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Hi,  
Below are my responses to the consultation questions in the DRS document.  
The Report recommends a centralised, operational model for Ireland. Do you agree with this recommendation?

Yes I agree.

What role should waste collectors play in the operation of a DRS?

They should actively encourage it's use and support

The DRS study proposes a deposit per container of €0.20. Do you think this is appropriate? If not should it be higher or lower or should different deposit rates apply depending on container size?

20 cent is appropriate and a higher scale for larger containers would be good.

Consumers need to know about a DRS long before it becomes operational – do you have any suggestions as to how best the introduction of a DRS can be communicated to the public?

Digital campaigns would be ideal. TheJournal website, Twitter and possibly Dublin Bus or Bus shells near schools etc. School campaigns are very important too. Definitely do not pursue a paper/pamphlet

Campaign.

What enforcement measures should be considered in parallel with the introduction of a DRS?

Fines. But how to enforce it may be a very open question and may not be possible.

How should cross-border issues be treated to ensure producers are not at a competitive disadvantage relative to producers in Northern Ireland?

I don't know how to enforce such a thing. ROI and NI products have different rates depending on where they are alongside markers on the containers for where they came from.

Thank you,

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