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Draft report
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Proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the reduction of the impact of certain plastic products on the environment

Proposal for a directive
Amendment 527
Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A

Text proposed by the Commission

A Single-use plastic products covered by Article 4 on consumption reduction

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

— Cups for beverages

Justification

Market consumption reductions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead: appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling; and mandatory litter prevention.

Amendment 528
Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A

Text proposed by the Commission

A Single-use plastic products covered deleted
by Article 4 on consumption reduction

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

— Cups for beverages

Justification

Due to deletion of Art. 4.

Amendment 529
Aldo Patriciello

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

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Justification

Le tazze per bevande utilizzate nel settore del vending, per le peculiarità del servizio di somministrazione di bevande tramite distributori automatici, non devono rientrare nello scopo della direttiva perché: 1) il servizio del vending è erogato prevalentemente in luoghi chiusi dove è già prevista la raccolta dei rifiuti (uffici, scuole, ospedali ecc.) e anche il consumo avviene nei pressi della macchina; pertanto non producono inquinamento
dell’ambiente; 2) le tazze per bevande del vending sono imballi tecnici, progettati specificamente per l’uso nei distributori automatici: sono inseriti all’interno del distributore e quindi devono possedere specifiche caratteristiche tecniche che garantiscono l’affidabilità di erogazione oltre alla resistenza alle alte temperature (90°) delle bevande calde; 3) le tazze per bevande del vending garantiscono l’igiene e la sicurezza alimentare del servizio di somministrazione in quanto conservati all’interno del distributore in un apposito contenitore/erogatore e non sono soggetti a contaminazioni.

Amendment 530
Margrethe Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, including coffee creamer packaging, except plates

Or. en

Justification

This proposal is not limited to fast food, but addresses food containers for all kinds of food intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation

Amendment 531
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, not containing any food or beverage at the
immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

moment they are put in the market, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. en

Amendment 532
Gilles Pargneaux

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except food containers made of expanded polystyrene, and beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. fr

Justification

Food containers made of expanded polystyrene often end up in the environment because of their low density. In addition, they break into pieces very easily and the residue is toxic if ingested. The 2018 report by the United Nations Environment Programme on single-use plastics highlights this issue.

Amendment 533
Michèle Rivasi
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

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Or. fr

Amendment 534
Guillaume Balas

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except those made of expanded polystyrene, beverage containers, plates, packets and wrappers containing food

Or. en

Justification

Expanded polystyrene food containers are highly toxic when ingested and contribute to beach litter. Their use should be banned and not only reduced.
Amendment 535
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain prepared food that is typically intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away and that does not require any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. de

Justification

This definition needs to be made more precise. It must be ensured that products, in this case prepared foods, which are actually typically consumed immediately on-the-spot or else as take-away meals, are actually included.

Amendment 536
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage bottles
— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)
— Plates
— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes
— Beverage stirrers

Amendment

Or. en
Amendment 537
Gilles Pargneaux

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Cups for beverages

Amendment

— Cups for beverages, except for
cups for beverages that are made solely of
plastic

- Cups for beverages made solely [or
completely] of plastic except for those
which are compostable in domestic
compost facilities and made up, wholly or
partially, of bio-sourced materials

Or. fr

Justification

The proposal is to introduce schemes prohibiting cups for beverages made solely of plastic,
except for those which are compostable in domestic compost facilities and made up, wholly or
partially, of bio-sourced materials.

Amendment 538
Giovanni La Via, Salvatore Cicu

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Cups for beverages

Amendment

— Cups for beverages, except those
used in the vending sector.

Or. it

Justification

Because of the special features of the automatic vending machines beverage supply service,
cups for beverages used in the vending sector should not fall within the scope of the Directive
because vending services are primarily provided in closed areas where the collection of waste...
is already in place (such as offices, schools, hospitals etc.), and also the consumption takes place close to the machine; therefore the cups do not give rise to any direct pollution of the environment;

Amendment 539
Aldo Patriciello

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
— Cups for beverages — Cups for beverages, except those used in the vending sector

Justification

Le tazze per bevande utilizzate nel settore del vending, per le peculiarità del servizio di somministrazione di bevande tramite distributori automatici, non devono rientrare nello scopo della direttiva perché: 1) il servizio del vending è erogato prevalentemente in luoghi chiusi dove è già prevista la raccolta dei rifiuti (uffici, scuole, ospedali ecc.) e anche il consumo avviene nei pressi della macchina; pertanto non producono inquinamento dell’ambiente; 2) le tazze per bevande del vending sono imballi tecnici, progettati specificamente per l’uso nei distributori automatici: sono inseriti all’interno del distributore e quindi devono possedere specifiche caratteristiche tecniche che garantiscono l’affidabilità di erogazione oltre alla resistenza alle alte temperature (90°) delle bevande calde; 3) le tazze per bevande del vending garantiscono l’igiene e la sicurezza alimentare del servizio di somministrazione in quanto conservati all’interno del distributore in unapposito contenitore/erogatore e non sono soggetti a contaminazioni.

Amendment 540
Massimo Paolucci, Jo Leinen, Jytte Guteland, Renata Briano, Miriam Dalli, Giorgos Grammatikakis

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
— Cups for beverages — Cups for beverages and their caps and lids
Amendment 541
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

  Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
  — Cups for beverages — Cups for beverages, including their lids

  Or. en

Amendment 542
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2

  Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
  — Cups for beverages — Cups for beverages and their lids

  Or. en

Amendment 543
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

  Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
  -- Beverage bottles

  Or. it

Amendment 544
Margrete Auken, Tilly Metz
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Beverage bottles

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 545
Danilo Oscar Lancini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Cotton bud sticks, except for swabs intended and used for medical purposes
- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)
- Plates
- Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes
- Beverage stirrers
- Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

(The products in Part B have been moved here.)

Or. it

Amendment 546
Massimo Paolucci, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano, Miriam Dalli

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)
Text proposed by the Commission

Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation, such as crisps and sweets packets

Amendment

Or. it

Amendment 547
Seb Dance, Rory Palmer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Tobacco products with filters containing plastic and filters containing plastic marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 548
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Tobacco products with filters and filters marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

Amendment

Or. fr

Amendment 549
Mairead McGuinness
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Single use tobacco filters partially or fully composed of plastic.

Or. en

Amendment 550
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Renata Briano, Miriam Dalli

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Tobacco products with filters and filters marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

Or. it

Justification

The impact assessment (part 3, page 32, table 2) recognises that reduction targets for these products are feasible.

Amendment 551
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Wet wipes

Or. en
Amendment 552
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Renata Briano, Miriam Dalli

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part A – indent 2 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

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Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes

Or. it

Justification

The impact assessment (part 3, page 37, table 7) recognises that reduction targets for these products are feasible.

Amendment 553
Danilo Oscar Lancini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B

Text proposed by the Commission

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B Single-use plastic products covered by Article 5 on the restriction on placing on the market

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- Cotton bud sticks, except for swabs intended and used for medical purposes
- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)
- Plates
- Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes
- Beverage stirrers
- Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks
(The products in Part B have been moved to Parts A, F and G.)

Or. it

Amendment 554
Gilles Pargneaux

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Lightweight plastic carrier bags within the meaning of Article 3(1)(c) of Directive 94/62/EC, except for bags which are compostable in domestic composting facilities and made up, wholly or partially, of bio-sourced materials

Amendment

- Lightweight plastic carrier bags within the meaning of Article 3(1)(c) of Directive 94/62/EC, except for bags which are compostable in domestic composting facilities and made up, wholly or partially, of bio-sourced materials

Or. fr

Justification

It is necessary for the Directive to impose a prohibition on single-use plastic bags except bags which are compostable in domestic composting facilities and made up, wholly or partially, of bio-sourced materials. Bags which are still permitted must be covered by the household packaging EPR scheme and awareness-raising measures must be carried out in respect of them.

Amendment 555
Massimo Paolucci, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Very lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1d) of Directive 94/62/EC, except when they are compostable under standard CEN 13432

Amendment

- Very lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1d) of Directive 94/62/EC, except when they are compostable under standard CEN 13432

Or. it
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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Very lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1d) of Directive 94/62/EC, except when they are required for hygiene purposes, in which case only very lightweight carrier bags that are biodegradable and compostable may be used.

Justification

Where required for hygiene purposes, only very lightweight carrier bags in biodegradable and compostable material should be used, not those made from traditional plastic.

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Very lightweight plastic carrier bags defined according to Directive 2015/720, Article 1 (1d), except for hygienic reasons for meat, fish and dairy products.

Justification

Although a reduction of plastic carrier bags was achieved by Directive 2015/720. They still cause considerable problems, mainly due to incorrect disposal. Furthermore, implementation of Directive 2015/720 has shown that market measures effectively lead to positive outcomes.
in this area.

Amendment 558
Seb Dance, Rory Palmer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

- Very lightweight plastic carriers
  bags as defined in Article 3(1d) of
  Directive 94/62/EC, except when they are
  required for hygiene purposes

Or. en

Amendment 559
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

- Plastic stickers on fruit and vegetables

Or. en

Amendment 560
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent -1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

- Packaging and agricultural mulch film
  made from oxo-degradable plastic

Or. en
**Justification**

The negative consequences of oxo-degradable plastic are well-known, and pose a risk to the environment as they degrade into microplastic.

**Amendment 561**

Paul Brannen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 1 a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*  
Amendment

- oxo-degradable agricultural mulch films

Or. en

**Amendment 562**

Guillaume Balas

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 1 a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*  
Amendment

- Food containers made of expanded polystyrene, especially those used for fast food

Or. en

**Amendment 563**

Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*  
Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) deleted
Amendment 564
Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) deleted

Or. en

Justification

Market restrictions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead: appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling; and mandatory litter prevention.

Amendment 565
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) deleted

Or. en

Amendment 566
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

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Text proposed by the Commission

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)

Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks), except where required for medical reasons in hospitals or for safety reasons in prisons. In these cases, only biodegradable and compostable cutlery may be used, and it must then be collected separately and processed for composting or recycling.

Or. it

Amendment 567
Massimo Paolucci, Simona Bonafè

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)

Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) except in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured

Or. en

Amendment 568
Giovanni La Via

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)

Amendment

— Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks), except in closed loop for food-waste management, where waste management and recycling are ensured

Or. en
Justification

In a considerable number of contexts, single-use catering items are relevant and necessary, for example in closed systems with integrated waste management schemes (established separate collection and mechanical and organic recycling), such as air travel, sport arenas, or open-air events. Safety and hygiene requirements need to be considered interdependently, next to several other factors. In these cases, a restriction of single-use plastics items can be of very limited to no benefit. Whether the catering items should be mechanically recyclable or compostable depends on the defined waste management concept of the respective closed system. Plastics that are certified industrially compostable offer additional benefits when products are contaminated with food waste, as they facilitate the safe and hygienic collection and recycling of organic waste.

Amendment 569
Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

—  Plates  deleted

Or. en

Justification

Market restrictions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead – appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling; and mandatory litter prevention.

Amendment 570
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

—  Plates  deleted

Or. en
Amendment 571
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates deleted

Or. en

Amendment 572
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates, except where required for medical reasons in hospitals or for safety reasons in prisons. In these cases, only biodegradable and compostable cutlery may be used, and it must then be collected separately and processed for composting or recycling.

Or. it

Amendment 573
Massimo Paolucci, Simona Bonafè

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates except in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured
Amendment 574
Giovanni La Via

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates

Amendment

— Plates, except in closed loop for food-waste management, where waste management and recycling are ensured

Or. en

Justification

In a considerable number of contexts, single-use catering items are relevant and necessary, for example in closed systems with integrated waste management schemes (established separate collection and mechanical and organic recycling), such as air travel, sport arenas, or open-air events. Safety and hygiene requirements need to be considered interdependently, next to several other factors. In these cases, a restriction of single-use plastics items can be of very limited to no benefit. Whether the catering items should be mechanically recyclable or compostable depends on the defined waste management concept of the respective closed system. Plastics that are certified industrially compostable offer additional benefits when products are contaminated with food waste, as they facilitate the safe and hygienic collection and recycling of organic waste.

Amendment 575
Nicola Caputo

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates

Amendment

— Plates, from 2022, except those with a recycled plastic content of 90%;

Or. it
Amendment 576
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Plates

Amendment

— Plates, bowls and other similar items with the same function

Or. en

Amendment 577
Renate Sommer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Amendment

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 578
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 579
Elisabetta Gardini
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Amendment

— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Or. en

Justification

Market restrictions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead – appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling; and mandatory litter prevention.

Amendment 580
Peter Liese

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Amendment

— As of 1 January 2025, straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Or. en

Justification

Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes shall be covered by Article 7 on marking requirements until there are satisfactory substitutes on the market. There are no satisfactory alternatives on the market yet. Member States shall prohibit the placing on market of this single-use plastic product only as of 1 January 2025.

Amendment 581
Michel Dantin
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission
— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes

Amendment
— Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes and straws attached to their beverages

Or. fr

Amendment 582
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5

Text proposed by the Commission
— Beverage stirrers

Amendment
— deleted

Or. en

Amendment 583
Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5

Text proposed by the Commission
— Beverage stirrers

Amendment
— deleted

Or. en

Justification
Market restrictions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead – appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling; and mandatory litter prevention.
Amendment 584
Aldo Patriciello

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage stirrers

Amendment

— Beverage stirrers, except those used in the vending sector

Or. it

Justification

I mescolatori utilizzati nel settore del vending, per le peculiarità del servizio di somministrazione di bevande tramite distributori automatici, non devono rientrare nello scopo della direttiva perché: 1) Il servizio del vending è erogato prevalentemente in luoghi chiusi dove è già prevista la raccolta dei rifiuti (uffici, scuole, ospedali ecc.) e anche il consumo avviene nei pressi della macchina; pertanto non producono inquinamento dell’ambiente; 2) I mescolatori sono progettati specificamente per l’uso nei distributori automatici: essendo inseriti all’interno del distributore devono possedere specifiche caratteristiche tecniche che garantiscono l’affidabilità di erogazione; 3) I mescolatori monouso garantiscono l’igiene e la sicurezza alimentare del servizio di somministrazione in quanto conservati all’interno del distributore in un apposito contenitore/erogatore e non sono soggetti a contaminazioni.

Amendment 585
Giovanni La Via, Salvatore Cicu

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage stirrers

Amendment

— Beverage stirrers, except those used in the vending sector

Or. it
**Justification**

Because of the special features of the automatic vending machines beverage supply service, stirrers used in the vending sector should not fall within the scope of the Directive because the vending service is primarily provided in closed areas where the collection of waste is already in place (such as offices, schools, hospitals etc.), and also the consumption takes place close to the machine; therefore the stirrers do not give rise to any direct pollution of the environment;

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**Amendment 586**

Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5

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Or. it

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**Amendment 587**

Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5 a (new)

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Or. en

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**Amendment 588**

Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5 a (new)
Amendment 589
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Lollipop sticks

Or. en

Justification
Alternative sticks made of card already exist.

Amendment 590
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
— Sticks to be attached to and to deleted support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. de

Justification
Banning sticks for balloons would be counter-productive, as balloon sticks add additional weight to the balloon and thereby protect the balloon from flying away. Moreover, in the
studies analysed in the Commission's impact assessment there is no clear indication that a significant quantity of balloon sticks were found on European beaches.

Amendment 591
Michel Dantin, Françoise Grossetête

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment
—  Sticks to be attached to and to deleted support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. fr

Justification

These plastic sticks attached to balloons are covered by the European regulations on toys, which impose an obligation on toys manufacturers to use products which cannot break. In this context, plastic appears to be one of the only products making it possible to meet this European legislative requirement.

Amendment 592
Julie Girling, Elisabett Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment
—  Sticks to be attached to and to deleted support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. en
Justification

The Commission Impact Assessment provided no evidence that balloon sticks were found in any considerable or detrimental quantities on European Beaches. Further, the grouping of balloons and balloons sticks in the Assessment was done with not scientific justification, and failed to take into account the socio-economic effects of a ban.

Amendment 593
Seb Dance

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
— Sticks to be attached to and to deleted
support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. en

Justification

Balloon sticks are only ranked at number 36 in only one data set in the list of top beach litter items. Furthermore, banning sticks would seem to be a counterproductive measure from an environmental perspective, as the additional weight keeps balloons from floating away.

Amendment 594
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
— Sticks to be attached to and to deleted
support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks
Amendment 595
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission

— Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Amendment

— Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, except the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. de

Amendment 596
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes

Amendment

- Food containers used for fast food made of expanded polystyrene

Or. fr

Amendment 597
Michèle Rivasi

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment
Justification

Food containers made of expanded polystyrene often end up in the environment because of their low density. In addition, they break into pieces very easily and the residue is toxic if ingested. The 2018 report by the United Nations Environment Programme on single-use plastics highlights this issue.

Amendment 598
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Expanded polystyrene in all industrial, domestic and food products

Or. en

Justification

Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) is commonly found as marine litter. Due to its characteristics fragments rapidly into microplastics. The ingestion of polystyrene particles by zooplankton has been found to significantly decrease their nutritional intake and reproductive output. Although it is possible to recycle this material, the food contamination from its uses and its low-density make it uneconomical to do so. EPS is used for packaging (industrial, domestic appliance and food) and fish boxes; alternatives are available for such applications. Styrene was identified as “potentially carcinogenic” cat. 2A by the International Agency for the Research on Cancer (IARC); styrene is used as a monomer for production of polystyrene.

Amendment 599
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Dario Tamburrano, Laura Agea

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Expanded polystyrene (EPS)

Or. en
Justification

EPS is amongst the most commonly found items on beaches and due to its characteristics, fragments rapidly into microplastics. Styrene, the monomer used for EPS production, has been identified as a “probable carcinogen” (category 2A) by the International Agency for the Research on Cancer (IARC).

Amendment 600
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment
- Polystyrene

Or. en

Amendment 601
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment
- food packing

Or. en

Justification

Food packing (by definition made of single-use plastic) should be replaced by bio-based nano-materials.

Amendment 602
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 h (new)
Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food

Or. fr

Amendment 603
Gilles Pargneaux

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Food containers used for fast food made of expanded polystyrene

Or. fr

Justification

Food containers made of expanded polystyrene often end up in the environment because of their low density. In addition, they break into pieces very easily and the residue is toxic if ingested. The 2018 report by the United Nations Environment Programme on single-use plastics highlights this issue.

Amendment 604
Sylvie Goddyn, Jean-François Jalkh, Joëlle Mélin

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Tampon applicators

Or. fr
Amendment 605
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

Or. fr

Amendment 606
Margrete Auken, Tilly Metz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Tea bags made wholly or partly from plastic

Or. en

Justification

Tea bags often end up in compost or organic waste, where they break down into microplastic, ending up in aquatic or terrestrial environments.

Amendment 607
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 k (new)
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Nylon teabags

Or. fr

Amendment 608
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Plastic corks not attached to a bottle

Or. fr

Amendment 609
Margrete Auken, Tilly Metz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Coffee pods made wholly or partly from plastic

Or. en

Justification

Coffee pods often end up in compost or organic waste, where they break down into microplastic, ending up in aquatic or terrestrial environments.

Amendment 610
Younous Omarjee
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Plastic carrier bags

Or. fr

Amendment 611
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 e (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Primary packaging of individually wrapped candy made wholly or partly from plastic

Or. en

Justification
Such primary packaging is redundant and often very prone to littering

Amendment 612
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 e (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Cups for beverages

Or. fr

Amendment 613
Margrete Auken
Proposal for a directive  
Annex I – part B – indent 6 f (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

- Plastic wrapping for individual packs of cigarettes

Or. en

Justification

The plastic wrapping around individual cigarette packs is very prone to littering as these packs are often unwrapped outside, as one smokes outside.

Amendment 614  
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive  
Annex I – part B – indent 6 f (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

- Food and non-food cling film

Or. fr

Amendment 615  
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive  
Annex I – part B – indent 6 g (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

- Goodies and other single-use plastic products distributed free of charge for advertising purposes, and advertising samples

Or. fr
Amendment 616
Margrethe Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 g (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Primary packaging of individually wrapped coffee snacks and toothpicks made wholly or partly from plastic

Or. en

Justification

The individual wrappings of coffee snacks, such as cookies, chocolates or fudges, are prone to littering especially when these products are consumed outdoors (on a terrace or on-the-go).

Amendment 617
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 i (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Blister packs, clamshell packs and plastic packaging for foods and non-foods

Or. fr

Amendment 618
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 j (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Chewing gum based on synthetic polymers
Amendment 619
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part B – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Plastic sticks in fireworks

Amendment 620
Danilo Oscar Lancini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part C

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

C Single use plastic products covered by Article 6 on placing on the market deleted

— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

Amendment 621
Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part C – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids, except for containers intended and
Justification

Les professionnels de santé les utilisent pour traiter les patients souffrant de dénutrition dans toutes les structures de soins. Ils peuvent aussi être prescrits pour une utilisation au domicile du patient. L’ensemble des conditionnements sont étudiés pour faciliter leur utilisation par les patients, les personnels soignants ou les aidants, via des systèmes spécifiques d’ouverture et de fermeture (essentiels pour le bon fonctionnement de la nutrition par sonde en particulier). Chaque matière utilisée pour ces emballages, y compris le plastique, est utilisée pour assurer la fonctionnalité, la biocompatibilité et les exigences de stérilisation qui s’appliquent à ces produits.

Amendment 622
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part C – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

Amendment
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids, except containers intended and used for food for special medical purposes as covered by Regulation (EU) No 2016/128

Amendment 623
Seb Dance, Rory Palmer, Paul Brannen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part C – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

Amendment
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids, except containers intended and used for food for special medical purposes as covered by Regulation (EU) No 2016/128
Packaging of food for special medical purposes is specifically designed to meet the needs of patients, e.g. elderly patients with arthritis or tube-fed stroke patients, and are designed for functionality and practicality of use for patients and their caregivers.

Amendment 624
Renate Sommer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part C – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

Amendment
— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids, except receptacles used for food for special medical purposes in the sense of Regulation (EU) 2016/128

Justification
Because of the special requirements for safety and sterility, clinical food products should be excluded from the provision. Since the product is used exclusively in a medical context, waste disposal will be done appropriately.

Amendment 625
Elisabetta Gardini, Alberto Cirio, Lorenzo Cesa, Massimiliano Salini, Stefano Maullu, Giovanni La Via

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D
Text proposed by the Commission

D Single use plastic products covered by Article 7 on marking requirements
— Sanitary towels (pads) and tampons and tampon applicators
— Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes
— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment 626
Simona Bonafè, Damiano Zoffoli, Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – subheading 1

Text proposed by the Commission
Single use plastic products covered by Article 7 on marking requirements

Amendment
Single use plastic products covered by Article 7(I) on marking requirements

Or. it

Amendment 627
Sylvie Goddyn, Jean-François Jalkh, Joëlle Mélin

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 1

Justification

Providing clear information on how to dispose waste is a fundamental step to enable consumers to contribute to recycling and appropriate waste management. We therefore call on the EU legislators to focus Article 7 solely on appropriate waste disposal options and enlarging its scope to all products covered by the Proposal.
Text proposed by the Commission

— Sanitary towels (pads) and tampons and tampon applicators

Amendment

— Sanitary towels (pads) and tampons

Or. fr

Amendment 628

Peter Liese

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

— Until 31 December 2024, straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes, subject to review.

Amendment

Or. en

Justification

Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes shall be covered by Article 7 on marking requirements until there are satisfactory substitutes on the market. At the moment, there are no satisfactory alternatives on the market yet. Member States shall prohibit the placing on market of this single-use plastic product only after 31 December 2024.

Amendment 629

Renate Sommer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

deleted

Or. de
Amendment 630
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers deleted

Or. it

Amendment 631
Simona Bonafè, Damiano Zoffoli, Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers deleted

Or. it

Justification

These products must be part of the review by the Commission and must be dealt with in the Toys Directive, since that is the relevant place to address them.

Amendment 632
Julie Girling, Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3
Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

— deleted

Justification

Voluntary sectorial agreements - already in place in the balloon industry - are effectively educating consumers about the environmental impacts of balloon waste.

Amendment 633
Michel Dantin, Françoise Grossetête

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons in natural polypropylene (natural latex and rubber) and balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Or. fr

Amendment 634
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Miriam Dalli

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as
food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. it

Amendment 635
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

Or. fr

Amendment 636
Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Materials and products containing polymeric coatings, linings or layers which do not constitute the main structural component of the final material and product;

Or. en

Amendment 637
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)
Amendment 638
Michèle Rivasi

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)

- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) used in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured

Or. en

Amendment 639
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 b (new)

- Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing household products, including eco-friendly detergent refills, for domestic or industrial use

Or. fr

Justification

Refills in flexible plastic, such as those containing detergents, are single use. They are usually marketed to avoid the production of a plastic bottle or drum. However, these refills are not recyclable, or only to a very slight extent. To ensure that consumers are properly informed they should be added to the list of products for which marking is required.
Amendment 640
Karl-Heinz Florenz, Annie Schreijer-Pierik, Francesc Gambús, Birgit Collin-Langen, Peter Liese, Françoise Grossetête

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Tobacco products with filters and filters marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

Or. en

Justification

Cigarette buds are the second most found items on beaches and one single bud pollutes minimum 500 litres of water. Therefore, it is very important that consumers are aware of the consequences when throwing cigarettes on the street.

Amendment 641
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 e (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

-- Tobacco products with filters and filters marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

Or. it

Amendment 642
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

-- Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation, such as crisps and sweets packets

Or. it

Amendment 643
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

-- Cups for beverages and their caps and lids

Or. it

Amendment 644
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part D – indent 3 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

-- Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Or. it
Amendment 645  
Simona Bonafè, Damiano Zoffoli, Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive  
Annex I – part D a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Da Single use plastic products covered by Article 7(2) on marking requirements
– Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food
– Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation
– Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids
– Cups for beverages
– Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes
– Lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC

Or. it

Justification

It is necessary to insert a new Annex to define products to be marked in relation to their recycled plastic content.

Amendment 646  
Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

E Single use plastic products covered by Article 8 on extended producer responsibility deleted

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

— Beverage containers, i.e. receptacles used to contain liquid such as beverage bottles including their caps and lids

— Cups for beverages

— Tobacco products with filters and filters marketed for use in combination with tobacco products

— Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

— Lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC

Justification

Due to deletion of Art. 8 par 1 and 2.
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, designed and intended to be filled at the point of sale, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food. This provision shall not apply to packaging which is intended to extend the shelf-life of pre-prepared foods.

Or. en

Justification

The terms “food containers” need to be clarified in order to avoid ambiguity between a container which would be covered by Article 3 (1)(i) of the Packaging and Packaging Waste Directive and one covered by Article 3(1)(ii) of the said Directive and thus to avoid compromising the EU’s efforts to reduce food waste in line with Article 9 of the Waste Framework Directive on Prevention.
without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food. The receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, i.e. food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food. This provision shall not apply to packaging which is intended to extend the shelf-life of pre-prepared foods.

Or. en

Justification

The term 'food containers' needs to be explicitly defined to avoid ambiguity with regards to the Packaging and Packaging Waste Directive, and Waste Framework Directive; a component to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal of halving per capita global food waste.

Amendment 649
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, not containing any food or beverage at the moment they are put in the market, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. en

Amendment 650
Pilar Ayuso
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission
— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

Amendment
— Crisp packets and sweet wrappers

Or. en

Amendment 651
Julie Girling

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission
— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

Amendment
— Crisp packets and sweet wrappers

Or. en

Justification
In alignment with the Commission Impact Assessment, the scope of this annex should be limited to Crisp packets and sweet wrappers’, the most common items found on beaches. The inclusion of ‘flexible material’ is superfluous and risks including packaging that reduces food waste and extends shelf life.

Amendment 652
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission
— Packets and wrappers made from

Amendment
— Packets and wrappers made from
flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation, such as crisps and sweets packets

Amendment 653
Massimo Paolucci, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission
— Cups for beverages

Amendment
— Cups for beverages and their caps and lids

Or. it

Amendment 654
Paul Brannen, Seb Dance

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
- caps and lids with a significant part made of plastic

Amendment

Or. en

Justification

Beverages are often sold in paper cups with plastic lids. As other points on this list cover lids only if they are attached to a plastic cup, an extra point on lids is proposed to be added

Amendment 655
Pilar Ayuso
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)

Or. en

Amendment 656
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) used in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured

Or. en

Amendment 657
Nicola Caputo

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
-- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks);

Or. it

Amendment 658
Nicola Caputo
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

-- Plates;

Or. it

Amendment 659
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 4 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Plates

Or. en

Amendment 660
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Plates used in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured

Or. en

Amendment 661
Francesc Gambús

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 6
Text proposed by the Commission

— Wet wipes, i.e. pre-wetted personal care, domestic and industrial wipes

Justification

This type of materials represents an important part of municipal waste. The waste derived from these products does not currently have any possible material recovery route (therefore they can only be used for energy recovery or final disposal), with very important costs that currently have to be borne by local authorities and, therefore, all citizens with their taxes. On our opinion, it is absolutely justified that the producers of these products take responsibility for the management.

Amendment 662
Michèle Rivasi
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing household products, including eco-friendly detergent refills, for domestic or industrial use

Justification

Refills in flexible plastic, such as those containing detergents, are single use. They are usually marketed to avoid the production of a plastic bottle or drum. However, these refills are not recyclable, or only to a very slight extent. It is therefore necessary, at the least, to add them to the list of products for which an extended producer responsibility scheme is to be put in place.

Amendment 663
Renate Sommer
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Or. de

Amendment 664
Simona Bonafè, Damiano Zoffoli, Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Or. it

Justification

These products must be part of the review by the Commission and must be dealt with in the Toys Directive, since that is the relevant place to address them.

Amendment 665
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers


consumers

Amendment 666
Julie Girling, Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

deleted

Or. it

Justification

The Commission Impact Assessment attributes 5kg of beach to balloons. Extended Producer Responsibility is not proportional for such a low figure.

Amendment 667
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 7 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

-- Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

Amendment

Or. it
Amendment 668
Massimo Paolucci, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8

Text proposed by the Commission
— Lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC

Amendment
— Lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC and very lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1d) of Directive 94/62/EC compostable under standard CEN 13432

Or. it

Amendment 669
Giovanni La Via

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8

Text proposed by the Commission
— Lightweight plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC

Amendment
— **Lightweight and very lightweight** plastic carrier bags as defined in Article 3(1c) of Directive 94/62/EC

Or. en

Justification

When proposing amendments on lightweight and very lightweight plastic carrier bags it is important to consider that both represent primary packaging items and are legally covered by Directive 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste. Directive 94/62/EC (4) states, that "Plastic carrier bags with a wall thickness below 50 microns (‘lightweight plastic carrier bags’), which represent the vast majority of the total number of plastic carrier bags consumed in the Union, are less frequently reused than thicker plastic carrier bags. Consequently, lightweight plastic carrier bags become waste more quickly and are more prone to littering due to their light weight”. Accordingly, the thinner a lightweight plastic bag, the more prone it is to littering. Directive 94/62/EC defines lightweight plastic bags separately from very lightweight plastic bags, cf. Article 3(1c and 1d) of Directive 94/62/EC. Very lightweight plastic bags should be explicitly included in EPR schemes.
Agricultural plastics can make a significant contribution to terrestrial and marine plastic pollution in certain regions and are often subject to inappropriate disposal, low collection and recycling rates. As such they should be subject to EPR schemes to ensure appropriate waste management.

Amendment 671
Paul Brannen

Agricultural plastic products, e.g. protected cultivation films, mulching and silage films, irrigation and drainage pipes, input bags, and containers

Amendment 672
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Disposable nappies
Amendment 673
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Disposable nappies

Or. fr

Amendment 674
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Disposable lighters

Or. en

Amendment 675
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
Amendment

- Disposable pens

Or. fr

Amendment 676
Younous Omarjee
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Tubes of glue

Or. fr

Amendment 677
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part E – indent 8 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Printer ink cartridges

Or. fr

Amendment 678
Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

— Beverage bottles

— Beverage bottles, except for containers intended and used for food for special medical purposes covered by Regulation (EU) No 2016/128

Or. fr

Justification

Les professionnels de santé les utilisent pour traiter les patients souffrant de dénutrition dans toutes les structures de soins. Ils peuvent aussi être prescrits pour une utilisation au domicile du patient. L’ensemble des conditionnements sont étudiés pour faciliter leur utilisation par les patients, les personnels soignants ou les aidants, via des systèmes spécifiques d’ouverture et de fermeture (essentiels pour le bon fonctionnement de la nutrition par sonde en particulier). Chaque matière utilisée pour ces emballages, y compris le plastique, est utilisée
pour assurer la fonctionnalité, la biocompatibilité et les exigences de stérilisation qui s’appliquent à ces produits.

Amendment 679
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage bottles

Amendment

— Beverage bottles, except bottles intended and used for foods for special medical purposes (FSMPs) as covered by Delegated Regulation 2016/128.

Or. en

Amendment 680
Seb Dance, Rory Palmer

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage bottles

Amendment

— Beverage bottles, except bottles intended and used for foods for special medical purposes (FSMPs) as covered by Delegated Regulation 2016/128

Or. en

Justification

Foods for special medical purposes are products used under medical supervision and consumed across all healthcare settings – in hospitals, care homes, clinics and in private homes. These particular conditions will create practical issues for implementation of measures such as deposit refund schemes. This could be a major resource requirement for all care settings for items which do not make a contribution to the overall issue of marine pollution by plastic containers.
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage bottles

Amendment

— Beverage bottles, except bottles
used for food for special medical purposes
in the sense of Regulation (EU) 2016/128

Or. de

Justification

Because of the special requirements for safety and sterility, clinical food products should be excluded from the provision. Since the product is used exclusively in a medical context, waste disposal will be done appropriately.

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Beverage bottles

Amendment

— Beverage bottles, including its cap
and lid

Or. en

Justification

Caps and lids together with bottles are the most found SUP items at the beaches. Therefore, the caps and lids should be encompassed by the collection target.

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)
Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

– Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation

– Cups for beverages

– Plates

– Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)

– Straws

– Beverage stirrers

Justification

Market consumption reductions and restrictions of products used for packaging and serving food & beverages will result in unintended risks to food hygiene, public health and consumer safety and will lead to needless job losses. The existing provisions of Directive 2008/EC/98 and Directive 94/62/EC should be activated and strengthened instead: appropriate promotion of reuse without putting food hygiene, public health and consumer safety at risk; separate collection; recycling etc.

Amendment 684

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food
- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)
- Plates
- Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes
- Beverage stirrers

Amendment 685
Karin Kadenbach

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment
- Hollow packaging, such as plastic bottles for body care products, foodstuffs or cleaning supplies

Or. de

Justification

In many Member States, there is already a perfectly functional system for the separate collection of plastic packaging (plastic bottles). For this reason, it would be neither proportionate nor productive to introduce separate collection quota for beverage bottles alone, as opposed to for all hollow packaging, such as plastic bottles for body care products, foodstuffs or cleaning supplies.

Amendment 686
Danilo Oscar Lancini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment
-- Cotton bud sticks, except for swabs intended and used for medical purposes
– Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks)
– Plates
– Straws, except for straws intended and used for medical purposes
– Beverage stirrers
– Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of such sticks

(The products in Part B have been moved here.)

Or. it

Amendment 687
Paul Brannen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- geographically or seasonally concentrated plastics products, in particular agricultural plastic products’ waste material (e.g. protected cultivation films, mulching films, anti-hail nets, bale twines, irrigation pipes, fertilizer and agrochemical packaging etc.)

Or. en

Amendment 688
José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Hollow body packaging such as plastic bottles for personal care products, food, detergents and cleaning agents.
Amendment 689
Sylvie Goddyn, Jean-François Jalkh, Joëlle Mélin

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Plastic sheeting for greenhouses
  used for agricultural production

Or. fr

Amendment 690
Nicola Caputo

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

-- Plates;

Or. it

Amendment 691
Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part F – indent 1 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Chewing gum

Or. en

Amendment 692
Inés Ayala Sender, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García
Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food.

*Amendment*

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, *designed and intended to be filled at the point of sale*, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food. *This provision shall not apply to packaging which is intended to extend the shelf-life of pre-prepared foods.*

Or. en

*Justification*

The terms “food containers” need to be clarified in order to avoid ambiguity between a container which would be covered by Article 3 (1)(i) of the Packaging and Packaging Waste Directive and one covered by Article 3(1)(ii) of the said Directive and thus to avoid compromising the EU’s efforts to reduce food waste in line with Article 9 of the Waste Framework Directive on Prevention.

Amendment 693
Julie Girling, Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, *such as* food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and

*Amendment*

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is *designed and intended to be filled at the point of sale*, intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, *i.e.* food containers used for fast food, except
wrappers containing food beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food. This provision shall not apply to packaging which is intended to extend the shelf-life of pre-prepared foods.

Or. en

Justification

The term 'food containers' needs to be explicitly defined to avoid ambiguity with regards to the Packaging and Packaging Waste Directive, and Waste Framework Directive; a component to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal of halving per capita global food waste.

Amendment 694
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Amendment

— Food containers, i.e. receptacles such as boxes, with or without a cover, not containing any food or beverage at the moment they are put in the market, used to contain food that is intended for immediate consumption from the receptacle either on-the-spot or take-away without any further preparation, such as food containers used for fast food, except beverage containers, plates and packets and wrappers containing food

Or. en

Amendment 695
Pilar Ayuso

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 2
Text proposed by the Commission

— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

Amendment

— Crisp packets and sweet wrappers

Or. en

Amendment 696
Julie Girling

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from the packet or wrapper without any further preparation

Amendment

— Crisp packets and sweet wrappers

Or. en

Justification

In alignment with the Commission Impact Assessment, the scope of this annex should be limited to Crisp packets and sweet wrappers', the most common items found on beaches. The inclusion of 'flexible material' is superfluous and risks including packaging that reduces food waste and extends shelf life.

Amendment 697
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from

Amendment

— Packets and wrappers made from flexible material containing food that is intended for immediate consumption from
the packet or wrapper without any further preparation, such as crisps and sweets packets

Or. it

Amendment 698
José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Packaging components and ancillary elements as defined in Directive 94/62/EC, Article 3(1)(iii).

Or. en

Amendment 699
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Renata Briano, Jo Leinen

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Cups for beverages and their caps and lids

Or. it

Amendment 700
Nicola Caputo

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Plates;
Amendment 701
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Plates used in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured

Or. en

Amendment 702
Nicola Caputo

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 4 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks);

Or. it

Amendment 703
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 4 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Cutlery (forks, knives, spoons, chopsticks) used in "closed loop for food-waste management" systems, where separate collection and recycling is ensured
Amendment 704
Simona Bonafè, Damiano Zoffoli, Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

Or. en

Justification

These products must be part of the review by the Commission and must be dealt with in the Toys Directive, since that is the relevant place to address them.

Amendment 705
Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi, Laura Agea, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

Or. it

Amendment 706
Julie Girling, Elisabetta Gardini

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 7
Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Justification

The balloon industry is already educating consumers through labelling and social media campaigns. There is no evidence to suggest costly additional measures will contribute significantly to reduced littering.

Amendment 707
Michel Dantin, Françoise Grossetête

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 7

Text proposed by the Commission

— Balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Amendment

— Balloons, except balloons in natural polypropylene (natural latex and rubber) balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications, that are not distributed to consumers

Or. fr

Amendment 708
Massimo Paolucci

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 7 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

-- Sticks to be attached to and to support balloons, except balloons for industrial or other professional uses and applications that are not distributed to consumers, including the mechanisms of
such sticks

Amendment 709
Massimo Paolucci, Jytte Guteland, Jo Leinen, Renata Briano, Miriam Dalli, Giorgos Grammatikakis

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 8

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Amendment 710
Danilo Oscar Lancini

Proposal for a directive
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(The products in Part B have been moved here.)

Amendment 711
Margrete Auken

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Agricultural plastic, including mulch film

Or. en

Justification

Farmers are likely aware of the plastics in their soils as they can see it. But the impact on their future yields is harder to predict. Research on the subject is scarce, but seems to point out that plastic in the soil could significantly reduce the quality of the soil.

Amendment 712
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Disposable nappies

Or. en

Amendment 713
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 a (new)
Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Disposable nappies

Or. fr

Amendment 714
Lynn Boylan, Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Disposable lighters

Or. en

Amendment 715
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Disposable pens

Or. fr

Amendment 716
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- Tubes of glue

Or. fr
Amendment 717
Younous Omarjee

Proposal for a directive
Annex I – part G – indent 9 d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

- Printer ink cartridges

Amendment

Or. fr