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Public Hearing Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection

Post-REFIT proposal on the revision of consumer law: Better enforcement and modernisation of EU consumer protection rules

11 July 2018 from 14h30 to 16h00

European Parliament, Brussels Paul-Henri Spaak (PHS), Room 3C050

14h30 - 14h35 Opening remarks

- > Ms Anneleen Van Bossuyt, IMCO Chair
- > Mr Daniel Dalton, IMCO Rapporteur

14h35 – 15h15 Better enforcement and modernisation of EU consumer protection rules

Speakers:

- Academic perspective:
 Ms Verena Klappstein, Dr. jur., Universität Passau, (10 min)
- Member State perspective:
 Ms Petra Píšová, Slovak Trade Inspection (10 min)
- Consumer perspective:
 Ms Ursula Pachl, Deputy Director General, BEUC (10 min)
- ➤ SMEs perspective Mr Luc Hendrickx, Director Entreprise Policy and External Relations, UEAPME (10 min)

15h15 – 15h50 Q&A session: Rapporteur, MEPs, speakers

15h50 - 15h55 European Commission

15h55 – 16h00 Closing remarks

- ➤ Mr Daniel Dalton, IMCO Rapporteur
- ➤ Ms Anneleen Van Bossuyt, IMCO Chair

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