Can Deposit Return Systems (DRS) help Europe achieve circularity for all beverage packaging?

EU's Single Use Plastics (SUP) Directive requires that by 2029 – 90% of beverage bottles must be collected and that PET bottles must contact at least 25% recycled content by 2025.

DRS has proven to be a highly effective packaging collection scheme and is the most sustainable way to improve the quality of the materials to be recycled back into the loop.

To meet 2025 recycling targets, brandowners and packaging companies are scrambling to secure high quality materials and hence this has created an increasing amount of interest and uptake in DRS systems across Europe.

How can DRS be implemented successfully and what are the reasons behind such best practices? Can DRS maximise collection of ALL packaging including glass, carton, cans & PET packaging? How can the DRS be designed to ensure a level playing field for all types of packaging materials?

What are the important design criteria to ensure that all beverage containers are brought back for recycling? How has Covid 19 pandemic hindered consumers to return the packaging?

Sponsored by Insensiv, sign up for Improving Quality & Recycling Rates with DRS to find out more, as our top panel of speakers dive deeply into issues impacting the success of DRS in Europe and how it can be implemented in other parts of the world.

Email <u>hafizah@cmtsp.com.sg</u> if you require more information and/or wish to register.



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09:00 - 10:00 PRE-NETWORKING

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

10:05 Chairman's Opening Speech

10:10 How Do European Deposit Systems
Support Circular Economy
Development?

Anna Larsson, Director, Reloop Platform

10:35 Sharing our experience on DRS
- Perspective of a leading bottled water
brandowner
Alessandro Pasquale

Chief Executive Officer Karlovarské Minerální Vody, a.s - MATTONI 10:55 How to create a secure deposit system
- detection and quality assurance
technology for beverage packaging in
deposit systems and recycling initiatives
Eike Linnenbrügger-Mathieu

Eike Linnenbrügger-Mathie Head of Marketing & Sales insensiv GmbH

11:15 Improving recycling rates – Perspective from Carton, Glass & Can Industry

i) Glass

Vanessa Chesnot Senior Product Policy Manager European Container Glass Association (FEVE)

ii) Can

Maarten Labberton Director Packaging Group, European Aluminium Association - EAA Packaging Group

iii) Carton

12:15 Networking Break (Connect with one another on CMT Connect or Visit Networking Rooms)

12:30 Implementation of successful DRSs Perspective from the Baltics
Rauno Raal. Partner/Consultant

Rauno Raal, Partner/Consultant Earth Care Consulting

12:55 Future of DDRS – will it replace traditional DRS

Anthony McGurk, Co-Founder CryptoCycle Limited

13:15 Live Q&A.

Bringing it all together & wrapping up

13:20 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.