

Are you a responsible waste producer?

Date

Tuesday 18th May
2010

Time

09:00 – 15:00

Venue

Knowsley Hall
Prescot
Merseyside
L34 4AG

Producer responsibility laws require businesses to reuse, recover and recycle waste which comes from products they produce. The types of waste include waste electronic and electrical equipment (WEEE), waste packaging and waste batteries.

The UK must meet its national targets for recovery and recycling of these wastes set under European Union (EU) Directives. To meet these targets, compliance schemes have been set up to take on the legal obligation of producers who join the scheme. To be compliant, businesses must register every year, either with the Environment Agency or through a compliance scheme. Producers and compliance schemes must obtain evidence that a set percentage of their contribution to this waste stream has been recovered or recycled.

This event is aimed at businesses who have to comply with producer responsibility legislation for packaging, electrical items and batteries. Delivered in partnership with Valpak, a leading provider of responsible compliance and recycling solutions, this event will provide you with an understanding of your responsibilities as a waste producer.

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Programme

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| 09:00 – 09:45 | Registration |
| 09:45 – 10:00 | Introduction Amy Glover, Envirolink Northwest |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | An introduction to the packaging regulations: The reason for the packaging regulations, thresholds, next steps, packaging recovery notes (PRNs), data and achievements to date with the system. We will also discuss what large retail clients may look for from suppliers with regards to the packaging regulations Jane McAllister and Trevor Yong, Valpak |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Refreshment break |
| 11:30 – 12:30 | An introduction to the WEEE and batteries regulations: Thresholds, next steps of complying, achievements to date and targets going forward Jane McAllister and Trevor Yong, Valpak |
| 12:30 – 13:30 | Lunch |
| 13:30 – 14:10 | Embedding resource efficiency in key sector: Funded support to help your business improve resource efficiency, including advice on waste, management, case studies and training Lavinia Cooke, Groundwork Merseyside |
| 14:10 – 14:30 | The services that Valpak Recycling (North West) can offer your business Liz Kidd and Damien Perkins, Valpak |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | Networking opportunity An opportunity to discuss: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Valpak service offering in more detail• One-to-one support through the waste producer programme |
| 15:00 | Close |

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