



PLASTIC WASTE MANAGEMENT IN CROATIA



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(generally)

- Plastic waste management in Republic of Croatia is regulated by the Waste Act and its implementing regulations
- Because of its valuable properties, plastic waste shall be separately collected, stored and recovered in valuable raw material or a new product



FORMATION OF PLASTIC WASTE

- ***industrial waste*** – waste from registered activities, resulting from the production process in industries, crafts and other processes, and differs in its composition and properties from municipal waste
- ***municipal waste*** - waste from households (and from other activities if is similar to waste from households)



OBLIGATIONS IN PLASTIC WASTE MANAGEMENT

(according to Waste Act)

- **separate collection**
- **separate storage**
- **recovery operations**



SUBJECTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES IN PLASTIC WASTE MANAGEMENT

- **Waste holder** - according to “polluter pays” principle
- **Collector** - according to his Licence from the Waste Act
- **Recovery operator** - according to his Licence from the Waste Act
- **Consumer** - responsibility for return of plastic waste to retailer or authorized person
- **Importer/exporter** - to import and export of plastic waste in accordance with national and European legislation
- **Waste carrier** - according to his Certificate from the Waste Act
- **Mediator** - according to his Certificate from the Waste Act



- **Retailer**- responsibility for taking waste plastic packaging from consumers
- **Household** - for the separation of plastic waste from other household waste

- **Ministry of Environmental and Nature Protection** - adoption of legislation and other acts, administrative and inspection supervision of the system, improvement of the system, etc.
- **Environmental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund** – managing of plastic waste which is in the system of fees, financing projects in plastic waste management
- **Environmental Protection Agency** – receiving of informations and preparation of reports on the management of plastic waste
- **Towns and Municipalities** - responsibility for separate collection and management with waste plastic from municipal waste



THE CURRENT STATE

- > 260 subjects in management with plastic packaging waste
- > 150 subjects in management with plastic from end-of-life vehicles
- >140 subjects in management with plastic from construction and demolition wastes
- > 200 subjects in management with plastic from municipal wastes



IMPROVEMENT OF THE CURRENT SYSTEM

- Establishment of a quality system for primary plastic waste separation, especially from households
- Rationalization costs of current system
- Adoption of new recycling technologies that are more efficient and more economical than existing



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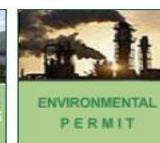
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Waste

- **Waste Act**
(OG No. 178/04, 111/06, 60/08, 87/09)
Provisional Translation (OG 178/04)
Provisional Translation (OG 111/06)
Provisional Translation (OG 60/08)
Provisional Translation (OG 87/09)
- **Regulation on categories, types and classification of waste with a waste catalogue and list of hazardous waste**
(OG No. 50/05, 39/09)
Provisional Translation (OG 50/05)
Provisional Translation (OG 39/09)
- **Ordinance on packaging and packaging waste**
(OG No. 97/05, 115/05, 81/08, 31/09, 156/09, 38/10, 10/11, 81/11, 126/11)
Provisional Translation (OG 97/05)
Provisional Translation (OG 31/09)
- **Decision on requirements regarding packaging labelling**
(OG No. 155/05, 24/06, 28/06)
- **Waste Management Strategy of the Republic of Croatia**
(OG No. 130/05)
Provisional Translation
- **Ordinance on waste tyre management**
(OG No. 40/06, 31/09, 156/09, 111/11)
Provisional Translation (OG 40/06)
Provisional Translation (OG 31/09)
- **Ordinance on the register of legal and natural persons dealing with intermediation activity in organising waste recovery and/or disposal, and of legal and natural persons dealing with the activity of non-hazardous waste export**
(OG No. 51/06)



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- Earth Day
22 April 2011
- Nature Protection Day
22 May
- World Environment Day 2011
5 June
- European Mobility Week
16-22 September
- International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer





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