



**MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTRY  
REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA**

# **NATIONAL POLICY ON PROMOTING ESM OF PLASTIC WASTE IN INDONESIA**

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# LEGAL BASIC FOR WASTE IMPORTATION

1. Act No. 32/2009 regarding Environmental Protection and Management, article 69, (1):  
Everyone is prohibited to do the following
  - point (c). Bring in wastes from outside of Indonesia into the Indonesia territory (explanation: except for those governed by the law and regulations from other ministry)
  - point (d). Bring in hazardous waste into Indonesian territory
2. Act No. 18/2008 regarding Domestic Solid Waste Management, article 29:  
Everyone is prohibited to bringing in domestic solid waste into Indonesia territory
3. Ministry of Trade regulation No. 84/2019 juncto No. 92/2019 juncto No. 58/2020 juncto No. 83/2020 regarding Provision for Importation of Non Hazardous Waste as Industrial Raw Material

# **Renewal of Import Requirements In Accordance with The Regulation of The Minister of Trade No. 84/2019 Juncto No. 92/2019 Juncto No. 58/2020 Juncto No. 83/2020**

- ✓ Prohibition of non hazardous waste being imported are:
  - a. does not originate from landfill activities;
  - b. not a household/municipal solid waste and/or not mixed with trash;
  - c. not contaminated with hazardous substance and hazardous waste; and
  - d. homogeneous.
  
- ✓ Every non hazardous waste importer should provide statement letter from the exporter to make sure non hazardous waste being imported is meets the requirements (as above) and willing to take responsibility and accept the turning back if not suit to the statement.
  
- ✓ Exporter should be a Registered Exporter which already got approval from The Republic of Indonesia representative in the country where the exporter origin and should be the same country with the source of non hazardous waste  
→ (valid since 1 January 2021)

# CURRENT CONDITION OF PLASTIC WASTE POLICY

- Product of recycling industry who is using scrap plastic importation at least must be as down stream product (end product)
- Plastic importer should fulfill the requirement of integrity pact that the scrap plastic importation should not exceed than 50% of facility capacity because the rest must be fulfilled by national source
  - the importer must be Producer Importers who use the plastic waste importation by themselves
- Plastic Industry is being encouraged to use local plastic waste optimally which internally we have to develop the mechanism of national collection on plastic waste

## NUMBER OF REGISTERED EXPORTER (STATUS BY 4 OCTOBER 2020)

| Country       | Amount |
|---------------|--------|
| New Zealand   | 6      |
| Australia     | 14     |
| United States | 37     |
| Philippine    | 1      |
| Chile         | 2      |
| Brazil        | 1      |
| Japan         | 25     |
| Norway        | 1      |
| Canada        | 1      |

*source: Ministry of Foreign Affairs*

# INDONESIA PLASTIC INDUSTRY



The national downstream plastics industry consists of about 1,580 companies producing various kinds of plastic products. There are 892 companies that produce packaging

The total requirement reaches 5,635 million tons

The potential for plastic consumption in Indonesia is quite large, driven by the growth of the food industry and beverages which are quite high (8 - 10% / year) where the food and beverage industries the largest plastic user (about 40% of plastic for packaging)

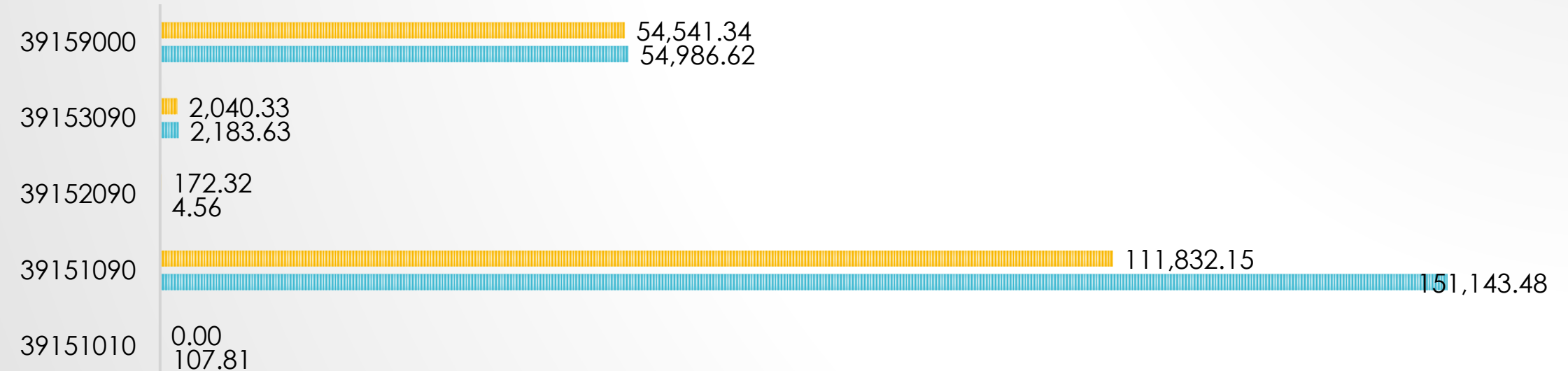
The development of the plastic industry is still constrained by the fulfillment of raw materials. Dependency imported plastic raw materials are still high (since national source is lack of collection)

# RESPOND ON PLASTICS AMENDMENT

- Based on the list of types of plastic waste contained in the appendix of the Minister of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia regulation No. 84 of 2019, almost all types of plastic waste listed in the annex of that Regulation as it is stated in annex IX of the Basel Convention, except for 2 (two) types of plastic waste which are **Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) and Polyvinyl Acetate (PVA)**
- Means that these two types of plastic waste are categorized into annex II which is a category of waste that needs PIC procedure on transboundary movement
- Indonesia will follow the PIC procedure for annex II determined by the Basel Convention further

# STATUS OF PLASTICS SCRAP IMPORTATION IN 2018 - 2019

## IMPORT OF PLASTICS SCRAP BY HS CODE

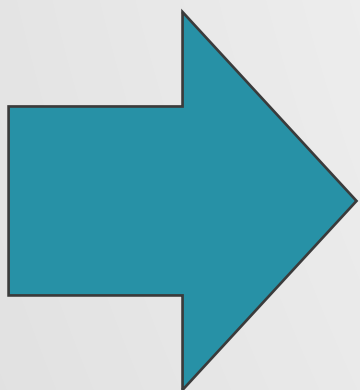


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|-----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 07-Nov-19 | 0.00     | 111,832.15 | 172.32   | 2,040.33 | 54,541.34 |
| 2018      | 107.81   | 151,143.48 | 4.56     | 2,183.63 | 54,986.62 |

- Year 2019 the importation being issued are 39 permits with 966.125,00 tones quota
- Importation from Januari to 7 Nov 2019 are: 168.586,14 tones (real importation)



## REALIZATION OF PLASTICS SCRAP IMPORTATION IN 2018 -2019



| ORIGIN COUNTRY | YEAR 2018         | JAN S.D 7 NOV 2019 | TOTAL             |
|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| AUSTRALIA      | 41190,749         | 32152,443          | 73343,192         |
| BELGIUM        | 21034,567         | 23243,318          | 44277,885         |
| CANADA         | 2094,97           | 602,751            | 2697,721          |
| CHILE          | 0                 | 333,92             | 333,92            |
| FIJI           | 30,142            | 13,13              | 43,272            |
| FRANCE         | 6780,793          | 8839,601           | 15620,394         |
| GERMANY        | 41080,833         | 23762,17           | 64843,003         |
| GREECE         | 281,36            | 624,28             | 905,64            |
| HONDURAS       | 204,853           | 205,525            | 410,378           |
| HONG KONG      | 3294,446          | 1345,404           | 4639,85           |
| ITALY          | 213,833           | 0                  | 213,833           |
| JAMAICA        | 39,45             | 13,58              | 53,03             |
| JAPAN          | 8142,68           | 8358,99            | 16501,67          |
| MALAYSIA       | 621,279           | 955,247            | 1576,526          |
| MALTA          | 37,12             | 344,995            | 382,115           |
| MEXICO         | 565,976           | 575,817            | 1141,793          |
| MOROCCO        | 0                 | 93,68              | 93,68             |
| NETHERLANDS    | 23650,03          | 22105,25           | 45755,28          |
| NEW ZEALAND    | 10619,708         | 6868,659           | 17488,367         |
| OMAN           | 0                 | 90,84              | 90,84             |
| PANAMA         | 15,24             | 0                  | 15,24             |
| PHILIPPINES    | 0                 | 93,805             | 93,805            |
| POLAND         | 0                 | 489,328            | 489,328           |
| PORTUGAL       | 213,8             | 230,34             | 444,14            |
| RÉUNION        | 129,15            | 0                  | 129,15            |
| SIERRA LEONE   | 0                 | 295,44             | 295,44            |
| SINGAPORE      | 10036,862         | 7361,838           | 17398,7           |
| SLOVENIA       | 2328,188          | 7118,97            | 9447,158          |
| SOUTH AFRICA   | 0                 | 69,466             | 69,466            |
| SOUTH KOREA    | 1082,15           | 87,509             | 1169,659          |
| SPAIN          | 3941,242          | 3097,18            | 7038,422          |
| TAIWAN         | 332,089           | 298,336            | 630,425           |
| THAILAND       | 0                 | 212,83             | 212,83            |
| TURKEY         | 0                 | 142,83             | 142,83            |
| UNITED KINGDOM | 3138,11           | 2261,044           | 5399,154          |
| UNITED STATES  | 27326,469         | 16278,102          | 43604,571         |
| VIET NAM       | 0                 | 19,52              | 19,52             |
|                | <b>208.426,09</b> | <b>168.586,14</b>  | <b>377.012,23</b> |

# TERIMA KASIH THANK YOU

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