Question for written answer E-013066/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Jørn Dohrmann (ECR)

Subject: Deposit on bottles in the EU

In Denmark we have a relatively effective deposit system for bottles containing soda water or beer, for example, which works relatively well.

In my experience, bottles that would be part of a deposit system in Denmark are not re-used in the other European countries but simply go into the rubbish bin.

What is the Commission's view of deposit systems for bottles?

What will the Commission do in this case to extend the Danish system to other countries in the Union?

What are the Commission's plans for this area in general?

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