

Norway on Article 2 Definitions Contact group 1

We support to only define a few concepts, as technical definitions can be developed in technical guidance. We do not support the definition put forward for plastic pollution limiting this to plastic waste.

“plastics” means [...]; materials made of synthetic or semi-synthetic polymers which may contain additives or other chemicals.

(.) “plastic products” means [...]; a product made wholly or partly of plastic.

Waste is defined in Basel, so there would only be a need to add "waste consisting wholly or partly of plastic."

(.) “microplastics” means [...]; Microplastics refers to plastic particles less than five millimetres in any dimension, including nano-sized particles.