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## General customer information on packaging

The German Packaging Act (Verpackungsgesetz) provides under § 7 an obligation of manufacturers and distributors to take back sales packaging nationwide via a so-called “dual system”, if the sales packaging and repackaging typically accumulate with private consumers (B2C) (s. § 3 (8)).

SICK’s packaging does not accumulate with private consumers since it delivers **exclusively to business customers (B2B)** and final customers of our products are typically not private consumers or similar accumulation points according to § 3 (11). Therefore, the obligations for taking back packaging waste and licensing our packaging via a “dual system” is **not applicable for SICK**.

Our repackaging and transport packaging made from cardboard are licensed with “Resy”. Hereby it is guaranteed that the packaging is recyclable and recovered by paper and corrugated board industry. A disposal service is not associated with this.

## Restriction of Hazardous Substances

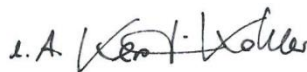
The placing on the market of packaging or packaging components in which the cumulative concentration of lead, cadmium, mercury and chromium VI exceeding 100 milligrams per kilogram is prohibited.

All SICK products are developed and manufactured according to the applicable regulations. To the best of our knowledge, our products delivered to you do not contain any substances that, pursuant to Directive No. 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste (article 11) or the German Packaging Act (§ 5) (Verpackungsgesetz), respectively, may not be placed on the market.

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