

經濟發展事務委員會

**在 2016 年 5 月 23 日的會議上就
議程項目 IV"《2012 年商品說明(不良營商手法)(修訂)條例》的
實施情況"通過的議案**

本會促請政府就強制實施冷靜期進行立法，並優先在投訴多、金額大的預繳式服務，例如健身中心和美容業，推行法定冷靜期，讓消費者可在該期限內無條件退款及取消合約，保障消費者，也間接打擊不良和高壓推銷的誘因，最終也保護了相關從業員。

議案動議人：鄧家彪議員, JP

議案和議人：陳婉嫻議員, SBS, JP

(Translation)

Panel on Economic Development

**Motion passed under agenda item IV on
"Implementation of the Trade Descriptions (Unfair Trade Practices)
(Amendment) Ordinance 2012"
at the meeting on 23 May 2016**

That this Panel urges the Government to introduce legislation on imposition of mandatory cooling-off periods, and accord priority to implementing a statutory cooling-off period for pre-paid services involving a lot of complaints and large amount of payment, such as those provided by fitness centres and the beauty industry, so that consumers may unconditionally receive a refund of the paid fees and cancel the contracts during the cooling-off period with a view to protecting consumers' rights, thereby indirectly dampening the incentive to engage in unfair and high-pressure marketing practices, and ultimately safeguarding practitioners of the relevant trades as well.

Motion moved by : Hon TANG Ka-piu, JP

Motion seconded by : Hon CHAN Yuen-han, SBS, JP