

Interministerial Order No. 001 / CAB / MIN / SME / 2012 and No. 003 CAB / MIN / ECO & COM / 2012 of August 21, 2012 prohibiting the manufacture, import and marketing of non-biodegradable packaging

The Minister of Industry, Small and Medium Enterprises,

The Minister of Economy and Trade.

Given the Constitution, as amended by Law No. 11/002 of 20 January 2011 revising certain articles of the Constitution of 16 February 2008;

Having regard to Ordinance No. 12/007 of 11 June 2012 on the functioning of the Government, practical collaboration between the President of the Republic and the Government and between the members of the Government;

Having regard to Ordinance No. 12/004 of 28 April 2012 on the appointment of Vice-Prime Ministers, Ministers, Deputy Minister and Deputy Ministers;

Considering the Ordinance n ° 12/008 of June 11, 2012 fixing the attributions of the Ministries;

Conscious of the need to clean up the environment and preserve the health of the population;

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Article 1:

The manufacture, import and marketing of non-biodegradable packaging is prohibited throughout the country.

Article 2:

It is granted from this date, a period of three months to all economic operators acting in this sector for the recycling of non-biodegradable packaging.

Article 3:

Any economic operator in the industrial sector involved in the use of packaging materials biodegradable is required under the supervision of the Administrations of Industry, Small and Medium Enterprises and Economy and Commerce, to participate in the management of the waste resulting from these activities on the one hand, and on the other hand to fully comply with the regulations of this Order.

Article 4:

In case of violation of the provisions of this Order, the offender's authorizations to operate will be fully revoked.

Article 5:

All previous provisions contrary to this Order are repealed.

Article 6:

The Secretaries-General for Industry, National Economy and Trade are each responsible for monitoring the implementation of this Regulation and the implementation of this Order interdepartmental, which comes into force on the date of its signature.

Kinshasa, August 21, 2012

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