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My Tasks and Goals

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ARTICLE 1: How should plastic packaging of fruit and vegetables be dealt with in the EU?



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People should pay €1 extra for each plastic packaging.

Companies should voluntarily give up plastic packaging.

WHY?

- A plastic ban is effective: very soon, it will result in much less plastic waste. We might be able to save our environment that way.
- We don't know for sure if voluntary regulations will work. Maybe in 5 years we would notice that nothing has changed.

MORE REASONS/NOTES:



Get to know me better!

Who am I?

I am 58 years old and come from Valencia.
Before I was elected, I worked in the city hall.

Why am I in politics?

I want people to be well off. And everyone should have the same opportunities.
That also means that we have to protect the environment for the next generations.

What is my job?

I am a Member of the European Parliament. There I negotiate with 719 others about what new laws there should be.

Sounds exhausting?

It really is. But I am not alone!
Everyone from the Socialist Group has common goals:
Social justice and environmental protection.

This happens step by step:



ARTICLE 2: When should the law take effect?

immediately



in 2 years

in 10 years

WHY?

- Companies need some time to develop environmentally friendly packaging. A law that takes effect immediately would overburden them.
- But 10 years would be excessive. By then, we will suffocate in plastic waste!

MORE REASONS/NOTES:



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