

Tackling Scotland's Throwaway Culture Introducing Market Restrictions on Problematic Single-Use Plastic Items in Scotland Public Consultation

1	Do you have any comments you would like to make regarding the scope of the provisions proposed in these draft regulations?
Scottish Water has no comment to make.	
2	Do you have any comments you would like to make regarding the scope of the exemptions to provisions proposed in these draft regulations?
Scottish Water has no comment to make.	
3	Do you have any other comments on the draft regulations that you would like to make?
<p>Scottish Water has concerns that the definitions in the interpretation section are not sufficiently clear and we recommend the following.</p> <p>We consider that in PART 1, Interpretation 2) m (ii), n (ii), o (ii), p (ii) & q (i), "made wholly or partly from plastic" should be replaced with "made wholly or partly from plastic or oxo degradable plastic".</p> <p>We consider that a definition of "polystyrene" should be included in PART 1, Interpretation of the Regulations.</p> <p>We also consider that a definition of oxo biodegradable plastic should be included and it be specified that the Regulations exclude this type of plastic as it will breakdown to the molecular level and not form microplastics.</p>	