

**Memorandum on the Establishment and
Operation of the
International Consumer Protection and
Enforcement Network
(ICPEN)
(formerly known as the International Marketing
Supervision
Network (IMSN))**

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- (d) Co-operate at an operational level in preventing marketing malpractices as they arise. Cooperation will be on an informal basis. Participating organisations should endeavour to help each other, subject to national law and practice and availability of resources.

Participation in the Network

The Network comprises three types of participating organisations: Member

each Member organisation's annual report and determine whether the Member organisation has fulfilled its activity requirements. Member organisations not fulfilling the minimum activity requirements will be contacted. Any Member organisation not meeting the activity criteria in paragraph (e) for two years in a row will become a Partner and thereby lose the right to be involved in decision making.

- (g) Member organisations that are no longer able to fulfil the obligations of full activity in the Network, as foreseen in paragraph (e), or prefer to participate rather on a limited basis in the activities of the Network can do so as a "partner (d)-0.95 ()-271 (b

Finance

- 14.1 All costs associated with hosting Network events, such as annual conferences and trainings, shall be borne by the event host country.
- 14.2 As outlined in Article 10(b), it is at the Presidency's discretion to charge a nominal fee for invited guests of the Presidency, and who are not Members, Partners or Observers, to attend Network events, such as annual conferences and trainings.
- 14.3 Other expenses to participate in Network events shall be borne by each participating organisation for its own nominated delegates. Participating organisations may seek financial assistance among themselves, and may agree to such assistance on a bilateral basis.
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United Kingdom } Office of Fair Trading
Department of Trade and Industry

United States of America Federal Trade Commission

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Mexico	Procuraduría Federal del Consumidor
New Zealand	Ministry of Consumer Affairs
Norway	The Norwegian Consumer Ombudsman
Poland	Office for Competition and Consumer Protection
Portugal	Instituto Nacional de Defesa do Consumidor
Spain	Instituto Nacional del Consumo
Sweden	Swedish Consumer Agency
Switzerland	State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (seco)
United Kingdom }	Office of Fair Trading Department of Trade and Industry
United States of America	Federal Trade Commission
Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development	
Commission of the European Communities	

LIST OF IMSN PARTICIPANTS, REFERENCE DATE 19 MARCH 2002

COUNTRY	ORGANISATION
Australia }	Australian Competition & Consumer Commission Consumer Affairs Division, The Treasury
Austria	Ministry of Justice, Directorate for Consumer Protection
Belgium	Federal Administration for Economic Inspections
Canada	Industry Canada, Competition Bureau, Fair Business Practices
Czech Republic	Ministerstvo Prumyslu a Obchodu Ceske Republiky
Denmark	The Danish Consumer Ombudsman
Estonia	Consumer Protection Board
France	Direction Générale de la Concurrence de la Consommation et de la Répression des Fraudes
Finland	The Finnish Consumer Ombudsman
Germany }	Verbraucherzentrale Bundesverband e. V. Bundesministerium für Verbraucherschutz
Greece	Ministry of Development
Hungary	Fogyasztóvédelmi Főfelügyelőség
Ireland	Office of the Director of Consumer Affairs
Italy	Italian Competition Authority
Japan }	Japan Fair Trade Commission Cabinet Office
Korea }	Korea Consumer Protection Board Korea Fair Trade Commission
Latvia	Consumer Rights Protection Centre
Luxembourg	Ministère des Classes Moyennes

Malta	Department of Consumer Affairs
Mexico	Procuraduría Federal del Consumidor
Netherlands	Ministry of Economic Affairs
New Zealand	Ministry of Consumer Affairs
Norway	The Norwegian Consumer Ombudsman
Poland	Office for Competition and Consumer Protection
Portugal	Instituto Nacional de Defesa do Consumidor
Slovak	Republic Ministry of Economy of the Slovak Republic
Spain	Instituto Nacional del Consumo
Sweden	Swedish Consumer Agency
Switzerland	State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (seco)
United Kingdom }	Office of Fair Trading Department of Trade and Industry
United States of America	Federal Trade Commission
Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development	
Commission of the European Communities	

**LIST PORT DOUGLAS: ORGANISATIONS PRESENT AT THE CONFERENCE
IN PORT DOUGLAS 2003**

COUNTRY	ORGANISATION
Australia }	Australian Competition & Consumer Commission Consumer Affairs Division, The Treasury
Belgium	Federal Public Service Economy
Canada	Industry Canada, Competition Bureau, Fair Business Practices
Finland	The Finnish Consumer Ombudsman
Germany }	Verbraucherzentrale Bundesverband e. V. Bundesministerium für Verbraucherschutz
Ireland	Office of the Director of Consumer Affairs
Italy	Italian Competition Authority
Japan }	Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry Japan Fair Trade Commission
Korea }	Korea Consumer Protection Board Korea Fair Trade Commission
Latvia	Consumer Rights Protection Centre
Mexico	Procuraduría Federal del Consumidor
New Zealand	Ministry of Consumer Affairs New Zealand Commerce Commission
Norway	The Norwegian Consumer Ombudsman
Sweden	Swedish Consumer Agency
Switzerland	State Secretariat for Ec75 (o)-0.958 ((n)-0.958 (s)-0-9.392 (e)- ((n)158

**LIST HELSINKI: ORGANISATIONS PRESENT AT THE MEETING IN
HELSINKI OCTOBER 10, 2003**

AUSTRALIA	Australian Competition and Consumer Commission Department of Treasury
AUSTRIA	Federal Ministry of Social Security
BELGIUM	FPS Economy, SMEs, Selfemployed & Energy
CANADA	Competition Bureau
DENMARK	Consumer Ombudsman
ESTONIA	Consumer Protection Board
FINLAND	Finnish Consumer Ombudsman
FRANCE	DGCCRF
GREECE	Ministry of Development
HUNGARY	General Inspectorate for Consumer Protection
IRELAND	Office of the Director of Consumer Affairs
ITALY	Italian Competition Authority
JAPAN	Quality-of-Life Policy Bureau, Cabinet Office Fair Trade Commission of Japan
LATVIA	Consumer Rights Protection Centre of Latvia
MEXICO	The Office of the Federal Attorney General for Consumer Protection
NETHERLANDS	Ministry of Economic Affairs
NORWAY	The Norwegian Consumer Ombudsman
POLAND	Office for Competition and Consumer Protection
PORTUGAL	Consumer Institute of Portugal

SOUTH KOREA	Consumer Protection Board Korea Fair Trade Commission
SPAIN	Instituto Nacional del Consumo
SWEDEN	Swedish Consumer Ombudsman
SWITZERLAND	State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (seco)
UNITED KINGDOM	Office of Fair Trading Department of Trade and Industry
USA	Federal Trade Commission
OECD	
EUROPEAN COMMISSION	

**LIST JEJU :
ORGANISATIONS PRESENT AT THE CONFERENCE IN JEJU 2006**

COUNTRY	ORGANISATION
<u>Member organisations :</u>	
Australia	Australian Competition & Consumer Commission
Belgium	DG Enforcement & Mediation, FPS Economy
Canada	Industry Canada, Competition Bureau
Chile	National Consumer Service (SERNAC)
Cyprus	Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism
Denmark	Danish Consumer Ombudsman
Estonia	Consumer Protection Board
Japan }	Fair Trade Commission of Japan National Consumer Affairs Center Cabinet Office
Latvia	Consumer Rights Protection Center
Lithuania	National Consumer Rights Protection Board
Mexico	Procuraduría Federal del Consumidor (Profeco, Office of the Federal Attorney for Consumer Protection)
Netherlands	Netherlands Consumer Authority
New Zealand }	Commerce Commission Ministry of Consumer Affairs
Poland	Office of Competition and Consumer Protection
Republic of Korea }	Korea Consumer Protection Board Korea Fair Trade Commission Ministry of Finance and Economy
Switzerland	State Secretariat for Economic Affairs (seco)

Italy	Italian Competition Authority
Japan}	Fair Trade Commission National Consumer Affairs Center Cabinet Office Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry
Latvia	Consumer Rights Protection Centre
Lithuania	National Consumer Rights Protection Board
Luxembourg	Ministère des Classes Moyennes
Mexico	Procuraduría Federal del Consumidor (PROFECO)
Netherlands	Netherlands Consumer Authority
New Zealand	Commerce Commission
Norway	Norwegian Consumer Ombudsman
Poland}	Office of Competition and Consumer Protection European Consumer Centre Council of Consumer Ombudsman

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Non-member organisations

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