

S.I. 81 of 2020**ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION ACT, 2016***(Act 18 of 2016)***Environment Protection (Environmental Levies on PET, Plastic and Glass Bottles and Cans) Regulations, 2020**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 80(1) (b) of the Environment Protection Act, 2016, the Minister responsible for environment makes the following regulations —

1. These regulations may be cited as the Environment Protection (Environmental Levies on PET, Plastic and Glass Bottles and Cans) Regulations, 2020 and shall come into operation on 1st July, 2020.

Citation

2. The description of goods and their applicable levies shall be as specified in the Schedule.

Description of goods and applicable levy

3. Notwithstanding regulation 2, the producers who currently have a scheme approved by the Ministry for the collection and recycling of glass bottles which are being used for bottling of alcoholic beverages shall be exempt from payment of the environmental levy on glass bottles under these regulations.

Exemption

SCHEDULE**Environmental Levies on PET, Plastic and Glass Bottles and Cans**

Column (1)	Column (2)	Column (3)
Item	Description of Goods	Levy (SCR)
1.	Glass bottles containing alcoholic beverages	SCR 2.00/bottle
2.	Empty glass bottles used for bottling of alcoholic beverages.	SCR 2.00/bottle
3.	PET bottles containing beverages	SCR 1.00/bottle

4.	Plastic bottles containing beverages	SCR 1.00/bottle
5.	Bottles in performs of plastics including PET	SCR 1.00/bottle
6.	Empty cans used for beverages	SCR 1.00/can
7.	Cans containing beverages	SCR 1.00/can

MADE this 30th day of June, 2020.

**WALLACE COSGROW
MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT,
ENERGY AND CLIMATE CHANGE**
