

Q&A session

Open Public Consultation on new product priorities for Ecodesign for Sustainable Products

Online information session

10.03.2023



General I:

- 1. When can we expect adoption of the <u>first rules under ESPR</u>?
- 2. Can you give more information on the <u>horizontal measures</u>? How will these work in practice once adopted?
- 3. Will the product rules set under ESPR also apply to <u>products</u> <u>being exported</u>? (i.e. produced in the EU but not placed on the EU market)
- 4. Will ESPR rules cover product design only, or <u>industrial</u> <u>production processes too</u>?



General II:

- 5. At what <u>level</u> will rules be set? i.e. How "granular" will they be?
- 6. Why are <u>other groups of products</u> (e.g. construction material; packaging) not included in the current prioritization process?
- 7. What were the reasons for listing <u>chemicals</u> under the "intermediate product" category?
- 8. How will <u>transparency</u> of the rule-making process be ensured?



On energy-related products:

- 9. Why are <u>energy-related products</u> not included in the current consultation/background study and
- 10. How will <u>their prioritization</u> be addressed and by which methodology?
- 11. Will the <u>"horizontal measures"</u> cover energy-related products too?
- 12. How will this interact with the **Ecodesign & Energy Labelling** Working Plan 2022-24?



On end-use/intermediate products:

- 13. What is meant by 'end-use' product?
- 14. Why have <u>materials</u> been included in the prioritization process for ESPR (i.e. under "intermediate products")?
- 15. How does the Commission plan to regulate <u>both products</u> and <u>materials at the same time</u> under the ESPR, and how will e.g. risk of duplication be avoided?
- 16. What about <u>raw materials</u> such as e.g. lithium could they be seen as intermediate products?

Keep in touch



ec.europa.eu/



europeancommission



europa.eu/



@EuropeanCommission



@EU Commission



EUTube



@EuropeanCommission



EU Spotify





European Commission

© European Union 2022

Thank you

Unless otherwise noted the reuse of this presentation is authorised under the <u>CC BY 4.0</u> license. For any use or reproduction of elements that are not owned by the EU, permission may need to be sought directly from the respective right holders.

