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AMENDMENTS

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A longer lifetime for products: benefits for consumers and companies
(2016/2272(INI))

Amendment 1
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Citation 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

— *having regard to the BEUC report of 18 August 2015 entitled ‘Durable goods: More sustainable products, better consumer rights - Consumer expectations from the EU’s resource efficiency and circular economy agenda’,* *deleted*

Or. pl

Amendment 2
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

— *having regard to the European Consumer Centre’s summary of 18 April 2016 entitled ‘Planned obsolescence or by-products of consumer society’,* *deleted*

Or. pl

Amendment 3
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

— *having regard to Austrian standard ONR 192102 entitled ‘Label of excellence for durable, repair-friendly* *deleted*

designed electrical and electronic appliances’,

Or. pl

Amendment 4
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. *whereas a balance must be struck between extending the lifetime of products and innovation, research and development;*

Or. de

Amendment 5
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

C. *whereas the study commissioned by the Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection **demonstrates the need to promote the circular economy, in particular through public policy;***

C. *whereas the study commissioned by the Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection **shows that broad-based policy measures are needed to promote a longer lifetime for products;***

Or. de

Amendment 6
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. *whereas a usage-based economic model has emerged which can help to reduce the adverse environmental and social consequences of a model based largely on the ownership of goods;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 7

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. *whereas a usage-based economic model has emerged which can help to reduce the adverse environmental and social consequences of a model based largely on the ownership of goods;*

D. *whereas the functional economy could provide an answer to the wide range of challenges facing consumers today;*

Or. de

Amendment 8

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. *whereas a usage-based economic model has emerged which can help to reduce the adverse environmental and social consequences of a model based largely on the ownership of goods;*

D. *whereas diverse economic and business models coexist, including the usage-based economic model which can help to reduce the adverse consequences for the environment;*

Or. pl

Amendment 9

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas a usage-based economic model has emerged which can help to reduce *the* adverse environmental *and social* consequences *of a model based largely on the ownership of goods*;

Amendment

D. whereas a usage-based economic model has emerged which can help to reduce adverse environmental consequences;

Or. en

Amendment 10

Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Da. whereas there is a need to promote longer product lifespans, in particular by tackling programmed obsolescence ;

Amendment

Or. fr

Amendment 11

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate non-relocatable jobs;

deleted

Amendment

Amendment 12
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate non-relocatable jobs;*

Amendment

E. whereas *the European repair sector, mainly comprising micro, small and medium-sized enterprises, needs to be supported;*

Or. pl

Amendment 13
Kaja Kallas, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate non-relocatable jobs;*

Amendment

E. whereas *promoting the repair sector would generate non-relocatable jobs in many industrial sectors in Europe, and diversify employment opportunities in industrial regions;*

Or. en

Amendment 14
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate ***non-relocatable jobs***;

Amendment

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate ***professionalism and skills that cannot be relocated and that add substantial value to the local social and economic fabric***;

Or. it

Amendment 15

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate ***non-relocatable jobs***;

Amendment

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate ***new jobs***;

Or. en

Amendment 16

Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and,

Amendment

E. whereas jobs have been lost in many industrial sectors in Europe, and whereas there is a need, on the one hand, for some production to be relocated, and, on the other, to promote the repair ***and***

on the other, to promote the repair sector in order to generate non-relocatable jobs;

reuse sector in order to generate non-relocatable jobs;

Or. en

Amendment 17

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas the majority of companies that provide repair services in Europe are SMEs;

Or. en

Amendment 18

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F. whereas *the second-hand market plays a role in the social and local economy and in integrating people in difficulty into the labour market;*

F. whereas *greater harmonisation of the arrangements for the re-use of products will boost the local economy and the internal market by creating new jobs and stimulating demand for used goods;*

Or. de

Amendment 19

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the second-hand market plays a role in the social and local economy ***and in integrating people in difficulty into the labour market;***

Amendment

F. whereas the second-hand market plays a role in the social and local economy;

Or. pl

Amendment 20
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to ***be able to have their goods repaired, rather than being forced*** to buy new ones;

Amendment

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to ***try to repair broken goods than*** to buy new ones;

Or. pl

Amendment 21
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to be able to have their goods repaired, rather than being forced to buy new ones;

Amendment

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to be able to have their goods repaired, rather than being forced to buy new ones; ***but notes that consumers also prefer replacement products to be provided if a faulty good is repeatedly unsuccessfully repaired;***

Or. en

Amendment 22

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to be able to have their goods repaired, rather than being forced to buy new ones;

Amendment

H. whereas, in a Eurobarometer survey conducted in June 2014, 77 % of EU consumers said that they would prefer to be able to have their goods repaired, rather than being forced to buy new ones; ***whereas the information provided to consumers on the durability and reparability of products still needs to be improved;***

Or. en

Amendment 23

Marlene Mizzi

Motion for a resolution

Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ha. whereas reliable and durable products provide value for money to consumers and prevent overuse of resources and waste and therefore it is important to ensure that the useful lifetime of consumer products is prolonged through design for durability, possibility to repair, upgrade, disassemble and recycle of the products.

Or. en

Amendment 24

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas ***the decline in consumer confidence in product quality is detrimental to European companies, and whereas the Commission's proposal to extend the period covered by the presumption of conformity of goods to 24 months is a step in the right direction;***

Amendment

I. whereas ***quality products are in the interests of European consumers and businesses;***

Or. pl

Amendment 25

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the decline in consumer confidence in product quality is detrimental to European companies, and whereas the ***Commission's proposal to extend the period covered by the presumption of conformity of goods to 24 months*** is a step in the right direction;

Amendment

I. whereas the decline in consumer confidence in product quality is detrimental to European companies, and whereas the ***Directive for Online Sales of Goods proposal*** is a step in the right direction;

Or. en

Amendment 26

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas consumers' right to choose in accordance with their various

needs, expectations and preferences should be respected;

Or. pl

Amendment 27
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas, despite the EESC study of March 2016 establishing a positive link between product lifetime labelling and consumer behaviour, *the information provided to consumers on the durability and reparability of products is still poor and inconsistent;*

Amendment

J. whereas, despite the EESC study of March 2016 establishing a positive link between product lifetime labelling and consumer behaviour, *consumers are not being properly informed about the lifetimes of products;*

Or. de

Amendment 28
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ja. whereas the lifetime of a product and the way it ages are determined by various natural or artificial factors, for example composition, functionality, cost of repair and consumption patterns;

Or. de

Amendment 29
Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ja. *whereas repairs and spare parts must be made more readily accessible;*

Or. fr

Amendment 30
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital J b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Jb. *whereas, in addition to a long lifetime, the level of quality of a product throughout its life cycle is fundamental to the contribution it makes to resource protection;*

Or. de

Amendment 31
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

K. *whereas there has been **an increase in the number of national initiatives to remedy the problem of** premature obsolescence of goods, **and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;***

K. *whereas there has been **discussion concerning the** premature obsolescence of goods,*

Or. pl

Amendment 32
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to **remedy the problem of premature obsolescence of goods**, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;

Amendment

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to **promote longer lifetimes for products**, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;

Or. de

Amendment 33
Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to remedy the problem of premature obsolescence of goods, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;

Amendment

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to remedy the problem of premature obsolescence of goods **and software**, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;

Or. fr

Amendment 34
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to remedy the problem of premature obsolescence of goods, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market;

K. whereas there has been an increase in the number of national initiatives to remedy the problem of premature obsolescence of goods, and whereas there is a need to develop a common strategy for the single market *on the issue*;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the lifetime of digital media is crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas, given that software is becoming obsolete more and more quickly, electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;

Amendment

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 36
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the lifetime of digital media is *crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas, given that software is becoming obsolete more and more quickly, electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;*

Amendment

L. whereas the lifetime of digital media is *determined by the compatibility of hardware and software and new technical developments often put an end to that compatibility;*

Or. de

Amendment 37
Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the lifetime of digital **media** is crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas, **given that software is becoming obsolete more and more quickly**, electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;

Amendment

L. whereas the lifetime of digital **content** is crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;

Or. en

Amendment 38
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the lifetime of digital media is crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas, **given that software is becoming obsolete more and more quickly**, electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;

Amendment

L. whereas the lifetime of digital media is crucial to the lifetime of electronic appliances, and whereas electronic appliances need to be adaptable in order to stay competitive on the market;

Or. en

Amendment 39
Marlene Mizzi

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

La. whereas products with built-in defects designed to break down after being used a certain number of times to end product's life can only incite consumers' distrust and should not be allowed on the market;

Or. en

Amendment 40
Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

La. Whereas as software and hardware become more and more integrated, open-source hardware could provide consumers with more tools to update, upgrade and repair their products;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

La. Whereas it is important to differentiate between strategies to tackle the durability of tangible goods and digital content,

Or. en

Amendment 42
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

La. whereas, according to Eurobarometer data, 90 % of citizens believe that products should be clearly labelled to indicate their useful lifespan;

Or. en

Amendment 43
Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

La. whereas all economic actors can benefit from products with a longer lifetime, including SMEs;

Or. ro

Amendment 44
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which cover product

deleted

robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;

Or. pl

Amendment 45
Marcus Pretzell

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. *Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;*

Amendment

1. *Rejects any move to regulate the lifetime of products; takes the view that the lifetime of products is determined by supply and demand and that the extended-use tests conducted by specialist publications can offer guidance as to how long that lifetime is likely to be; points out that people who want long-lived products and are prepared therefore to forego the benefits of innovation will pay a higher price for their preference and that people who attach importance to innovation will often be happy to pay a low price and accept the fact that the product in question has a shorter lifetime; points out, further, that prices reflect consumers' preferences as regards product lifetimes;*

Or. de

Amendment 46
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. *Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design*

Amendment

1. *Welcomes the fact that the Commission is trying to develop requirements concerning the lifetime and*

stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;

greater environmental sustainability of products and the resultant benefits to consumers;

Or. de

Amendment 47

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. ***Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;***

Amendment

1. ***Encourages the relevant industries to establish a voluntary scheme for creating standardised definitions of durability for given products, which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc., and to engage with the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) for creating these industrial standards;***

Or. en

Amendment 48

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. ***Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical***

Amendment

1. ***Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category which guarantee product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;***

Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which *cover* product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;

Or. de

Amendment 49

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, *by working in* the European *Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to lay down standards which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.*;

Amendment

1. Calls on the Commission to establish minimum resistance criteria *covering among others robustness, reparability, and upgradeability*, for each product category from the design stage, *facilitated by standards developed by all* the European *Standardisation Organisations (ESOs) CEN, CENELEC and ETSI.*;

Or. en

Amendment 50

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Calls on the Commission to *establish* minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to *lay down standards* which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;

Amendment

1. Calls on the Commission to *encourage* minimum resistance criteria for each product category from the design stage, by working in the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (CENELEC) to *set out guidelines* which cover product robustness, reparability, upgradeability, etc.;

Amendment 51
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Points out that issues such as product durability, extended warranties, availability of spare parts, ease of repair and interchangeability of components should be part of a manufacturer's commercial offer in meeting the various needs, expectations and preferences of consumers, and are an important aspect of free market competition;

Or. pl

Amendment 52
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. Calls for the eco-contribution to be geared to compliance with product lifetime extension criteria, in order to reward the efforts of the best manufacturers; *deleted*

Or. pl

Amendment 53
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. *Calls for the eco-contribution to be geared to compliance with product lifetime extension criteria, in order to reward the efforts of the best manufacturers;*

Amendment

2. *Welcomes the fact that the revision of the Waste Package has strengthened the principle of extended manufacturer liability and thus created incentives for more sustainable product design;*

Or. de

Amendment 54
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. *Calls for the eco-contribution to be geared to compliance with product lifetime extension criteria, in order to reward the efforts of the best manufacturers;*

Amendment

2. *Calls for the eco-contribution to be geared to compliance with product lifetime extension criteria, in order to reward the efforts of the best manufacturers **and boost consumer's confidence**;*

Or. en

Amendment 55
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. *Calls for a European programme to support the work of companies developing modular designs which are easy to dismantle and interchange;*

Amendment

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 56
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Calls *for a European programme to support the work of companies developing* modular designs which are easy to dismantle and interchange;

Amendment

3. Calls *on the Commission and the Member States to support producers of* modular designs which are easy to dismantle and interchange;

Or. pl

Amendment 57
Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

3a. Stresses the need for coherence between innovative policies that give rise to new products or improved versions and action to guarantee a longer lifetime for products already on the market;

Amendment

Or. ro

Amendment 58
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 2

Motion for a resolution

Systematising reparability

Amendment

Product reparability *and longevity*

Or. de

Amendment 59
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Systematising reparability

Promoting reparability

Or. pl

Amendment 60
Andreas Schwab, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to *develop the right to* product reparability:

4. Calls on the Commission to *promote* product reparability;

Or. de

Amendment 61
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to *develop the right to product* reparability:

4. Calls on the Commission to *take measures to promote the* reparability of *products*;

Or. de

Amendment 62
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission to develop ***the right to*** product reparability:

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission to develop ***further guidelines on*** product reparability:

Or. en

Amendment 63
Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by ***urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee, except where the repair is not expedient or would come at a proven additional cost,***

Amendment

- by ***encouraging and facilitating measures that make the choice of repair attractive to the consumer in the context of the freedom in choosing the remedy in cases of contractual non-conformity of goods under guarantee,***

Or. en

Amendment 64
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by ***urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee, except where the repair is not expedient or would come at a proven additional cost,***

Amendment

- by ***granting consumers throughout the EU the freedom in choosing the remedy of their preference in cases of contractual non-conformity of goods under guarantee either through repair of the defect, through price reduction or***

termination of the contract or through replacement of the defective product;

Or. en

Amendment 65

Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee, *except where the repair is not expedient or would come at a proven additional cost,*

Amendment

- by urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee *and using construction techniques and materials that make the repair of the item or the replacement of its components easier and less expensive;*

Or. it

Amendment 66

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee, except where the repair is not expedient or would come at *a proven* additional cost,

Amendment

- by urging that priority be given to repairing goods which are still under guarantee, except where the repair is not expedient or would come at *an* additional cost,

Or. en

Amendment 67

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by guaranteeing the right to use substitutes for original parts to repair all products, including motor vehicles,*

Or. pl

Amendment 68

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by encouraging and facilitating measures that makes the choice of repair attractive to the consumer*

Or. en

Amendment 69

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Nicola Danti, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by guaranteeing that the guarantee *can* be extended by a period equivalent to the time required to carry out the repair,

- by guaranteeing that the guarantee *should* be extended by a period equivalent to the time required to carry out the repair,

Or. en

Amendment 70

Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by guaranteeing that the guarantee **can** be extended by a period equivalent to the time required to carry out the repair,

Amendment

- by guaranteeing that the guarantee **should** be extended by a period equivalent to the time required to carry out the repair,

Or. en

Amendment 71

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Nicola Danti, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***by promoting the design and manufacturing of durable products with repairable and environmental friendly materials;***

Or. en

Amendment 72

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 2 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***by making fixing-in of essential components such as batteries and LEDs into products illegal;***

Or. en

Amendment 73
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable, **and by including the product's reparability among its 'key features'**,

Amendment

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable,

Or. de

Amendment 74
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- **by insisting** that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product **are** replaceable, and by **including the product's reparability among its 'key features'**,

Amendment

- **by promoting the concept** that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product **should be** replaceable, and by **supporting reparability as one of the 'key features' of the product, if it is economically justified and beneficial to do so**,

Or. pl

Amendment 75
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- by **insisting** that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product

Amendment

- by **urging** that parts which are essential to the functioning of the

are replaceable, and by including the product's reparability among its 'key features',

product *should be* replaceable, and by including the product's reparability among its 'key features',

Or. de

Amendment 76
Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable, *and* by including the product's reparability among its 'key features',

Amendment

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable, by including the product's reparability among its 'key features' *and making fixing-it of essential components such as batteries and LEDs into products illegal, inter alia through a review of the Batteries Directive (2006/66/EC)*,

Or. en

Amendment 77
Marlene Mizzi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable, and by including the product's reparability among its 'key features',

Amendment

- by insisting that parts which are essential to the functioning of the product are replaceable *or repairable*, and by including the product's reparability among its 'key features',

Or. en

Amendment 78

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- *by extending the obligation* to provide maintenance *and repair* guides at the time of purchase,

Amendment

- *by encouraging manufacturers* to provide maintenance guides at the time of purchase, *in particular for products for which maintenance is very important in order to extend their lifespan,*

Or. pl

Amendment 79

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

- *by standardising the spare parts and* tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Amendment

- *by encouraging the standardisation of the* tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Or. de

Amendment 80

Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

- *by standardising the spare parts and* tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Amendment

- *by encouraging the standardisation of the* tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Amendment 81
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

- by standardising the spare parts and tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Amendment

- by standardising, ***where practicable***, the spare parts and tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Or. en

Amendment 82
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

- by standardising the spare parts and tools necessary for repair, in order to improve the performance of repair services,

Amendment

- ***by enforcing obligation to provide maintenance and repair guides in different languages to licenced repair shops,***

Or. en

Amendment 83
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 6

Motion for a resolution

- by ***pooling*** information on the availability of parts, repair guides, etc.,

Amendment

- by ***providing*** information on the availability of parts, repair guides, etc.;

where appropriate through the establishment of a digital platform;

Or. de

Amendment 84

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 6

Motion for a resolution

- by *pooling* information on the availability of parts, repair guides, etc., *where appropriate through the establishment of a digital platform;*

Amendment

- by *providing* information on the availability of parts, repair guides, etc.;

Or. de

Amendment 85

Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 6

Motion for a resolution

- by pooling information on the availability of parts, repair guides, etc., where appropriate through the establishment of a digital platform;

Amendment

- by pooling information on the availability of parts, repair guides, *on whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long* etc., where appropriate through the establishment of a digital platform;

Or. en

Amendment 86

Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by encouraging manufacturers to develop battery technology to ensure that the lifespan of the battery better matches the expected lifespan of the product or alternatively make battery replacement more accessible at a more reasonable price;*

Or. en

Amendment 87

Eva Maydell

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by promoting the use of local skills and their integration within the efforts of the industrial global value chains on the issues of product durability and repeatability.*

Or. en

Amendment 88

Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – indent 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by promoting the design and manufacturing of durable products with repairable and environmental friendly materials,*

Or. en

Amendment 89

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4a. Stresses that, whilst promoting repair in order to reduce waste and pollution is an important option, consumers should not be trapped by suppliers and/or manufacturers in an endless cycle of repair and maintenance of faulty products;

Or. en

Amendment 90

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4b. Stresses the importance of the consumer's automatic right to reject or receive a price reduction after one failed attempt at repair or replacement;

Or. en

Amendment 91

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5. Considers it *crucial to guarantee* the availability of spare parts essential to the proper functioning of goods:

5. Considers it *beneficial to ensure* the availability of spare parts essential to the proper functioning of goods:

Or. pl

Amendment 92
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

5. Considers it crucial to guarantee the availability of spare parts essential to the proper functioning of goods:

Amendment

5. Considers it crucial to guarantee the availability of spare parts essential to the proper *and safe* functioning of goods:

Or. en

Amendment 93
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- *by guaranteeing access to* individual parts *rather than* assemblies,

Amendment

– *by providing information about the availability of* individual parts *and* assemblies,

Or. pl

Amendment 94
Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by guaranteeing access to individual parts *rather than* assemblies,

- by guaranteeing access to individual parts *in addition to* assemblies,

Or. en

Amendment 95
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by guaranteeing access to individual parts rather than assemblies,

Amendment

- by guaranteeing access to *affordable* individual parts rather than assemblies,

Or. en

Amendment 96
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- *by obliging marketers* to supply essential parts *at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, for a minimum period,*

Amendment

– *by encouraging manufacturers* to supply essential *spare* parts, *provided that, given the characteristics of the product, it is possible, reasonable and not excessively costly to do so, and does not hamper innovation;*

Or. pl

Amendment 97
Kaja Kallas, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by **obliging** marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, **for a minimum period**,

Amendment

- by **encouraging** marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time,

Or. en

Amendment 98

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, **for a minimum period**,

Amendment

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, **including after having placed the last product on the market**;

Or. en

Amendment 99

Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, **for a minimum period**,

Amendment

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, **including after having placed the last product on the market**,

Or. en

Amendment 100
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at *a reasonable* price *and* within a reasonable period of time, for a minimum period,

Amendment

- by obliging marketers to *guarantee an appropriate technical service for the consumer goods they manufacture or import and to* supply essential parts at *an appropriate* price *that is proportionate to the value of those goods*, within a reasonable period of time, for a minimum period *equivalent to at least the expected lifespan of the product*;

Or. it

Amendment 101
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by obliging marketers to supply essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, for a minimum period,

Amendment

- by obliging marketers to supply *genuine* essential parts at a reasonable price and within a reasonable period of time, for a minimum period,

Or. en

Amendment 102
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 103
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 104
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;*

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 105
Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 106
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 107
Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, and for how long;

- by developing a clear and harmonised labelling system which provides information as to whether spare parts for goods are available or not, ***on what relevant terms*** and for how long;

Amendment 108
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. *Encourages the Member States to take fiscal measures to promote repairs and second-hand sales, and to develop repairs training;* **deleted**

Or. pl

Amendment 109

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to take fiscal measures to *promote* repairs and second-hand sales, *and to develop repairs training*;

6. Encourages the Member States to take fiscal measures to *stimulate* repairs and second-hand sales;

Or. de

Amendment 110

Kaja Kallas, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to *take* fiscal *measures* to promote repairs

6. Encourages the Member States to *explore* fiscal *incentives* to promote repairs

and second-hand sales, and to develop repairs training;

and second-hand sales, and to develop repairs training;

Or. en

Amendment 111

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Encourages the Member States to take fiscal measures to promote repairs and second-hand sales, and to develop repairs training;

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to take fiscal measures to promote ***durable high-quality products that are reparable***, repairs and second-hand sales, and to develop repairs training;

Or. en

Amendment 112

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. ***Points out that*** the option of going to an independent repairer ***should always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical or software-related schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;***

Amendment

7. ***Insists that there should be*** the option of going to an independent repairer;

Or. de

Amendment 113

Andreas Schwab, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should *always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical or software-related schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies*;

Amendment

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should *be encouraged*;

Or. de

Amendment 114
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical or *software-related schemes* which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

Amendment

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical or *software solutions* which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

Or. pl

Amendment 115
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, for example by banning

Amendment

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, *whilst complying with EU*

technical or software-related schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

law on confidentiality of intellectual property, for example by banning schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

Or. en

Amendment 116
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical or software-related schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

Amendment

7. Points out that the option of going to an independent repairer should always be safeguarded, for example by banning technical, *safety* or software-related schemes which prevent repairs from being performed other than by approved firms or bodies;

Or. en

Amendment 117
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. *Calls for efforts to encourage the re-use of spare parts for the second-hand market, and stresses the importance of investing in 3D printing, in order to provide parts for professionals and consumers who wish to repair their own goods, and of encouraging the free dissemination of the catalogues for these parts;*

Amendment

deleted

Amendment 118

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. *Calls for efforts to encourage the re-use of spare parts for the second-hand market, and stresses the importance of investing in 3D printing, in order to provide parts for professionals and consumers who wish to repair their own goods, and of encouraging the free dissemination of the catalogues for these parts;* *deleted*

Amendment 119

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. *Calls for efforts to encourage the re-use of spare parts for the second-hand market, and stresses the importance of investing in 3D printing, in order to provide parts for professionals and consumers who wish to repair their own goods, and of encouraging the free dissemination of the catalogues for these parts;* *deleted*

Amendment 120

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Calls for efforts to encourage the re-use of spare parts for the second-hand market, ***and stresses the importance of investing in 3D printing, in order to provide parts for professionals and consumers who wish to repair their own goods, and of encouraging the free dissemination of the catalogues for these parts;***

Amendment

8. Calls for efforts to encourage the re-use of spare parts for the second-hand market;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Nicola Danti, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

8a. Stresses the importance of investing in 3D printing, in order to provide parts for professionals and consumers who wish to repair their own goods, and of encouraging the free dissemination of the catalogues for these parts; urges in this regard that product safety, counterfeiting and copyright protection have to be safeguarded;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 122

Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Promoting a usage-oriented economic model

A new economic system to meet new challenges

Or. de

Amendment 123
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Promoting a usage-oriented economic model

Operating a usage-oriented economic model

Or. pl

Amendment 124
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. *Urges the Commission to focus on developing the functional economy and to conduct a study into the ways in which individual product families are fostering or holding back the development of this economic model;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 125
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Urges the Commission *to focus on developing the functional economy and to conduct a study into the ways in which individual product families are fostering or holding back the development of this economic model;*

Amendment

9. Urges the Commission *and the Member States, in view of the coexistence of diverse economic and business models – including the functional economy – to refrain from taking action that favours one over the others, which would lead to the distortion of competition on the open market;*

Or. pl

Amendment 126
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Urges the Commission to *focus on developing the functional economy and to conduct a study into the ways in which individual product families are fostering or holding back the development of this economic model;*

Amendment

9. Urges the Commission to *promote responsible consumer behaviour in Member States and among stakeholders, including within education, and in the process take account of the sustainability of the functional economy;*

Or. de

Amendment 127
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9a. *Notes that comprehensive assessments must be carried out of product and service types providing added value for the internal market, consumers and resource protection measures before new economic systems such as the functional economy are introduced;*

Or. de

Amendment 128
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. *Calls on the Member States:*

deleted

-to consult with the relevant stakeholders in order to develop a usage-based sales model which benefits everyone,

-to step up their efforts at regulatory simplification and implement a fiscal policy which promotes the development of the functional economy, via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;

-to support local and regional authorities that are investing in the functional and collaborative economies;

Or. de

Amendment 129
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Calls on the Member States:

10. Calls on the *Commission and the*
Member States:

Or. pl

Amendment 130

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- to consult with the relevant stakeholders *in order to develop a usage-based sales model which benefits everyone,*

Amendment

- to consult with the relevant stakeholders *and analyse how product usability periods can be maximised;*

Or. de

Amendment 131

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- to consult with *the relevant* stakeholders in order to develop a usage-based sales model which benefits everyone,

Amendment

- to consult with *all* stakeholders *concerned* in order to develop a usage-based sales model which benefits everyone,

Or. en

Amendment 132

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *to step up their efforts at regulatory simplification and implement a fiscal policy which promotes the development of the functional economy, via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 133 Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 10 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *to step up their efforts at regulatory simplification and implement a fiscal policy which promotes the development of the functional economy, via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;*

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 134 Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 10 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- to step up their efforts at regulatory simplification **and implement a fiscal policy which promotes** the development of the functional economy, **via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which**

- to step up their efforts at regulatory simplification **to promote** the development of the functional economy **and** encourage

encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;

the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;

Or. en

Amendment 135

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- to step up their efforts at regulatory *simplification* and implement a fiscal policy which promotes the development of the functional economy, via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;

Amendment

- to step up their efforts at regulatory *measures* and implement a fiscal policy which promotes the development of the functional economy, via reduced VAT rates, tax credits or endowments which encourage the rental, exchange and borrowing of goods;

Or. en

Amendment 136

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Nicola Danti, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- to support local and regional authorities that are investing in the functional and *collaborative* economies;

Amendment

- to support local and regional authorities that are investing in the functional and *collaborative/sharing* economies *and in economic models that promote the durability of goods and strengthen the repair, re-use and recycling sectors*;

Or. en

Amendment 137

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

- to support local and regional authorities that are investing in the functional and collaborative economies;

Amendment

- to support local and regional authorities that are investing in the functional and collaborative economies, ***given the value of these two sectors of the economy which encourage more efficient use of resources;***

Or. en

Amendment 138

Andreas Schwab, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy, to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Amendment

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 139

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy, *to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;*

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy;

Or. de

Amendment 140
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. *Urges* the Member States to use their public policies *to promote the functional economy*, to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Amendment

11. *Calls on* the Member States to use their public policies to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Or. pl

Amendment 141
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy, to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Amendment

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy, to ensure that the durability of products is taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities, *as well as to apply by 2030 the principle of extended producer*

responsibility, which would ensure that the components used in production cycles are used intensively;

Or. it

Amendment 142

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote the functional economy, to ensure that the durability of products *is* taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Amendment

11. Urges the Member States to use their public policies to promote *such economical models as* the functional economy, to ensure that the durability *and reparability* of products *are* taken into account in public procurement and to increase the re-use rate of equipment purchased by public authorities;

Or. en

Amendment 143

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

11a. Encourages Member States and the Commission to support the collaborative economy in their public policies given the benefits it provides in utilising spare resources and capacity, for example in the transport and accomodation sectors;

Or. en

Amendment 144
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability ***and to provide financial incentives for social and economic innovations supporting re-use, the usage economy and repairs;***

Amendment

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability;

Or. de

Amendment 145
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability and to provide financial incentives for ***social and economic*** innovations supporting re-use, ***the usage economy and repairs;***

Amendment

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability and to provide financial incentives for innovations supporting re-use;

Or. de

Amendment 146
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability and to provide *financial incentives* for social and economic innovations supporting re-use, *the usage economy and repairs*;

12. Calls on the Commission, when promoting the circular economy, to stress the importance of product durability and *also* to provide *support* for social and economic innovations supporting re-use;

Or. pl

Amendment 147
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. *Encourages the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, in order to make it easier for them to be passed on to social enterprises and associations that can make use of such goods and their components*;

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 148
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Encourages the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, *in order to make it easier for them to be passed on to social enterprises and associations that can make use of such goods and their components*;

13. Encourages the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices *or components* not as waste, but as resources *which can still be put to good use*;

Amendment 149

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Encourages the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, *in order to make it easier for them to be passed on to social enterprises and associations that can make use* of such goods and their components;

Amendment

13. Encourages the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, *so that use can be made* of such goods and their components;

Or. de

Amendment 150

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. *Encourages* the Commission to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, in order to make it easier for them to be passed on to social enterprises and associations that can make use of such goods and their components;

Amendment

13. *Calls* the Commission *and the Member States to respect the waste hierarchy established in EU legislation (Waste Framework Directive (2008/98/EC)), and in particular* to view re-usable and reconditionable electrical and electronic devices not as waste, but as resources, in order to make it easier for them to be passed on to social enterprises and associations that can make use of such goods and their components;

Or. en

Amendment 151
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ensuring better information for consumers

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 152
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Calls on the Commission to improve product durability information via:

deleted

-the promotion of a European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features, upgradeability in line with technical progress and reparability,

-mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,

-the creation of a usage meter for the most relevant consumer products, in particular large electrical appliances,

-an assessment of the impact of aligning lifespan labelling with the duration of the legal guarantee;

Or. pl

Amendment 153
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *the promotion of a European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features, upgradeability in line with technical progress and reparability,* *deleted*

Or. de

Amendment 154
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford, Anneleen Van Bossuyt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *the promotion of a European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features, upgradeability in line with technical progress and reparability,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 155
Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *the promotion of a European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features,* *deleted*

upgradeability in line with technical progress and reparability,

Or. en

Amendment 156

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec, Pascal Arimont

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- the promotion of a European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features, upgradeability in line with technical progress and *reparability*,

Amendment

- the promotion of a *voluntary* European label covering, in particular, the product's durability, ecodesign features, upgradeability in line with technical progress and *reparability*,

Or. de

Amendment 157

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- *mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,*

Amendment

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 158

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,* *deleted*

Or. de

Amendment 159

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 160

Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 161

Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- **mandatory labelling** to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,

Amendment

- **tests carried out with voluntary agencies** to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders, **which would make it possible to establish a standard format and methodology for all Member States,**

Or. fr

Amendment 162
Marlene Mizzi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,

Amendment

- mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life **and reparability of products**, on the basis of standardised criteria set by selected stakeholders,

Or. en

Amendment 163
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Nicola Danti, Marlene Mizzi, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria *set by selected stakeholders*,

- mandatory labelling to indicate a product's expected useful life, on the basis of standardised criteria;

Or. en

Amendment 164

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *the creation of a usage meter for the most relevant consumer products, in particular large electrical appliances,*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 165

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *an assessment of the impact of aligning lifespan labelling with the duration of the legal guarantee;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 166

Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *an assessment of the impact of aligning lifespan labelling with the duration of the legal guarantee;* *deleted*

Or. fr

Amendment 167

Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *an assessment of the impact of aligning lifespan labelling with the duration of the legal guarantee;* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 168

Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – indent 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *the use of digital applications or social media;*

Or. ro

Amendment 169

Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. Stresses the need for standards for product user manuals to ensure that their format is clear, accessible and easy to understand and that they offer recommendations for the longest possible product lifetime;

Or. ro

Amendment 170
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. Calls, where the anticipated lifetime of products is stated, for that information to be based on standard criteria;

Or. de

Amendment 171
Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. -standardising information included in manuals regarding a product's durability, upgradeability, and reparability;

Or. en

Amendment 172
Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14b. *Stresses the need to consult consumer organisations to ensure an informed approach with regard to the problems that they deal with;*

Or. ro

Amendment 173
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. *Calls for local and regional authorities, companies and associations to be given help in conducting consumer awareness campaigns on extending the lifespans of products, in particular involving the provision of advice on maintenance, repair, re-use, etc.;*

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 174
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. *Calls for local and regional authorities, companies and associations to be given help in conducting consumer awareness campaigns on extending the lifespans of products, in particular*

15. *Calls for all relevant stakeholders to conduct consumer awareness campaigns on extending the lifespans of products, in particular involving the provision of advice on maintenance, repair, re-use, etc.;*

involving the provision of advice on maintenance, repair, re-use, etc.;

Or. de

Amendment 175

Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. ***Calls for*** local and regional authorities, companies and associations ***to be given help*** in conducting consumer awareness campaigns on extending the lifespans of products, in particular ***involving the provision of*** advice on maintenance, repair, re-use, etc.;

Amendment

15. ***Urges the Member States and the Commission to assist*** local and regional authorities, companies and associations in conducting consumer awareness campaigns on extending the lifespans of products, in particular ***by providing information on*** advice on maintenance, repair, re-use, etc.;

Or. en

Amendment 176

Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

15a. Suggests to promote notification platforms for consumers for early failing and non-repairable products, such as the "Trop vite utilisé" platform initiative,

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 177

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. *suggests to promote notification platforms for consumers for early failing and non-repairable products, such as the 'Trop vite usé-Platform initiative';*

Or. en

Amendment 178
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Putting a stop to planned obsolescence

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 179
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. *Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for 'whistle-blowers';*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 180
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. *Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;*

Amendment

16. *Draws attention to the concern growing among consumers as a result of emerging suspicions that some manufacturers may be deliberately building technical features into their products to shorten their lifetimes; calls on the Commission to look closely into this matter and, if wrongdoing is found to have occurred, to take steps to put an end to any such practices that could damage the interests of consumers;*

Or. pl

Amendment 181
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. *Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;*

Amendment

16. *Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence and a ban introduced, furthermore calls on the Commission to examine the possibility of establishing an independent system that could test and detect built-in obsolescence in products;*

Or. en

Amendment 182
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that **products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened** can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘**whistle-blowers**’;

Amendment

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that **producers who use design techniques to reduce the potential useful life of a product** can be banned **and punished**; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘**whistleblowers**’;

Or. it

Amendment 183

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;

Amendment

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, **in consultation with consumer organisations and other stakeholders**, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;

Or. en

Amendment 184

Biljana Borzan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be

Amendment

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be

banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;

banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’; ***and strong dissuasive measures for producers;***

Or. en

Amendment 185
Philippe Juvin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence, for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;

Amendment

16. Calls for a definition to be drawn up of planned obsolescence ***at EU level,*** for hardware and software, so that products whose lifespan is deliberately shortened can be banned; calls, in that connection, for better legal protection for ‘whistle-blowers’;

Or. fr

Amendment 186
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission to improve consumer confidence:

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission to ***implement legislative initiatives and measures to*** improve consumer confidence:

Or. it

Amendment 187
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 188
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 189
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,*

– *by harmonising consumer protection rules in order to reduce disparities between Member States and thereby to increase consumer confidence in such rules within the single market and make it easier for businesses, in particular SMEs, to sell their goods throughout the EU;*

Amendment 190
Kaja Kallas, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as *a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,*

Amendment

- by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as *an EU-wide harmonised legal guarantee to provide certainty to both consumers and companies ;*

Or. en

Amendment 191
Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- *by maintaining* the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,

Amendment

- *takes the view that* the 24-month legal guarantee as *established in the proposal for a directive COM/2015/063 on certain aspects concerning contracts for the online and other distance sales of goods should be* a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions;

Or. it

Amendment 192
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down more protective national provisions,

Amendment

- by maintaining the 24-month legal guarantee as a minimum threshold, whilst leaving Member States free to lay down ***or retain existing*** more protective national provisions,

Or. en

Amendment 193

Andreas Schwab, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- ***by extending the legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the ecodesign process, and introducing a minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,***

Amendment

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 194

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- ***by extending the legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the***

Amendment

deleted

ecodesign process, and introducing a minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,

Or. pl

Amendment 195

Dita Charanzová, Jasenko Selimovic, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by extending the legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the ecodesign process, and introducing a minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 196

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Olga Sehnalová, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by extending the legal *guarantee* of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products *on the basis of* the product life cycle study carried out as part of the *ecodesign* process, *and introducing a*

- by *considering* extending the *length of the EU-level* legal *guarantees* of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for *those products for which the reasonably expected lifespan of the product is longer, such as* families of

minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,

energy-using products *or movable fixed assets, taking into account among others* the product life cycle study carried out as part of the *eco-design* process, *while leaving the Member States free to maintain or introduce more stringent provisions; highlights in this context the strong consumer protection measures taken already in some Member States;*

Or. en

Amendment 197
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by ***extending the*** legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the ecodesign process, ***and introducing a minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,***

Amendment

- by ***considering a*** legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for families of energy-using products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the ecodesign process,

Or. de

Amendment 198
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- by extending the legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for ***families of energy-using***

Amendment

- by extending the legal guarantee of conformity beyond the current two-year minimum for large household appliances

products on the basis of the product life cycle study carried out as part of the ecodesign process, and introducing a minimum period of five years for large household appliances and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply,

and movable fixed assets gradually, so that companies can comply, *and leaving Member states free to lay down or retain longer national provisions;*

Or. en

Amendment 199
Pascal Durand

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by reversing the burden of proof of non-conformity of a product from the consumer to the manufacturer,*

Or. en

Amendment 200
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 – indent 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by improving the link between the eco-design legislation and contract law*

Or. en

Amendment 201
Birgit Collin-Langen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by simplifying proof of purchase for the consumer by linking the guarantee to the goods rather than the purchaser, through the introduction of digital proof of guarantee across the board;*

deleted

Or. de

Amendment 202

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by simplifying proof of purchase for the consumer by linking the guarantee to the goods rather than the purchaser, *through the introduction of digital proof of guarantee across the board;*

- by simplifying proof of purchase for the consumer by linking the guarantee to the goods rather than the purchaser;

Or. de

Amendment 203

Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- by simplifying proof of purchase for the consumer by linking the guarantee to the goods rather than the purchaser, through the introduction of *digital proof of* guarantee across the board;

- by simplifying proof of purchase for the consumer by linking the guarantee to the goods rather than the purchaser, *and further* through the introduction of *e-receipts and digital* guarantee *schemes* across the board;

Amendment 204

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Lucy Anderson, Marc Tarabella, Maria Grapini, Biljana Borzan, Virginie Rozière, Olga Sehnalová, Nicola Danti, Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – indent 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *by reversing the burden of proof of non-conformity of a product from the consumer to the manufacturer*

Amendment 205

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. *Calls for the implementation of a complaints mechanism at European level for cases in which the right to a guarantee is not implemented, in order to facilitate the monitoring of the application of European standards by the relevant authorities;*

deleted

Amendment 206

Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Calls for the implementation of a complaints mechanism at European level for cases in which the right to a guarantee is not implemented, in order to facilitate the monitoring of the application of European standards by the relevant authorities;

deleted

Or. de

**Amendment 207
Adam Szejnfeld**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Calls for the implementation of a complaints mechanism at European level for cases in which the right to a guarantee is not implemented, in order to facilitate the monitoring of the application of European standards by the relevant authorities;

18. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to make greater efforts to encourage consumers to make use of out-of-court dispute settlement procedures, in particular online and alternative procedures;

Or. pl

**Amendment 208
Adam Szejnfeld**

**Motion for a resolution
Subheading 7**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Protecting consumers against software obsolescence

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 209
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 7

Motion for a resolution

Protecting consumers against *software* obsolescence

Amendment

Protecting consumers against *functional* obsolescence

Or. de

Amendment 210
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for software, and calls for greater transparency regarding the upgradeability of equipment;

Amendment

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 211
Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for software, and calls for greater transparency regarding the upgradeability of equipment;

Amendment

19. Considers that the increasing integration of software with hardware requires greater transparency regarding the upgradeability, security updates and durability necessary to both the functioning of the software and the hardware ; Calls on the Commission to explore the need to facilitate greater

cooperation in B2B relationships to address this concern ;

Or. en

Amendment 212

Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for software, **and** calls for **greater transparency regarding the upgradeability** of equipment;

Amendment

19. Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for **hardware, the functionality of which must not be jeopardised where it cannot support software upgrading and, where equipment is upgraded, calls for it to be clearly explained whether the upgrade is compatible with the software version installed in the** equipment;

Or. it

Amendment 213

Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. **Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for software, and calls** for greater transparency regarding the upgradeability of equipment;

Amendment

19. **Calls** for greater transparency regarding the upgradeability of equipment;

Or. de

Amendment 214

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19**

Motion for a resolution

19. *Expects standards to be laid down for a minimum lifespan for software, and calls for greater transparency regarding the upgradeability of equipment;*

Amendment

19. Calls for greater transparency regarding the *software* upgradeability of equipment;

Or. en

**Amendment 215
Adam Szejnfeld**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20**

Motion for a resolution

20. *Proposes the definition of a reasonable period of use during which the provision of security updates on operating systems is mandatory;*

Amendment

deleted

Or. pl

**Amendment 216
Marco Zullo**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20**

Motion for a resolution

20. *Proposes the definition of a reasonable period of use during which the provision of security updates on operating systems is mandatory;*

Amendment

deleted

Or. it

Amendment 217

Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. *Proposes the definition of a reasonable period of use during which the provision of security updates on operating systems is mandatory;*

Amendment

20. *Encourages transparency from suppliers and manufacturers on the minimum period for which security updates on operating systems will be provided;*

Or. en

Amendment 218

Kaja Kallas, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. *Proposes the definition of a reasonable period of use during which the provision of security updates on operating systems is mandatory;*

Amendment

20. *Highlights that the reasonable period of use during which the provision of security updates on operating systems should be stipulated in the contract as part of the conformity criteria ; Stresses in addition the need for the supplier of the good, in cases of embedded operating systems, to ensure the delivery of those updates ;*

Or. en

Amendment 219

Andreas Schwab, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21. Calls for the introduction of an eco-contribution penalty in cases where software updates essential to the operation of a device are not provided, and calls for these updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;

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Or. de

Amendment 220

Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21. Calls for the introduction of an eco-contribution penalty in cases where software updates essential to the operation of a device are not provided, and calls for these updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;

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Or. pl

Amendment 221

Dita Charanzová, Kaja Kallas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21. Calls for the introduction of an eco-contribution penalty in cases where software updates essential to the operation of a device are not provided, and calls for

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these updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;

Or. en

Amendment 222
Birgit Collin-Langen, Sabine Verheyen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Calls for *the introduction of an eco-contribution penalty in cases where software updates essential to the operation of a device are not provided, and calls for these updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;*

Amendment

21. Calls for *essential* software updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;

Or. de

Amendment 223
Daniel Dalton, Vicky Ford

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Calls for *the introduction of an eco-contribution penalty in cases where software updates essential to the operation of a device are not provided, and calls for these updates to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;*

Amendment

21. Calls for software updates essential to the operation of a device to be reversible and accompanied by information on the consequences for the operation of the device;

Or. en

Amendment 224
Adam Szejnfeld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. *Calls for the replaceability of parts, including the processor, to be encouraged by means of standardisation, so that products can be kept up to date;*

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Or. pl

Amendment 225
Andreas Schwab, Sabine Verheyen, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ivan Štefanec

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. *Calls for the replaceability of parts, including the processor, **to be encouraged by means of standardisation**, so that products can be kept up to date;*

22. *Calls for the replaceability of parts, including the processor, so that products can be kept up to date;*

Or. de