

Consumer Scotland Act 2020 2020 asp 11

PART 1

CONSUMER SCOTLAND

Functions

6 The recall of goods function

- (1) Consumer Scotland must establish and operate, or secure the establishment and operation of, a publicly available database of recalls of goods in Scotland which Consumer Scotland considers to be major (either in terms of the significance of the potential risk to individuals from the goods or the scale of the recall).
- (2) Consumer Scotland may take such further steps as it considers appropriate to provide or secure the provision of advice and information to consumers about such recalls.
- (3) In exercising its functions under this section, Consumer Scotland may (among other things)—
 - (a) publish or otherwise make available information in any manner Consumer Scotland considers appropriate for the purpose of bringing it to the attention of those likely to have an interest in it,
 - (b) support (financially or otherwise), facilitate or co-ordinate the activities of other persons.
- (4) For the purpose of subsection (1), a recall of goods includes a case where, instead of goods being taken back from consumers, corrective measures are being taken in relation to them.