

# Joint Committee on Business, Enterprise and Innovation

## Meeting of 13th February 2018

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### Schedule A

(i) Further Action Proposed

#### **1.** For Further scrutiny

#### **1.2 COM(2017)637**

Amended proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on certain aspects concerning contracts for the sales of goods, amending Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Directive 2009/22/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Directive 1999/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (Text with EEA relevance) {SWD(2017) 354 final} ['online and other distance' removed from title]

Lead department Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation

#### 13 February 2018 Agreed decision:

It was agreed that this proposal warrants further scrutiny.

It was also agreed that a Political Contribution would be drafted and discussed at the next meeting.

#### 1.3 COM(2017)795

Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down rules and procedures for compliance with and enforcement of Union harmonisation legislation on products and amending Regulations (EU) No 305/2011, (EU) No 528/2012, (EU) 2016/424, (EU) 2016/425, (EU) 2016/426 and (EU) 2017/1369 of the European Parliament and of the Council, and Directives 2004/42/EC, 2009/48/EC, 2010/35/EU, 2013/29/EU, 2013/53/EU, 2014/28/EU, 2014/29/EU, 2014/30/EU, 2014/31/EU, 2014/32/EU, 2014/33/EU, 2014/34/EU, 2014/35/EU, 2014/53/EU, 2014/68/EU and 2014/90/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council (Text with EEA relevance) {SWD(2017) 466 final} - {SWD(2017) 467 final} - {SWD(2017) 468 final} - {SWD(2017) 469 final} - {SWD(2017) 470 final}

Lead department Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation

#### 13 February 2018 Agreed decision:

It was agreed that this proposal warrants further scrutiny. It was also agreed to request a further note from the Department outlining in greater detail:

• The possible subsidiarity concerns surrounding the Union Product Compliance Network;

- If it is envisaged that the proposal will have a financial implication for Ireland;
- The extent to which statutory instruments may be required;

• What option (referred to in Article 14(2) of the proposal) is in use in Ireland and if it will have any impact on the effectiveness of the proposal in Ireland.

#### (ii) Further Action Not Proposed

#### 2. For no further scrutiny

#### 2.1 COM(2017)142

Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council to empower the competition authorities of the Member States to be more effective enforcers and to ensure the proper functioning of the internal market (Text with EEA relevance) {SWD(2017) 114} {SWD(2017) 115} {SWD(2017) 116}

Lead department Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation Other departments Department of Justice and Equality Attorney General's Office

#### 13 February 2018 Agreed decision:

It was agreed that this proposal does not warrant further scrutiny.

#### 2.2 COM(2017)796

Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mutual recognition of goods lawfully marketed in another Member State (Text with EEA relevance) {SWD(2017) 471 final} - {SWD(2017) 472 final} - {SWD(2017) 475 final} - {SWD(2017) 476 final} - {SWD(2017) 477 final}

**Lead department** Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation

13 February 2018 Agreed decision:

It was agreed that this proposal does not warrant further scrutiny.