

Thailand's view on Article 6 Supply

Thailand fully supports the UNEA 5/14 resolution to end plastic pollution through an international legally binding instrument. This instrument must address plastic pollution comprehensively throughout the full lifecycle of plastics, and align with the waste management hierarchy and circular economy principles.

We stress the importance of **reducing the oversupply of unnecessary plastic products** and **managing plastic production and consumption at sustainable levels**. **Data and transparency** are crucial for enabling the transition to a circular economy, optimizing resource use, and improving recycling systems.

Thailand calls for support in engaging local communities, civil society, private sectors, and informal workers to promote a just transition. **Global capping of plastic production**, if included, should focus on **sustainable levels subjected to actionable measures, with exemptions** for developing countries and essential applications.

Thank you.