International policy landscape for marine litter

SETTING THE SCENE

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International framework
International priorities
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To develop and implement action plans for:

• preventing marine litter and the discharge of microplastics
• encouraging resource efficiency
• increasing collection and recycling rates of plastic waste
• increasing re-design and re-use of products and materials
• avoiding unnecessary use of plastic
• avoiding plastic containing chemicals of particular concern
Regional framework