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Strict rules on hazardous chemical substances, targets for re-use and recycling of waste, airplane consumer protections, protecting groundwater, collection rates for batteries and accumulators are some of the environmental topics on which the European Parliament adopted EU legislation in this legislature. MEPs also pushed for tighter control of pesticides. Cheaper mobile phone roaming charges across the EU, a clear indication of charges for flight tickets, reinforcement of rail passenger rights and easier cross-border consumer credit are some of the most significant achievements of the European Parliament in the last 5 years. New rights for air passengers with disabilities and new TV advertising rules have also featured.

This product aims to illustrate the following topics:

- REACH,
- Pesticides
- Waste
- Food additives
- Spirits
- Roaming
- Railroad passenger protection,
- Groundwater standards,
- Bathing water quality
- Safety of toys

A Collection of photos is also available on the FTP server to illustrate documents or articles as well as audios interviews with rapporteur on Roaming, P. RÜBIG (EPP-ED, AT) and rapporteur on REACH, G. SACCONI (PES, IT):

- **Targets:** TV channels, TV journalists
- Pre-edited kit
- Sound: ambient
- Duration: +/- 10'
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