

## APPENDIX 1

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### **Requirements for the registration of a reuse system to obtain grandfathering in accordance with Article 26 (1) sentence 2 PPWR:**

1. The aim of the reuse system is to ensure that the main components of the collected packaging can complete as many cycles as possible under normally foreseeable conditions of use.
2. The reuse system concerns packaging that
  - are listed in Article 29(1) of the PPWR,
  - are designed, developed and placed on the market with the aim of being reused several times for the same purpose for which they were originally intended,
  - can be emptied, unloaded, refilled or reloaded,
  - can be reprocessed under normal conditions of use
  - and do not become waste during the cycle.
3. When emptying/unloading, collecting, processing and reusing the packaging, the requirements relating to food safety and consumer health, safety and hygiene are complied with.
4. The system takes organisational, technical or financial precautions to ensure that packaging can be reused, either in closed or open loop systems. <sup>1</sup>Actual reuse of each individual item of packaging in the system is neither technically possible nor legally required.
5. The system is available in markets where the packer/filler is responsible for placing the packaged product on the market.
6. The system informs affected economic players along the value chain.
7. The system has a written governance structure, laid down as part of the initiative, which contains a description of the reuse system.

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<sup>1</sup> Also included are systems for packaging that cannot currently be technically reused for the same purpose, but for which the possibility of reuse is to be created with regard to the reuse obligations from 2030 - as defined by INSPIRE.