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Subject: **ADOPTION OF LEGISLATIVE ACTS FOLLOWING THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT'S SECOND READING**
Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on package travel and assisted travel arrangements, amending Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004, Directive 2011/83/EU and repealing Council Directive 90/314/EEC
– Outcome of the European Parliament's second reading
(Strasbourg, 26 to 29 October 2015)

I. VOTE

Since no amendment had been adopted, the President of the European Parliament declared the Council's position at first reading approved.

The text of the European Parliament's legislative resolution is annexed to this note.

II. ADOPTION OF LEGISLATIVE ACTS FOLLOWING THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT'S SECOND READING

Since the European Parliament has approved the Council's position at first reading, the act in question is deemed to have been adopted in the wording which corresponds to the Council's position at first reading, as provided for in Article 294 (7)(a) of the TFEU.

After signature by the President of the European Parliament, the President of the Council and the Secretaries-General of the two Institutions, the act in question will be published in the *Official Journal* of the European Union.

(27.10.2015)

Package travel and linked travel arrangements *II**

European Parliament legislative resolution of 27 October 2015 on the Council position at first reading with a view to the adoption of a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on package travel and linked travel arrangements, amending Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 and Directive 2011/83/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Directive 90/314/EEC (09173/3/2015 – C8-0281/2015 – 2013/0246(COD))
(Ordinary legislative procedure: second reading)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Council position at first reading (09173/3/2015 – C8-0281/2015),
 - having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee of 11 December 2013¹,
 - having regard to its position at first reading² on the Commission proposal to Parliament and the Council (COM(2013)0512),
 - having regard to Article 294(7) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,
 - having regard to Rule 76 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the recommendation for second reading of the Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection (A8-0297/2015),
1. Approves the Council position at first reading;
 2. Takes note of the Commission statement annexed to this resolution;
 3. Notes that the act is adopted in accordance with the Council position;

¹ OJ C 170, 5.6.2014, p. 73.

² Texts adopted of 12.3.2014, P7_TA(2014)0222.

4. Instructs its President to sign the act with the President of the Council, in accordance with Article 297(1) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union;
5. Instructs its Secretary-General to sign the act, once it has been verified that all the procedures have been duly completed, and, in agreement with the Secretary-General of the Council, to arrange for its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*;
6. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council, the Commission and the national parliaments.

ANNEX TO THE LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

Commission statement

When revising the Commission staff working document of 3 December 2009 entitled "Guidance on the implementation/application of Directive 2005/29/EC on unfair commercial practices", the Commission will also address the issue of commercial practices whereby travel service providers who market their services online offer additional services in a hidden, unclear or ambiguous manner, such as hiding the option of not booking any further services. The Commission will inform Parliament on how its views have been taken into account when the revised Guidance is adopted.
