

## Racing against time to Transpose to Single-Use Plastics Directive

Across the globe, many countries are recognising the significant negative environmental and health impacts of single-use plastics and have enacted laws to tackle these items that are the biggest source of marine litter today.

Single-use plastics are made wholly or partly of plastic and are typically intended to be used just once or for a short period of time before they are thrown away.

Europe is on the frontline on the fight against single use plastics litter and approved a pioneering piece of legislation that aims to curb these products from entering the market and subsequently the natural environment.

Most member states have developed and approved their own legislation efforts to assure the to-be-banned products are restricted from the market by **July 3rd, 2021**.

As the countdown to SUP Ban begins, join the authoritative panel of speakers that will give you a comprehensive update on the SUP legal developments, what are leading countries doing to enforce the ban and how this will impact the plastics industry.

### Key Highlights:

- Status of implementation by the European Commission on the Single-Use Plastics Directive
- Regulatory landscape and progress on countries leading the way in SUP transposition – including France, Germany, United Kingdom
- An LCA perspective on choosing the best alternative for single use plastics

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# Countdown to SINGLE-USE PLASTICS BAN

28 APRIL 2021 14:00 CEST (GMT +2)

## MODERATOR

## SPEAKERS



**BERNARD CHASE**  
Plastic Recycling Specialist



**STUART FOSTER**  
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**VICTOR BELL**  
US Managing Director  
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EU & International Affairs Advisor  
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## 28 APRIL 2021, WEDNESDAY

### 13:00 - 14:00 PRE-NETWORKING

(Participants are strongly encouraged to Log on to get acquainted with CMT MEET Platform)

14:00 Welcome Remarks.  
Chairman's Introduction  
Bernard Chase  
Plastic Recycling Specialist

14:05 Status of implementation by the European Commission on the Single-Use Plastics Directive  
Rachida Semail, Partner  
Keller & Heckman LLP

### Regulatory landscape and progress on countries leading the way in SUP transposition

14:30 **France**  
The French regulatory landscape : from the reduction of single use to the promotion of the multiple use  
Axel Darut, EU Affairs & Data Advisor  
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14:55 **Germany**  
DRS situation in Germany and how this will be a solution for single use plastics  
Henriette Schneider  
Project Manager - Circular Economy  
Environmental Action Germany (DUH)

15:20 20 min - Networking Break  
(Participants are encouraged to visit CMT Connect and Networking Rooms)

15:40 **United Kingdom**  
Current and developing legislation relating to plastic packaging resources and recycling in the UK  
Stuart Foster, CEO, RECOUP

16:05 **Developments on SUP Ban in North America – regulatory framework, future directions**  
Victor Bell, US Managing Director  
Lorax EPI

16:30 **Choosing the best alternative for single use plastics – the LCA perspective**  
Agnieszka van Batavia, Packaging Sustainability & Regulatory Advisor  
The LCA Center

16:40 Final Discussion Closing Remarks.  
End of Watch Live.  
CMT Meet will continue to remain open for the next 24 hours to allow participants to enjoy extended networking time.