plastics Directive).

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8. The Single-Use Plastics Fund Act (EWKFondsG) (BGBl. 2023 I No 124) has created the legal basis for the formation and management of a single-use plastic fund by the Federal Environment Agency, for the collection of a single-use plastic levy from the manufacturers of certain single-use plastic products and for the payment of funds to the public-law waste management authorities and other legal entities under public law who are entitled to claim.

Manufacturers of certain single-use plastic products shall bear certain costs incurred by the public authorities for waste management, public cleaning and awareness-raising activities, which have up to now been financed by the general public. The manufacturers of the single-use plastic products concerned pay the single-use plastic levy into the fund as a special levy with a financing function, and the public-law waste management authorities and other entitled legal entities under public law receive reimbursement for their costs incurred from the fund. The levy shall be calculated on the basis of the nature and mass of the single-use plastic products which they place on the market, the amounts of money to be paid out according to the nature and extent of the services provided.



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The present single-use plastics fund regulation (EWKFondsV) sets the rates for single-use plastics levy and a point system as a criterion for disbursement of funds from the single-use plastics fund.

9. The Single-Use Plastics Fund Act (EWKFondsG) as set out in point 8 above transposes the requirements on extended manufacturer responsibility in accordance with Article 8(1-7) of Directive (EU) 2019/904 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 June 2019 on the reduction of the impact of certain plastic products on the environment.

The EWKFondsG contains two regulatory appropriations: The rates for the single-use plastic levy and the point system for the payment of funds from the single-use plastic fund shall be determined in accordance with Section 14(1 and 2) and Section 19(2 and 3) EWKFondsG by statutory order of the Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection. This shall be done by the present Single-Use Plastics Fund Regulation (EWKFondsV).

10. Reference to the basic texts:

11. No

12.

13. No

14. No

15. No

16.
TBT aspect: No

PLC aspect: No

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