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Peelable coatings to increase plastic recycling

A leading peelable coatings manufacturer is addressing the challenge highlighted in the recent government announcement regarding the amount of plastic thrown away in Britain. Many plastic products are unable to be recycled due to the surface contamination acquired during use. Spraylat International offers a thin peelable coating that can be applied to the surface of plastic containers to protect them from contamination. The thin peelable layer can be easily removed at the end of life, enabling the bulky plastic container to be recycled instead of being disposed as landfill, or even hazardous waste.



According to the Prime Minister's recent speech *"The amount of single-use plastic wasted every year would fill 1,000 Royal Albert Halls"*.

Spraylat's Protectapeel products allow customers to reduce the amount of plastic waste. Dr Henry Spurr, the Senior Chemist at the company describes the government's announcement as *"An important step in the reduction of plastic waste and an exciting opportunity to promote our product range"*.

Spraylat traces its roots back to the USA in 1936 and went on to provide protective coatings to the military in the second world war. New instant cure technologies such as hotmelts and radiation curing resins are just some of the products recently developed for high-speed manufacturing.

The company is currently working on new developments with some of the world's most renowned businesses. Spraylat also reported further growth as well as its highest turnover ever in their 2017 financial year.

