

A1: ABOUT YOU AND YOUR ORGANISATION

This Section asks some basic questions about you, your organisation and your knowledge of the CPR (the subject of this questionnaire).

*1. Please provide the following details about you and your organisation

Contact name*:

Organisation:

Location (Country):

Telephone number*:

E-mail address*:

*2. Please tick which of the following best describes your organisation

- Manufacturer of construction products
- Importer of construction products
- Distributor/supplier of construction products
- Authorised Representative
- Designer (e.g. Architects, Specifiers, etc.)
- User of construction products (e.g. construction companies, builders, etc.)

3. Please indicate where your organisation is operating within the EU and EEA.

- | | | |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Austria | <input type="checkbox"/> Hungary | <input type="checkbox"/> Portugal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belgium | <input type="checkbox"/> Iceland | <input type="checkbox"/> Romania |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulgaria | <input type="checkbox"/> Ireland | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Croatia | <input type="checkbox"/> Italy | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cyprus | <input type="checkbox"/> Latvia | <input type="checkbox"/> Spain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Czech Republic | <input type="checkbox"/> Liechtenstein | <input type="checkbox"/> Switzerland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denmark | <input type="checkbox"/> Lithuania | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Estonia | <input type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg | <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finland | <input type="checkbox"/> Malta | <input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom |
| <input type="checkbox"/> France | <input type="checkbox"/> Netherlands | <input type="checkbox"/> Across EU-28 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> Norway | <input type="checkbox"/> Across EEA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greece | <input type="checkbox"/> Poland | |

4. Please tick which of the following best describes your organisation

- Micro-enterprise
- Small and medium-sized enterprise (SME)
- Large enterprise

*5. Are you aware of the Construction Products Directive (CPD)?

- Yes
- No

*6. Are you aware that the CPD was replaced by the Construction Products Regulation (CPR) in June 2013?

- Yes
- No

***7. Please indicate your level of knowledge relating to the following concepts under the CPR**

	Never heard of this concept	Not sure what it means	Familiar/ knowledgeable	Good technical knowledgeable	Highly knowledgeable/ Expert
CE Marking	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Declaration of performance (DoP)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
European Assessment Document (EAD)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
European Technical Assessment (ETA)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Harmonised European Standards	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Product Contact Points for Construction (PCPC)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Assessment and Verification of Constancy of Performance (AVCP)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

B1: CLARIFICATION OF CE MARKING

Section B1 asks questions about the extent to which the CPR has clarified the concept, legal meaning and use of CE marking

8. The CPR has clarified the concept and use of CE marking and its legal meaning. It also sets out how CE marking is to be affixed to the product, or to a label attached to the product, and specifies the information that must follow the CE marking. Are you aware of any benefits (whether current or future) relating to the clarification of CE marking?

Yes No Not Applicable

Please explain your answer here

9. Have you have experienced any issues with the implementation of this aspect of the CPR or would like to suggest aspects relating to CE marking that would benefit from further clarification?

Yes No Not Applicable (skip next question)

Please explain your answer here

10. Overall, please indicate whether, in your view, there have been positive or negative impacts from the clarification of the concept and use of CE marking (based on the anticipated benefits below).

	Large positive impact (++)	Low positive impact (+)	Neutral/ No change (0)	Low negative impact (-)	Large negative impact (--)
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased ease of compliance and enforcement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced free movement of construction products across the EU	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased credibility of the CPR	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

B2: CLARIFICATION OF OBLIGATIONS OF ECONOMIC OPERATORS

Section B2 asks questions about the extent to which the CPR has clarified the obligations of economic operators

11. The CPR has clarified the legal obligations of economic operators dealing with construction products. Are you aware of any benefits (whether current or future) relating to the clarification of the obligations of economic operators in the CPR?

Yes No Not Applicable

Please explain your answer here

12. Have you have experienced any issues with the implementation of this aspect of the CPR or are any aspects relating to the obligations of economic operators that would benefit from further clarification?

Yes No Not Applicable (skip next question)

Please explain your answer here

13. Overall, please indicate whether, in your view, there have been positive or negative impacts from the clarification of the obligations of economic operators (based on the anticipated benefits below).

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased ease of compliance and enforcement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Facilitation of market surveillance by authorities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased respect of legal obligations by economic operators	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

C1: NOTIFIED BODIES AND TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT BODIES ETC.

Section C1 asks questions relating to the aspects of the CPR aimed at increasing the credibility of the CPR, in particular, relating to requirements/criteria for testing and standards.

14. The CPR sets strict requirements for notified bodies (NBs) and technical assessment bodies (TABs). Are you aware of the requirements that these bodies are required to meet under the CPR?

- Yes
 No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

15. The CPR sets strict requirements for notified bodies. Please indicate the extent to which there have been positive or negative impacts (since July 2013) from specifying the requirements for notified bodies against the anticipated benefits identified below.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased credibility of the CPR	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ensured that notified bodies have the necessary competence (technical and personnel) for carrying out their tasks	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ensured the impartiality of notified bodies and addressed issues relating to conflicts of interest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced the potential for innovation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improved the performance and safety of construction products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

16. Overall, would you say that the CPR has resulted in an increase or decrease in the credibility of notified bodies, compared with the situation under the old CPD?

- Large increase
 Small increase
 No change
 Small decrease
 Large decrease

17. The CPR sets out the requirements for Technical Assessment Bodies (TABs). Please indicate the extent to which there have been positive or negative impacts (since July 2013) from specifying the requirements for TABs against the anticipated benefits identified below.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased the credibility of the CPR	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ensured that TABs have the necessary competence (technical and personnel) for carrying out their tasks	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced the potential for innovation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improved the performance and safety of construction products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

C2: MARKET SURVEILLANCE

Section C2 asks questions relating to market surveillance of construction products. Note that while the questions ask about your perception of the issues; we will welcome any hard data or evidence provided to back up any of your answers

18. In your opinion, how serious is the issue of formal non-compliance of economic operators with the CPR (non-compliance includes construction products without a DoP, no CE marking on products, lack of technical documentation, etc.)?

- Highly Serious Serious Exists, but minimal Not a problem Do not know

19. If “highly serious” or “serious”, what proportion of economic operators placing construction products on the market are currently not complying with the CPR?

- Less than 1% 1 – 5% 5 – 10% 10 – 25% > 25% Do not know

20. In your opinion, how serious is the issue of construction products on the market that present a risk to health and safety (even if they comply with the CPR)?

- Highly Serious Serious Exists, but minimal Not a problem Do not know

21. If “highly serious” or “serious”, what is the percentage of these construction products which are currently on the market?

- Less than 1% 1 – 5% 5 – 10% 10 – 25% > 25% Do not know

22. In your opinion, how serious is the issue of counterfeit products on the EU market (e.g. imitation products)?

- Highly Serious Serious Exists, but minimal Not a problem Do not know

23. If “highly serious” or “serious”, what is the percentage of counterfeit construction products currently on the market?

- Less than 1% 1 – 5% 5 – 10% 10 – 25% > 25% Do not know

24. What evidence do you have for the answers provided in this Section? Please tick all that apply.

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal experience/expertise | <input type="checkbox"/> Research carried out by other organisations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Experience of your organisation | <input type="checkbox"/> Anecdotal evidence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Research carried out by your organisation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) |

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25. How would you rate the market surveillance activities carried out by the authorities responsible for construction products in your country? If you operate in more than one country, do not answer this question.

- Not Sure Non-existent Poor Fair Good Very Good

26. If you operate in more than one country, based on your experience, how would you compare the extent and quality of market surveillance carried out in different countries? For instance, are there EU countries where market surveillance is carried out more/less effectively?

27. Are you aware of any potential areas for improvement relating to the market surveillance of construction products? If YES, please provide your answer below; for example, you may wish to identify specific construction products that would benefit from specific surveillance activities.

28. Are you aware of cases where an economic operator has been required to take corrective action, or withdraw or recall construction products from the market due to non-compliance with the CPR?

Yes

No (skip next question)

If YES, please provide further details of these cases

29. In your opinion, are appropriate enforcement measures being taken with regard to restricting or prohibiting the movement of non-compliant construction products from entering the EU market?

Yes

No

Please explain your answer here

D1: FREE MOVEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS

30. In your view, has the CPR enhanced the free movement of construction products within the EU?

- Yes No Don't know (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

If NO, please suggest steps which could be taken to address this

31. Can you provide any specific examples (e.g. based on experience from your organisation or from other organisations known to you) of how the CPR has impacted upon the free movement of construction products within the EU?

32. Please indicate whether the actions introduced by the CPR to enhance the free movement of construction products within the EU have resulted in positive or negative impacts.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Addressing issues relating to national application marks	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Addressing issues relating to non-recognition of technical certificates	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Harmonising legislation across all Member States	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

D2: NATIONAL APPLICATION MARKS

33. Are you aware of national application marks which are currently in place in Member States and which, in your opinion, interfere with the free movement of CE marked construction products within the EU?

Yes

No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

34. Please indicate the countries where these marks can be found.

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|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Austria | <input type="checkbox"/> Greece | <input type="checkbox"/> Norway |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belgium | <input type="checkbox"/> Hungary | <input type="checkbox"/> Poland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulgaria | <input type="checkbox"/> Iceland | <input type="checkbox"/> Portugal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Croatia | <input type="checkbox"/> Ireland | <input type="checkbox"/> Romania |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cyprus | <input type="checkbox"/> Italy | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Czech Republic | <input type="checkbox"/> Latvia | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denmark | <input type="checkbox"/> Liechtenstein | <input type="checkbox"/> Spain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Estonia | <input type="checkbox"/> Lithuania | <input type="checkbox"/> Switzerland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finland | <input type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> France | <input type="checkbox"/> Malta | <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> Netherlands | <input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom |

35. Please provide more information on the issues that have arisen as a result of these national application marks and specify the name of the national application marks.

D3: TECHNICAL CERTIFICATES

36. Are you aware of cases of non-recognition of technical certificates from one country to another?

Yes

No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

37. Please indicate the countries where this has occurred?

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|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Austria | <input type="checkbox"/> Greece | <input type="checkbox"/> Norway |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belgium | <input type="checkbox"/> Hungary | <input type="checkbox"/> Poland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulgaria | <input type="checkbox"/> Iceland | <input type="checkbox"/> Portugal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Croatia | <input type="checkbox"/> Ireland | <input type="checkbox"/> Romania |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cyprus | <input type="checkbox"/> Italy | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Czech Republic | <input type="checkbox"/> Latvia | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denmark | <input type="checkbox"/> Liechtenstein | <input type="checkbox"/> Spain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Estonia | <input type="checkbox"/> Lithuania | <input type="checkbox"/> Switzerland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finland | <input type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> France | <input type="checkbox"/> Malta | <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> Netherlands | <input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom |

38. Please provide more information on the issues that have arisen as a result of the non-recognition of technical certificates.

D4: ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

39. Are you aware of issues arising from the non-harmonised aspects relating to the environmental performance of construction products?

- Yes No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

40. Please indicate the countries where this has occurred?

- | | | |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Austria | <input type="checkbox"/> Greece | <input type="checkbox"/> Norway |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belgium | <input type="checkbox"/> Hungary | <input type="checkbox"/> Poland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulgaria | <input type="checkbox"/> Iceland | <input type="checkbox"/> Portugal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Croatia | <input type="checkbox"/> Ireland | <input type="checkbox"/> Romania |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cyprus | <input type="checkbox"/> Italy | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovakia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Czech Republic | <input type="checkbox"/> Latvia | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denmark | <input type="checkbox"/> Liechtenstein | <input type="checkbox"/> Spain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Estonia | <input type="checkbox"/> Lithuania | <input type="checkbox"/> Switzerland |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finland | <input type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> France | <input type="checkbox"/> Malta | <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> Netherlands | <input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom |

41. Please provide more information on the issues that have arisen from the non-harmonised aspects relating to the environmental performance of construction products.

E1: SIMPLIFICATION OF PROCEDURES

Simplification of procedures for assessing and determining the performance of specified construction products (for SMEs and micro-enterprises)

42. If a product is covered by a harmonised standard, the CPR allows simplified procedures for assessing and determining the performance of products using Appropriate Technical Documentation or simplified procedures for micro-enterprises and for individually manufactured or custom-made products. Are you aware of organisations that have used these simplified provisions?

	Yes, I am aware	No, I am unaware
Article 36 simplifying procedures for determining the product type	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Article 37 simplifying rules for micro-enterprises	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Article 38 simplifying rules for individually manufactured products	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

43. Have these simplified procedures resulted in changes in your work, compared with the situation under the old CPD?

Yes No

Please explain your answer here

44. If your products fall under the cases where these simplified procedures may apply, do you take advantage of these simplified procedures?

Yes No

45. Please explain the reasons for your answer.

46. Please indicate the extent to which there have been positive or negative impacts from the simplification of the rules relating to procedures for assessing and determining the performance of products from the list of anticipated benefits set out below.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased ease of compliance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduced costs for SMEs and micro-enterprises	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced potential for innovation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced competitiveness of EU manufacturers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

47. Could you provide an estimate of the potential reduction in costs for SMEs and micro-enterprises as a result of these simplified procedures?

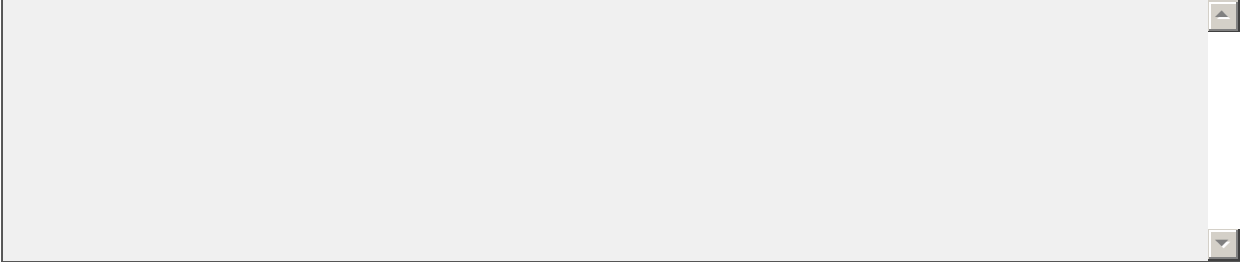
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48. If possible, please provide examples of positive and/or negative aspects of this simplification for your organisation?



E2: SIMPLIFICATION FOR PRODUCTS NOT (FULLY) COVERED BY A HARMONISED STANDAR...

49. The CPR clarifies and simplifies the procedures for products not (fully) covered by a harmonised standard. Under the CPR, a manufacturer may benefit from an EU-recognised assessment and affix the CE marking on its products, when these products are not covered or not fully covered by a harmonised standard, by requesting a European Technical Assessment (ETA). Are you aware of organisations that have utilised these simplified provisions under the CPR (i.e. after June 2013)? Tick all that apply.

- My organisation has used these provisions
 I am aware of other organisations that have used these provisions
 My organisation has NOT used these provisions
 I am NOT aware of other organisations that have used these provisions

50. In your opinion, to what extent has this simplification for products not (fully) covered by a harmonised European standard (e.g. moving from the system under CPD of ETAG/CUAP/ETA to the system under the CPR (EAD/ETA)) resulted in positive or negative impacts against the anticipated benefits listed below.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased ease of compliance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduced costs for manufacturers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduced costs for SMEs and micro-enterprises	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced competitiveness of EU manufacturers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

51. If possible, please provide examples of positive and/or negative aspects from the changes in the regime applicable to products not (fully) covered by a harmonised standard?

E3: DECLARATION OF PERFORMANCE

52. The CPR sets out a detailed system for drawing up the declaration of performance (DoP) of construction products. This system has been complemented by two Commission Regulations which increases flexibility and legal certainty on the information to be provided in the DoP and sets out rules for supplying the DoP through a website. Are you aware of the system for drawing up a DoP?

- Yes No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

53. Has the new system for drawing up a DoP resulted in changes in your work, compared with the situation under the old CPD?

- Yes No

54. If YES, please explain the impacts of the changes you have made to implement the new requirements on your organisation (if any) and whether you have experienced any issues with the implementation of this aspect of the CPR? If NO, please explain why there have been no changes.

55. Please indicate to what extent there have been positive or negative impacts from the new requirements for DoP. Please tick which of the impacts are applicable to your organisation from the list of anticipated benefits set out below.

	Large positive impact	Low positive impact	Neutral/ No change	Low negative impact	Large negative impact
Increased legal certainty and transparency regarding the rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased ease of compliance and enforcement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Enhanced free movement of construction products across the EU	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increased credibility of the CPR	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

56. If possible, please provide examples of positive and/or negative aspects from the simplified procedures for drawing up a declaration of performance?

E4: PRODUCT CONTACT POINTS FOR CONSTRUCTION

57. The CPR stipulates that Member States shall designate Product Contact Points for construction (PCPC). Please tick all of the following statements which apply.

- I am aware of the relevant PCPC in my country
- I am aware of the relevant PCPC in another EU country
- I am NOT aware of the relevant PCPC in my country or another EU country (tick and skip to the next section)

58. If you have had cause to contact a PCPC, please indicate which of the following topics summarises the information you requested, consulted on or received? Tick all that apply.

- Information on national technical rules
- Information on Notified Bodies
- Information on Technical Assessment Bodies
- General information on the market for construction products in a Member State
- Information on products subject to CE marking or covered by harmonised standards
- Information on the law in force in the Member State where you intend to place or make available on the market your products
- Information on rules applicable to the incorporation, assembling or installation of a specific type of construction product
- How to contact national authorities competent for surveillance or implementation of the CPR, including market surveillance and oversight of notified bodies
- Other

59. On a scale of 1 – 4, please rate the usefulness of the information you obtained from the PCPC in a particular country.

	PCPC1	PCPC2	PCPC3
1 - Poor	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2 - Fair	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3 - Good	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
4 - Very Good	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

60. If possible, please provide examples of positive and/or negative aspects from the designation of PCPCs?

F1: INNOVATION, COMPETITIVENESS AND SMEs

61. In your view, to what extent has the CPR encouraged innovation in your organisation or in other similar organisations?

- Large positive impact Low positive impact Neutral/ No change Low negative impact Large negative impact

62. In your view, has the CPR helped to improve the competitiveness of your organisation (or similar organisations) in relation to non-EU competitors? Please tick all the answers you agree with in the box below.

- YES, by simplifying the administrative requirements on our organisation
- YES, by reducing the financial burden on our organisation
- YES, by creating more business opportunities
- YES, by creating a more level playing field
- NO, the CPR has not improved our competitiveness
- Other (specify)

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63. Are small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) faced with any specific problems and challenges in complying with the requirements of the CPR?

- Yes No Don't know

If you answered "YES", please explain your answer below.

64. In your view, is the CPR consistent with other EU policies or strategies in the areas of competitiveness, innovation and sustainability? If NO, please explain your answer

- Yes No Don't know

If NO, please explain your answer

F2: INFORMATION CAMPAIGNS

65. The CPR notes that the European Commission and Member States should, in collaboration with stakeholders, launch information campaigns to inform the construction sector, particularly economic operators and users of construction products about the changes under the CPR. Are you aware of any relevant information campaigns in your country in the last two years providing information to the construction sector about changes under the CPR?

Yes

No (tick and press 'Next' to skip the questions below)

66. In the box below, provide additional details on the type of information campaign and who was responsible for organising this campaign? e.g. Public Authority, Industry Association/Professional Body, Consumer/Non Governmental Organisation or Other organisation.

Conference / workshop

Website/online campaign

Email/postal campaign

Telephone campaign

Other

67. On a scale of 1 – 4, how would you rate the usefulness of the above information campaign(s). Please rank according to the organisation providing the information.

	1 - Poor	2 - Fair	3 - Good	4 - Very Good
Public Authority	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Industry Association/ Professional body	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consumer/Non-governmental organisation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other organisation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

F3: CONCLUDING QUESTIONS

68. Overall, how would you rate the implementation of the CPR to date?

- Highly Satisfactory Satisfactory Not satisfactory Highly unsatisfactory Do not know

69. Do you think that the objectives of the CPR (as set out below) are valid and relevant for dealing with the current situation in the market and for the construction sector?

To break down technical barriers to trade by introducing a system of harmonised technical specifications and a harmonised system of attestation of performance and of assessment and verification of performance for each product family

To ensure the free movement of construction products across Member States within the European Union, by removing and avoiding restrictions on making construction products available on the market

To provide a credible framework of notified bodies and technical assessment bodies

To ensure the mandatory CE marking of products

If 'no longer relevant', please explain your answer in the space below

70. Do you think that the CPR acts as an adequate information communication technology system (i.e. a structure for creating, communicating, disseminating and storing information)?

- Yes No Not applicable

Please describe any aspects you feel can be improved on

71. If there is anything else you would like to say, please do so below.