The Commission’s proposal for a Directive on improving working conditions in platform work\(^1\) provides that it shall not affect Member States’ prerogative to apply or to introduce laws, regulations or administrative provisions which are more favourable for platform workers.

Member States can thus introduce or maintain a presumption rule which has a broader scope or a lower threshold than the rebuttable presumption in the draft Directive, even after its entry into force, as long as such a presumption rule is more favourable to platform workers than the one provided for in the Directive and as long as it remains rebuttable.

\(^1\) COM(2021) 762 final.