

The Quality Committee of the GGAWB e.V. has made the following determination:

'Mobile 2-wheeled and 4-wheeled waste and recycling containers (AWB) up to 1700 liters made of plastic and metal are developed, produced, and certified in accordance with the European standard EN 840 and the RAL quality guideline RAL-GZ 951/1 or RAL-GZ 951/2, respectively.

The requirements for the container defined in these specifications are compiled in such a way that the intended use of the AWB is guaranteed.

Compressing fill material in the AWB is therefore not an intended use. A high pressure introduced into the interior of the AWB, which may act on hard objects and thus deform or pierce the container walls, is not replicated by any test specifications.

For this reason, the GGAWB recommends that its member companies assume no warranty for the use of their AWB in corresponding waste compactors.'