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Maine is known as a recycling leader for passing the Extended Producer Responsibility for Packaging law. It's long past time that big corporations help cover the cost of recycling the packaging they produce.

This rollback bill, misleadingly titled "An Act to Improve Recycling," won't do anything except repeal a really good bill. It's a wish list for the Packaging Industry!

It delays implementation of Extended Producer Responsibility - upending years of planning. It exempt large corporations from paying their fair share - exactly where the bill is targeted. Instead it shifts the burden to Maine's communities and small businesses!!

It strips away transparency and oversight, giving industry control over how success is defined and measured.

Please keep the excellent Extended Producer Responsibility bill and say NO to the sham Act to Improve Recycling.