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Dear Valued Customer:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the Packaging and Packaging Waste Regulation (PPWR), Regulation (EU) 2025/40.

Thermo Fisher Scientific recognizes its product compliance, regulatory and stewardship responsibilities and remains committed to monitoring applicable regulations, evaluating their potential impact, and addressing relevant obligations in a diligent and timely manner.

Thermo Fisher supports the EU's objective of reducing packaging waste and improving packaging circularity. The PPWR consolidates, updates, and harmonizes many existing EU packaging requirements, while also introducing new obligations that apply on phased timelines. Several requirements depend on secondary legislation, harmonized standards, or technical methodologies that have not yet been finalized. For this reason, confirmation of compliance with certain PPWR requirements must be appropriately aligned with the applicable legal effective dates and the availability of final regulatory criteria.

Our businesses are actively reviewing applicable packaging and packaged product portfolios, supplier information, and supporting technical documentation. Where a Declaration of Conformity is required, Thermo Fisher intends to begin making applicable Declarations available in line with the PPWR general application date of 12 August 2026.

Requests for additional information, including recycled content, recyclability, packaging composition, or other sustainability-related data will be addressed in coordination with the relevant implementation timeline.

Please do not hesitate to contact us at productcompliance@thermofisher.com for additional information.

Regards,



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