Republic of Latvia

Cabinet

Regulation No. 677

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**Regulations Regarding the Expenses Related to a Consumer Class Action and the Non-Reimbursable Expenses**

*Issued pursuant to*

*Section 26.³³, Paragraph four of the Consumer Rights Protection Law*

1. This Regulation prescribes the permissible amount of the expenses related to a consumer class action and also the non-reimbursable expenses.

2. The expenses which are intended for informing the consumers affected by a consumer rights violations of a class action in the most effective and concurrently economically reasonable manner and which also correspond to the following permissible amount shall be considered justified:

2.1. for a qualified authority – a maximum of 10 000 euros for information measures;

2.2. for a manufacturer, trader, or service provider – a maximum of 500 euros for information measures.

3. The following expenses shall be considered as non-reimbursable expenses:

3.1. the expenses incurred in relation to the informing of consumers outside of the respective class action;

3.2. the expenses of a manufacturer, trader, or service provider for information measures not imposed as an obligation under a court ruling;

3.3. the expenses not aimed at reaching consumers in the most effective and concurrently economically reasonable manner.

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