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to the

Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council

amending Directives 2005/29/EC and 2011/83/EU as regards empowering consumers for the green transition through better protection against unfair practices and better information

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Annex I to Directive 2005/29/EC is amended as follows:

- (1) the following point 2a is inserted:
- '2a. Displaying a sustainability label which is not based on a certification scheme or not established by public authorities.';
- (2) the following points 4a and 4b are inserted:
- '4a. Making a generic environmental claim for which the trader is not able to demonstrate recognised excellent environmental performance relevant to the claim.
- 4b. Making an environmental claim about the entire product when it actually concerns only a certain aspect of the product.';
- (3) the following point 10a is inserted:
- '10a. Presenting requirements imposed by law on all products within the relevant product category on the Union market as a distinctive feature of the trader's offer.';
- (4) the following points 23d to 23i are inserted:
- '23d. Omitting to inform the consumer that a software update will negatively impact the use of goods with digital elements or certain features of those goods even if the software update improves the functioning of other features.
- 23e. Omitting to inform the consumer about the existence of a feature of a good introduced to limit its durability.
- 23f. Claiming that a good has a certain durability in terms of usage time or intensity when it does not.
- 23g. Presenting goods as allowing repair when they do not or omitting to inform the consumer that goods do not allow repair in accordance with legal requirements.
- 23h. Inducing the consumer into replacing the consumables of a good earlier than for technical reasons is necessary.
- 23i. Omitting to inform that a good is designed to limit its functionality when using consumables, spare parts or accessories that are not provided by the original producer.'.