Numbers of complaints in relation to online shopping received by Consumer Council in the last three years (by nature of complaints)

Annex

| Nature of Complaints | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 (January to October) |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sales practice | 1 943 | 375 | 199 | 353 |
| Delayed delivery | 1 748 | 877 | 1 043 | 742 |
| Price/charge dispute | 568 | 643 | 700 | 694 |
| Product quality | 229 | 231 | 236 | 294 |
| Service quality | 461 | 588 | 599 | 464 |
| Repair and maintenance services | 28 | 25 | 43 | 38 |
| Contract variation/ termination | 145 | 377 | 74 | 247 |
| Suspected counterfeit goods | 37 | 66 | 41 | 84 |
| Expired product | 43 | 38 | 42 | 26 |
| Wrong model | 69 | 101 | 41 | 41 |
| Gifts/ Discounted goods | 26 | 57 | 78 | 59 |
| Closing down of shop | 22 | 23 | 62 | 5 |
| Others | 123 | 65 | 44 | 31 |
| Total (representing percentage of total complaints received by the Consumer Council) | 5 442 (17.5%) | 3 466 (12.7%) | 3 202 (12.8%) | 3 078 (15%) |