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EGARA – Who are we?

- Founded in 1991, Egara is the European umbrella association for the national associations of automotive recyclers in Europe.



Members (in alphabetical order)



- Egara Members
- Belgium- FEVAR
- Denmark – DAG
- Estonia – NGO ELV
- Finland - S.A.L. ry
- France – CNPA
- Hungary – GOE
- Ireland – IMVRA
- Lithuania – DA
- Netherlands – STIBA
- Norway – NBF
- Poland – FORS
- Romania – ANSDAR
- Sweden – SBR
- Switzerland – VASSO
- UK - MVDA



What do we do?

Our mission is:

- to facilitate and develop the economic activities of European Automotive Recyclers
- to stimulate the development of environmentally justified working methods for the companies
- to stimulate product and material reuse.

Legislative Work Includes:

- During the development of the EU-directive on End-of-Life Vehicles (ELV's), Egara has:
- provided input to the directive
 - EU Commission level
 - EU Parliament level
- Discussions and meetings with other European Trade Associations in the Automotive sector:
 - car-producers
 - producers of components and parts
 - recycling industries





Behind the Scenes...



- EGARA was present at the meetings of the European Commission's Recycling Forum
- EGARA Helped the development of the ISO-standard for recyclability and recoverability of automotive vehicles, ISO-22628
- EGARA take part in grant funded research



Representing European Dismantlers



- Regular Meetings with EU Officials



- Official Complaints for BAD Implementation of ELVD in Ireland, France & UK so far (more on the way?)

Quality Assurance Issues

- Harmonisation of European Standards



Tooling, Health and Safety



- Development of Specialist Tooling
- e.g. - Air Bags
– Safe Deployment



Helping Members



- Attend meetings to assist member organisations
- Assist during legislative negotiations
- Represent Members interests at the EU



EGARA



We're Here to Help...



Thank You

On behalf of ALL our Members
For inviting us to your beautiful Country



Your questions invited...