

# Consultation on the Single-Use Plastics Directive

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## [Single-use plastics and fishing gear measures – evaluation](#)

### The SUPD evaluation

Since July 2021, operators placing packaged food or beverages on the European Union (EU) market have had to comply with the objectives of the Single-Use Plastics Directive (a later date has applied for some requirements).

The European Commission has been collecting feedback from operators as part of a review of how the Single-Use Plastics Directive is working in practice. The Commission is also looking at whether some rules should be simplified to reduce administrative tasks and costs for companies.

### Actions

Operators within and outside the EU were invited to provide feedback via the European Commission's [Have Your Say](#) webpage until 17 March 2026.

### Timeline

The Commission is expected to publish the report by July 2027.

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