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Subject: BEUC recommendations for the technical e-commerce negotiations with Japan

Dear [Art.4.1(b)]

I hope this e-mail finds you well.

As you know, at BEUC we are now also working on the EU-Japan EPA and like for TTIP and TiSA we'd like to contribute as constructively as possible to the negotiations. Therefore, we've sent joint recommendations adopted with our Japanese counterpart Consumers Union of Japan to Mauro, [Art.4.1(b)] and the team (attached). To go into more details, we've reviewed some of the chapters published to share our feedback and make some recommendations. I attach our analysis and recommendations regarding the e-commerce chapter. They follow the same logic than our recommendations for TTIP and TiSA.

I'll be happy to discuss further if you have remarks about the analysis and I hope that our recommendations will be useful for you during the technical conclusion phase. Indeed, the e-commerce chapter has the potential to bring further benefits to consumers on both sides and illustrate how trade agreements can in general be positive to citizens.

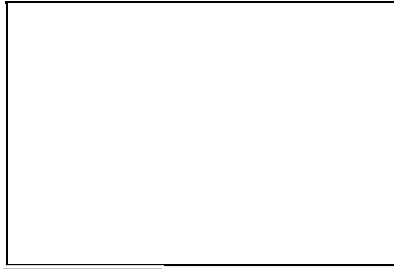
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