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#### AMENDMENT TO CLAUSES

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In subclause 3(1) of the Bill the definition of 'daylight saving period' is omitted. This definition will not be required if the proposed amendments to clause 9 are made.

Paragraph 9(a) of the Bill is amended to allow door-to-door trading on any day except:

- . Christmas Day;
- . Good Friday; and
- . Easter Sunday.

Paragraph 9(b) of the Bill is amended to provide that trading hours on public holidays, other than Christmas Day and Good Friday, are the same as those provided for Saturday and Sunday.

Paragraph 9(c) of the Bill is amended to allow door-to-door trading on weekdays between 9am and 8pm throughout the year. (As presented, clause 9 of the Bill restricted the permissible trading period to 9am to 5pm in non-daylight saving time.)

Clause 13 of the Bill is amended by omitting sub-clause 3 which deems a supplier to have received a notice of rescission of a contract at the time it was posted. The omission of this sub-clause will allow the relevant existing provisions of the <u>Interpretation Act 1967</u> to apply. The effect will be that a supplier will be deemed to be served with a notice of rescission at the time when he would have received it in the ordinary course of post.

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