







European Council, and Estonia's current Prime Minister <u>Kaja Kallas</u> as the EU's foreign policy service chief.

**European Council meeting (conclusions):** The European Council meeting took place on 28 June during which conclusions were <u>adopted</u>.

**Draft agendas for Council meetings (Hungarian Presidency):** The Hungarian Presidency has <u>published</u> its draft agenda for Council meetings for the upcoming months.

Classification, Labelling of Products (CLP): On 17 June, ECHA <u>announced</u> that they have agreed to a new EU-wide project to check that hazardous mixtures present in products, such as air fresheners or electronic cigarettes, are classified, labelled and packaged correctly to protect consumers and children from chemical hazards.

**Hydrogen Core Network (HCN):** On 21 June, the European Commission <u>approved</u> a three billion euros scheme to support the establishment of a German 'Hydrogen core network'.

**Hydrogen Europe Position Paper:** Hydrogen Europe has <u>published</u> a position paper in which it calls for clarification on the rules on imported hydrogen.

**Emissions Trading System - Poland (ETS):** On 27 June, Katarzyna Pełczyńska-Nałêcz, the Polish Minister of Development Funds and Regional Policy, **stated** on X that question about the ETS2 must be raised at the next European summit.

Industrial Emissions Directive - clarification by the Court of Justice of the EU: The Court of Justice of the EU <u>clarified</u> the interpretation of the 2010 directive on industrial emissions in a judgement delivered on 25 June at the request of the court in Milan.

**Electricity Market Design:** On 26 June, the revision of the **Regulation** and **Directive** that constitute the reform of the electricity market design were published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They will enter into force on 16 July.

European Scientific Advisory Board on Climate Change (ESABCC) evaluation: On 27 June, the ESABCC, which is a group of experts set up by the European climate law, published an <u>evaluation</u> of the long-term energy infrastructure planning and development <u>scenarios</u> prepared by ENTSO-E and ENTSOG.

Security of the supply of gas in the EU - report by European Court of Auditors: The European Court of Auditors says in a <u>report</u> published on 24 June that the security of supply of gas in the EU is incomplete and that its effectiveness remains to be demonstrated.

The European Commission published a <u>response</u> to the European Court of Auditors' report.

### Key air pollutant emissions report: The European Environment

<u>Agency</u> has <u>published</u> a briefing on key air pollutant emissions. It describes progress made by the EU and its Member States towards reducing emissions of the five main air pollutants regulated under the National Emission Reduction Commitments Directive.

**NGOs reactions to Strategic Agenda:** On 25 June, NGOs <u>published</u> a letter addressed to European politicians in which they state that 'we must abandon the program of an 'industrial deal'.

**European Commission - France:** On 27 June, Emmanuel Macron announced his approval of a second term as European Commissioner for Thierry Breton reports French media **Le Monde**.

**European Parliament - S&D:** On 26 June, the Social Democrats political group **elected** ten people to be their Vice-Presidents: Ana Catarina Mendes, Alex Agius Saliba, **Mohammed Chahim**, **Christophe Clergeau**, Helene Frtizon, Gaby Bischoff, Joannis Maniatis, Eero Heinaluoma, **Kathleen Van Brempt**. On 25 June, Iratxe García Pérez was re-elected as S&D President.

European Parliament - Greens/EFA: On 25 June, the Greens/EFA elected their Vice-Presidents which include Kira Marie P., Alice Bah Kuhnke, Marie Toussaint, Virginijus Sinkevičius, Ignazio Marino and Sergey Lagodinsky. A week earlier, the group elected its two co-chairs, Terry Reintke from Germany and Bas Eickhout from the Netherlands. Contexte reports that while most people expect Virginijus Sinkevičius to sit on the ENVI Committee, sources have let them know that the MEP has expressed ambitions to sit on the ITRE Committee.

**FEAD News:** Last week was eventful at FEAD! We sent out the save the date for our October event in collaboration with CAObH, visited the Guilliams Green Power Group

biogas production plant near Brussels, participated in the JRC plastic EoW workshop, and held the second part of Committee 3.







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### Main goals of the 14th International Recycling Logistics Conference:

- presentation of basic responsibilities related to packaging and packaging waste in warehouse logistics - e-commerce seller and waste collector,
- discussion of issues related to waste incineration plants as an indispensable element of the circular economy,
- familiarizing participants with waste management solutions in the European Union,
- developing the assumptions of green business models within the Circular Economy,

- · taxonomy in the company,
- basic responsibilities in environmental protection.

# **Registration**



We are excited to announce a special event co-organized by FEAD and CAObH, our member from the Czech Republic, taking place on **30-31 October 2024**, in the beautiful city of Prague.

We encourage all our members to attend this two-day event, as our **Executive Council** will also be taking place. It's the perfect opportunity for us to meet up and discuss pressing issues in the waste sector.

## **Registrations**



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Circulaire-IT: Afvalbeheerassociatie FEAD wil circulaire materiaalgebruikswet voor EU

RecyclingToday: FEAD publishes manifesto calling for European circular material use act

Resource: EUROPEAN LEADERS ASKED TO INTRODUCE AN EU CIRCULAR MATERIAL USE ACT

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