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## **Product Eco-responsibility Ordinance**

## Resolution

(Under section 29 of the Product Eco-responsibility Ordinance (Cap. 603))

Resolved that the Product Eco-responsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) (Amendment) Regulation 2022, made by the Secretary for the Environment on 7 June 2022, be approved.

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# Product Eco-responsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) (Amendment) Regulation 2022

(Made by the Secretary for the Environment under section 29 of the Product Eco-responsibility Ordinance (Cap. 603) after consultation with the Advisory Council on the Environment and subject to the approval of the Legislative Council)

#### 1. Commencement

This Regulation comes into operation on 31 December 2022.

## 2. Product Eco-responsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) Regulation amended

The Product Eco-responsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) Regulation (Cap. 603 sub. leg. A) is amended as set out in section 3.

## 3. Schedule amended (forms)

(1) The Schedule, Form 1, Chinese version—

## Repeal

"5角"

#### Substitute

"\$1".

(2) The Schedule, Form 1, English version—

## Repeal

"50 cents"

#### Substitute

"\$1".

(3) The Schedule, Form 1, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), Chinese version—

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#### Section 3

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#### Repeal

"香港告士打道郵政局信箱 28000 號庫務署收"

#### Substitute

"庫務署指定的郵政局信箱".

(4) The Schedule, Form 1, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), Chinese version, after "繳款的日期。"—

#### Add

"如欲查詢庫務署指定的郵政局信箱資料,請致電庫務署熱線: 2845 8866 或瀏覽庫務署網站 http://www.try.gov.hk。".

(5) The Schedule, Form 1, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), English version—

#### Repeal

"Treasury, P.O. Box Number 28000, Gloucester Road Post Office, Hong Kong"

#### Substitute

"post office letter box designated by the Treasury".

(6) The Schedule, Form 1, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), English version, after "the date of payment."—

#### Add

"For information on the post office letter box designated by the Treasury, please call the Treasury's Hotline: 2845 8866 or visit the Treasury's website <a href="http://www.trv.gov.hk">http://www.trv.gov.hk</a>.".

(7) The Schedule, Form 2, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), Chinese version—

#### Repeal

"香港告士打道郵政局信箱 28000 號庫務署收"

#### Substitute

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"庫務署指定的郵政局信箱".

(8) The Schedule, Form 2, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), Chinese version, after "繳款的日期。"—

#### Add

"如欲查詢庫務署指定的郵政局信箱資料,請致電庫務署 熱 線: 2845 8866 或 瀏 覽 庫 務 署 網 站 http://www.trv.gov.hk。".

(9) The Schedule, Form 2, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), English version—

#### Repeal

"Treasury, P.O. Box Number 28000, Gloucester Road Post Office, Hong Kong"

#### Substitute

"post office letter box designated by the Treasury".

(10) The Schedule, Form 2, payment instructions, paragraph 1(e), English version, after "the date of payment."—

#### Add

"For information on the post office letter box designated by the Treasury, please call the Treasury's Hotline: 2845 8866 or visit the Treasury's website <a href="http://www.try.gov.hk.">http://www.try.gov.hk.</a>".

(11) The Schedule, Form 4, paragraph (a), Chinese version—

## Repeal

"5角"

#### Substitute

**"**\$1".

(12) The Schedule, Form 4, paragraph (a), English version—

## Repeal

"50 cents"

#### Substitute

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"\$1".



Secretary for the Environment

7 June 2022

Product Eco-responsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) (Amendment) Regulation 2022 Explanatory Note

Paragraph 1

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## **Explanatory Note**

This Regulation amends the Schedule to the Product Ecoresponsibility (Plastic Shopping Bags) Regulation (Cap. 603 sub. leg. A) to update—

- (a) the payment instructions as set out in Forms 1 and 2 in that Schedule; and
- (b) the reference in Forms 1 and 4 in that Schedule to the minimum amount prescribed under section 18A of the Product Eco-responsibility Ordinance (Cap. 603).
- 2. This Regulation comes into operation on 31 December 2022.