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# Eco-contributions: all your obligations!

If your company manufactures products sold on the French market, you should be concerned by one of the 20 extended producer responsability (EPR) sectors.

Are you concerned ? What are your obligations ? What are the penalties in case of failure ?

### **YOUR CHALLENGES**

French and foreign « manufacturers » of waste-generating products have to fulfill several obligations:

- Adhesion to an eco-organism
- Obtention of a unique ID
- Preparation of a preventive and ecoconcepted plan
- Annual declaration of the products released for consumption
- Payment of eco-contributions to ecoorganisms
- Indication of signage and sorting instructions on the products (Triman's logo)
- Information of the customers concerning the environmental characteristics of certain products

A manufacturer failing to fulfill its obligations incurs a fine of up to € 7 500 per unity (i.e. per product) or ton of products released for consumption

### **OUR PRACTICAL ASSISTANCE**

- Identify your obligations
- Support your company with the adhesion to an eco-organism, the preparation of the annual declaration and the payment of eco-contributions
  - Analyze if you are concerned by the EPR and determine your sector(s)
  - Assistance in choosing and subscribing to an eco-organism, obtention of a unique ID
  - Help with gathering information, preparing the annual declaration and paying eco-contributions
  - Assistance in case of penalties applied: request for a total or partial waiver

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