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I'm writing in relation to the open consultation on the proposed Deposit Return Scheme.

I am very much in favour of such a scheme. Having previously lived in Germany, I can testify to how successful such a scheme can be in reducing glass and can waste – in that sense, this is a largely "solved problem", with a readily reproducible blueprint for implementation.

The introduction of such incentives results in a number of positive consequences, such as the introduction of machines for sorting waste in supermarkets, etc.

In terms of marketing this scheme, this could easily be promoted as the logical successor to the plastic bag tax, which was enthusiastically adopted here with some pride.

I greatly look forward to the introduction of a Deposit Return Scheme, and think it will be a great success.

Regards, [Redacted]  
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