

Amendment to the proposal for a Council Directive on consumer protection in respect of the indication of prices for non-food products ⁽¹⁾

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(Submitted by the Commission to the Council pursuant to the second paragraph of Article 149 of the EEC Treaty on 29 July 1985)

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Article 3

Insert a new subparagraph:

3. The unit price may be shown by poster or labelling. The unit price must not be confused with the selling price which is more important. This ranking must be made plain in the way the information is presented.

Article 4

Delete the words 'indicated at the place of sale'.

Article 5

To read: Any written or printed advertisement at the place of sale or elsewhere and any catalogue aimed at the final consumer (. . .).

Article 10

Insert a new paragraph:

Until the expiry of the transitional period during which use of the imperial system of units of measurement is authorized by Community provisions relating to units of measurement, the competent national authorities in Ireland and the United Kingdom shall determine, for each product or each category of product, the units of mass or volume of the international system or the imperial system in which indication of the unit price is compulsory.

Article 11

The first sentence to read:

Member States may exempt products sold by certain small retail businesses and passed directly by the seller to the buyer from the obligation to indicate the unit price **by labelling** (. . .).

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 8, 13. 1. 1984, p. 2.

Amendment to the proposal for a Directive amending Directive 79/581/EEC on consumer protection on the indication of the prices of foodstuffs ⁽¹⁾

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Article 1

(new paragraph 1 (a))

Insert a new paragraph 4 in Article 3:

4. The unit price may be shown by poster or labelling. The unit price must not be confused with the selling price which is more important. This ranking must be made plain in the way the information is presented.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No C 53, 24. 2. 1984, p. 7.