

## [\*\*Press release: Businesses urged to get ready for reforms to cut packaging waste\*\*](#)

Reporting requirements for the Extended Producer Responsibility scheme for packaging come into force today.

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## [\*\*Guidance: RPA Customer Privacy Notices\*\*](#)

Find out how the Rural Payments Agency (RPA) handles your personal data

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## [\*\*Press release: Thames Water fined £2m for “foreseeable and avoidable” pollution\*\*](#)

Oxfordshire water contamination “reckless failure” – judge

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## [\*\*Policy paper: Highly Protected Marine Areas\*\*](#)

The paper outlines the rationale for Highly Protected Marine Areas, gives an overview of the candidate site selection process and provides consultation details.

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# Press release: Highly Protected Marine Areas to be designated in English waters

Government today announces three Highly Protected Marine Areas will be designated by July 2023