

Extended Producer Responsibility – January 2023 requirements

The Food Innovation Centre is reminding food and drink SMEs that the Extended Producer Responsibility packaging reforms begin from 1st January 2023.

These apply to businesses with an annual turnover of £1 million or more and which are responsible for over 25 tonnes of packaging in a calendar year (January to December).

The new regulations require industry to start collecting data on packaging waste. They build on existing waste laws and will be phased in, starting from January 2023.

Our Sustainable Food and Drink Packaging factsheet touches on the subject [here](#).

For in-depth details about the new rules, visit the section on the Government's website which provides further information about what is required of businesses. You can find the link [here](#).