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To whom it may concern,

Please find attached our response to the Dr's public consultation.

Kind regards,

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Response of Fenit Development Association to the public consultation on the Deposit Return Scheme

We agree that the Deposit Return Scheme should follow a Centralised Operational mode.

We believe that waste collectors should play a pivotal role in this scheme. A tender could be carried out to decide which Waste Collection Company is a best fit for each area. The correct company should be awarded a contract and monetary reward provided by the scheme operator.

We believe that 20 cent is adequate for a standard 300 ml recyclable. However, we believe that offering a larger sum for a larger container would entice people to use the scheme more often.

We feel that the use of Social Media is one of the best ways to publicise a DRS as it is free and far reaching. Other methods include T.V/Media. A flyer sent to households in the area outlining the benefits of a DRS and the mode of operation would also be a good idea.

We believe that Enforcement should be independent from producers and those involved in the scheme and should be carried out by the Environmental Agencies. The requirement for producers to meet targets needs to be monitored and if targets are not met there should be penalties enforced.

We feel that Irish DRS should complement rather than compete with cross border schemes. Environmental protection and climate issues are a global concern and therefore cross-border countries should be will to assist each other.