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European Parliament passes Common European Sales Law

Commenting on today's European Parliament vote passing the Common European Sales Law, BEUC Deputy Director General Ursula Pachl commented:

"MEPs have today voted to pass a law which will only lead to consumer confusion when buying across borders, more compliance costs and red tape for SMEs as well as have a deleterious effect on some national consumer protection legislation.

"E-commerce businesses and consumers are in chorus in their concerns over CESL. So we strongly hope that the Council will see the risks involved and shelve this proposal before it passes the final hurdle."

Read the BEUC/Ecommerce Europe joint letter <u>here</u> Read BEUC Factsheet on CESL <u>here</u>

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