







Use of carbon in the chemical Industry: On 24 May, during the Competitiveness Council, Roland Lescure, the French Minister for Industry, **presented** an initiative on a 'European Sustainable Carbon Policy Package'.

PFAS: On 27 May, ten members of the PAN Europe network published a <u>report</u> on the presence of trifluoroacetic acid, a product of PFAS, in groundwater and surface water samples.

PFAS in France: On 30 May, the French Senate <u>passed</u> the PFAS Green Bill proposal.

PFAS in Denmark: Denmark's Ministry of the Environment has announced **plans** to ban PFAS in clothing, shoes and waterproofing agents intended for consumers from 1 July 2026.

Ecodesign for Sustainable Products Regulation (ESPR): On 27 May, the Council **adopted** the new ESPR.

Net-Zero Industry Act (NZIA): On 28 May, the Council <u>adopted</u> the Net-Zero Industry Act.

Right-to-repair Directive (R2R): On 30 May, the Council adopted the R2R directive.

Energy Charter Treaty (ECT): On 30 May, the Council gave the final **green light** for the European Union's withdrawal from the ECT.

Place of climate in the Council's strategic agenda: In an <u>open letter</u> dated 30 May, NGOs regret that the fact that the climate is not mentioned more in the Council's strategic agenda.

Hy2Move project: On 28 May, the European Commission <u>approved</u> 1.4 billion euros for the pan-European Hy2Move project.

Regions and cities shaping the European Green Deal 2.0 report: On 29 May, the Committee of the Regions (CoR) published a **report** on the Green Deal and its funding.

Plastics recycled content requirements paper: On 24 May, the OECD Environment Policy Committee published a <u>paper</u> on plastic recycled content requirements.

Thierry Breton statement on European Funds: In a <u>note</u> on LinkedIn, Thierry Breton, the Commissioner for the Internal Market, stated that he wants to restrict European funds for products made outside of the EU.

Survey on Attitudes of Europeans towards Environment: In May, the European Commission published the results of a <u>survey</u> on the attitudes of Europeans towards the environment.

FEAD News: On 30 May, FEAD's senior Legal & Policy Officer, Aizea Astor-Hoschen gave a presentation on the impact of the revised waste shipment regulation for the plastics recycling industry during Denuo's **event** 'Plastic Matters' on legislative challenges in the transition to a circular economy.







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