

Customer PFAS and PPWR Declaration
Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on Packaging and Packaging Waste (PPWR) – Article 5

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Plum Safety issues this customer-facing declaration in relation to Article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on packaging and packaging waste (PPWR). Article 5(4) establishes a heavy-metals limit applicable to all packaging, which is the provision relevant to the products and packaging supplied by Plum Safety. Article 5(5), which applies from 12 August 2026, establishes PFAS limit values for food-contact packaging only; as the products and packaging supplied by Plum Safety are not food-contact packaging, the Article 5(5) PFAS restriction is not relevant to them.

At the time of this declaration, Plum Safety understands the applicable Article 5 thresholds to be:

1. HEAVY METALS (ARTICLE 5(4))

- 1.1. The sum of the concentrations of lead (Pb), cadmium (Cd), mercury (Hg), and hexavalent chromium (Cr(VI)) in packaging or packaging components must not exceed 100 mg/kg. This limit applies to all packaging placed on the EU market.

The PFAS restriction in Article 5(5) applies only to food-contact packaging. The products and packaging supplied by Plum Safety are not food-contact packaging; accordingly, the PFAS restriction in Article 5(5) is not relevant to the products and packaging supplied by Plum Safety.

2. UNIQUE IDENTIFICATION (ITEM NUMBER)

- 2.1. The unique identification number required in respect of Plum Safety packaging under the PPWR is identical to the relevant Plum Safety item number, which serves as the reference key linking each packaging item to its supporting technical documentation.
- 2.2. Danish: *Det unikke identifikationsnummer, der kræves i henhold til PPWR, er identisk med Plum Safetys varenummer, som fungerer som reference, der forbinder den enkelte emballage med den tilhørende tekniske dokumentation.*

3. CUSTOMER DECLARATION

- 3.1. Based on supplier information and representative assessment available to date, Plum Safety declares with respect to the Plum Safety products and packaging supplied to customers that:
- (a) the PFAS restriction in Article 5(5) applies only to food-contact packaging and is therefore not relevant to the products and packaging supplied by Plum Safety, which are not food-contact packaging; and
 - (b) under Article 5(4), the combined concentration of lead (Pb), cadmium (Cd), mercury (Hg), and hexavalent chromium (Cr(VI)) in applicable packaging and packaging components does not exceed 100 mg/kg.

4. BASIS AND QUALIFICATION

- 4.1. This declaration is based on supplier information available to Plum Safety, and a representative assessment of relevant materials.
- 4.2. Supporting evidence is held in the technical documentation referred to in Annex VII to the PPWR and is available to the competent national authorities on request.

5. MONITORING AND UPDATES

- 5.1. Plum Safety will continue to monitor regulatory and technical developments relating to PPWR compliance and will review and update this declaration as needed, including if any packaging supplied by Plum Safety becomes food-contact packaging or if the applicable requirements otherwise change.

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