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Amendment 46
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Report
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Reducing the consumption of lightweight plastic carrier bags
COM(2013)0761 – C7-0392/2013 – 2013/0371(COD)

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Proposal for a directive
Recital 3 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3b) According to the waste hierarchy prevention comes first. Therefore, an EU-wide reduction target has been defined. However, plastic carrier bags serve several purposes and they will still be used in the future. In order to ensure that the needed plastic carrier bags will not end up in the environment, the infrastructure for waste management – especially recycling – should be expanded and consumers should be informed about proper waste disposal.

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive

Recital 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(6a) Plastic carrier bags used to wrap humid, loose foods such as raw meat, fish and dairy, and plastic bags used to hold unpackaged prepared foodstuffs or to carry unpackaged or loosely packaged food and beverages that are intended to be consumed immediately after or very shortly after purchase are required for food hygiene and should therefore be exempt from the scope of this Directive.

Or. en

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Proposal for a directive

Article 1 – point -1 (new)

Directive 94/62/EG

Article 3 – point 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(-1) In Article 3, a new point -2a is inserted:

'-2a. "plastic carrier bags" shall mean bags, with or without handle, made of plastic materials as defined in point (1) of Article 3 of Regulation (EU) No 10/2011, which are supplied to consumers at the point of sale of goods or products for the purpose of carrying goods. Plastic carrier bags that are necessary for food hygiene to wrap humid, loose foods such as raw meat, fish and dairy and plastic bags to hold unpackaged prepared foodstuffs or to carry unpackaged or loosely packaged food and beverages that are intended to be consumed immediately after or very shortly after purchase shall not be considered as plastic carrier bags for the purposes of this Directive.'

Or. en