



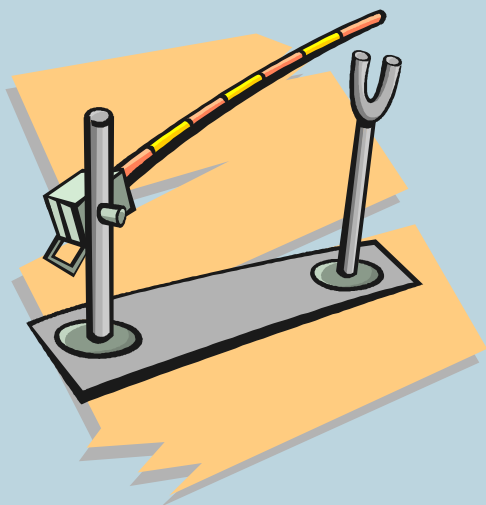
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The application of mutual recognition - A better Internal Market

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If we had a well functioning Internal Market...



- Increased competition
- Higher standards of living
- More competitive enterprises

... So what can national administrations do?



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No contradiction between enterprises and consumers in the long run

- Openness and competition as growth-drivers -> screening not carried out because EU required it
- Task-force for Internal Market -> 133 out of 154 identified barriers removed
- Removal of 90 barriers within the field of mutual recognition
- Danish export performance has improved



Task force for the Internal Market - lessons learned -



- Informal approach can ease the process
- Sector authorities have in-depth but narrow knowledge and are conservative
- The key is to change burden of proof



Next Danish step

Internal Market Centre (IMC):

- Merging present and future Internal Market instruments
- Establishing a common front-office for all services

Benefits:

- Synergies
- Increased visibility
- Holistic service to enterprises



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Thank you for your attention!