



CUSTOMER INFORMATION

EU Packaging and Packaging Waste Regulation (PPWR) Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on packaging and packaging waste (As of: 8 September 2026)

Dear Sir or Madam,

Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on packaging and packaging waste (PPWR) has generally applied since 12 August 2026. It introduces new requirements for packaging and the economic operators involved. Individual requirements take effect in stages, and some will be further specified through additional EU legal acts, standards and requirements issued by the competent authorities.

Implementation at GMN

For many years, GMN has been working continuously to improve the sustainability of its packaging. We are addressing the requirements of the PPWR through a structured implementation process and continue to develop our packaging and related processes in line with the applicable requirements.

Intended use of our packaging

GMN packaging is intended for business-to-business transactions and for the packaging, protection and transport of technical products. It is not intended for other uses by third parties, refilling for purposes other than its intended use, or the packaging of food.

Role-based provision of information

The nature and scope of the information and supporting evidence to be provided depend on the respective roles of GMN and the business partner in the supply chain, the type of packaging, the distribution channel and the country of destination.

Where GMN is the manufacturer of packaging within the meaning of the PPWR, responsibility for the conformity assessment, technical documentation and EU declaration of conformity generally rests with GMN. The complete technical documentation must be kept available to the competent authorities. Blanket disclosure of all detailed data, supplier data and supporting evidence to all customers is not envisaged.

Professional end users who use the products supplied and do not make them further available on the market in the form supplied generally do not assume a country-specific role as a producer as a result of that supply.

Consequently, additional information for their own registration or reporting obligations is generally not required solely on account of their status as end users.

Business partners who make GMN products further available on the market in a Member State and qualify there as producers within the meaning of the PPWR under the specific supply and distribution arrangements may contact GMN with their specific requests. GMN reviews the information needed in each case and provides the information that is required for the relevant role and is available. This may include, in particular, information on packaging materials, weights, material proportions, recycling codes and recycled content, as well as available supplier declarations and supporting evidence.

To assess your request, we require:

- the GMN article number,
- the delivery or packaging variant concerned,
- the country of destination,
- the role of the requesting company, and
- the specific information required.



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Your contact

If you have questions about the PPWR or packaging-related information, please contact your designated GMN sales representative. They will coordinate your request within GMN and arrange for the review and provision of the required information.

Scope of this information

This general customer information describes the current status of implementation at GMN. It does not constitute an article-specific or packaging-specific EU declaration of conformity under Article 39 of the PPWR, nor does it constitute an assurance regarding specific packaging characteristics.

Packaging-specific statements are provided on the basis of the information available and reviewed in each case, the specific allocation of roles and the legal requirements in effect at the time of the assessment.

Our aim is to implement the PPWR in a legally compliant, transparent and practical manner for our customers.

Nuremberg, September 2026

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signed

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