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Flavoured and carbonated bottled water lead growth

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Health, premiumisation, and sustainability will be evident in bottled water

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Sustainable packaging takes centre stage in bottled water in South Korea

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Kwang Dong Pharm maintains lead of bottled water and extends brand rights

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Health trends drive polarisation amidst static volumes

Inflation fuels shift to private label and varied pack sizes

Health-conscious consumers fuel premiumisation in soft drinks

Soft drinks embraces cultural trends for growth in South Korea

WHAT'S NEXT?

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Players will move towards premiumisation, eco-packaging, and digital channels

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