

EU Directives as at 30 June 2022

EU DIRECTIVES TO BE TRANSPOSED by end of 2021 (Four)		
Description of Directive	Deadline for Transposition/ Unit Responsible	Current Position
1. Directive (EU) 2019/1 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2018 to empower the competition authorities of the Member States to be more effective enforcers and to ensure the proper functioning of the internal market	04/02/2021 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	The Competition (Amendment) Bill 2022 was published on 31 January and has completed all Stages in the Oireachtas. It was signed into law by the President on Wednesday 29 June 2022.
2. Directive (EU) 2019/770 of the European Parliament and of the council of 20 May 2019 on certain aspects concerning contracts for the supply of digital content and digital services	01/07/2021 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	Following Government approval, the Consumer Rights Bill was published in February and completed Report and Final Stage in the Dáil on 29 June 2022.
3. Directive (EU) 2019/771 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2019 on certain aspects concerning contracts for the sale of goods, amending Regulation (EU) 2017/2394 and Directive 2009/22/EC, and repealing Directive 1999/44/EC	01/07/2021 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	Following Government approval, the Consumer Rights Bill was published in February and completed Report and Final Stage in the Dáil on 29 June 2022.
4. Commission Directive 2019/2161 of 27 November 2019 amending Council Directive 93/13/EEC and Directives 98/6/EC, 2005/29/EC and 2011/83/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the better enforcement and modernisation of Union consumer protection rules	28/11/2021 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	Following Government approval, the Consumer Rights Bill was published in February and completed Report and Final Stage in the Dáil on 29 June 2022.

EU DIRECTIVES TO BE TRANSPOSED by end of 2022 (Six)		
Description of Directive	Deadline for Transposition/ Unit Responsible	Current Position
1. Directive (EU) 2020/2088 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2020 amending Annex II to Directive 2009/48/EC as regards the labelling of allergenic fragrances in toys	04/07/2022 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	The Directive is due to be signed by An Tánaiste in July 2022.
2. Directive (EU) 2020/2089 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2020 amending Annex II to Directive 2009/48/EC as regards the prohibition of allergenic fragrances in toys.	04/07/2022 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	The Directive is due be to signed by An Tánaiste in July 2022.
3. Directive (EU) 2019/1023 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on preventive restructuring frameworks, on discharge of debt and disqualifications, and on measures to increase the efficiency of procedures concerning restructuring, insolvency and discharge of debt and amending Directive (EU) 2017/1132 on restructuring and insolvency	17/07/2022 <u>Unit:</u> Company Law Development and EU unit	The Directive is due be to signed by An Tánaiste in July 2022.
4. Directive (EU) 2019/1152 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on Transparent and Predictable Working Conditions	01/08/2022 Unit: Employment Rights Policy Unit	The transposition of EU Directive 2019/1152 will proceed by way of regulation rather than primary legislation. Work has commenced on drafting the necessary Regulations, and a Memo for Decision will be prepared for Government seeking approval of the legislative proposals being transposed.
5. Directive (EU) 2021/903 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 June 2021 amending Directive 2009/48/EC as regards specific limit values for aniline in certain toys.	04/12/2022 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	Drafting of the S.I. is underway. It is expected that the transposition deadline of 4 December 2022 will be met.

6. Directive (EU) 2020/1828 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2020 on representative actions for the protection of the collective interests of consumers, and repealing Directive 2009/22/EC	25/12/2022 <u>Unit:</u> Competition & Consumer Policy Unit	The deadline for transposition of Directive (EU) 2020/1828 is expected to be met. The Government approved priority drafting for the General Scheme of the Bill on 22 March 2022 and drafting of the Bill has continued at pace since then.

EU DIRECTIVES TO BE TRANSPOSED by end of 2023 (Two)		
Description of Directive	Deadline for Transposition/ Unit Responsible	Current Position
1. Directive (EU) 2019/2121 of 27 November 2019 amending Directive (EU) 2017/1132 as regards cross-border conversions, mergers and divisions.	31/01/2023 <u>Unit:</u> Audit and Accounting Policy and Enforcement Legislation Unit	Draft Regulations were submitted to OPC on 10 December 2021 for legal scrutiny and settlement. The transposition deadline of 31 January 2023 is expected to be met.
2. Directive (EU) 2021/2101 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2021 amending Directive 2013/34/EU as regards disclosure of income tax information by certain undertakings and branches	22/06/2023 <u>Unit:</u> Audit and Accounting Policy and Enforcement Legislation Unit	A policy position paper developed following a public consultation is with the Minister for consideration. A transposition workshop is proposed for July 2022. The transposition deadline of 22 June 2023 is expected to be met.

EU DIRECTIVES TO BE TRANSPOSED by end of 2024 (One)		
Description of Directive	Deadline for Transposition/ Unit Responsible	Current Position

1. Directive (EU) 2022/431 of 9 March 2022 amending Directive 2004/37/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens or	05/04/24 <u>Unit:</u> Safety, Health and	Assessment has begun on transposition requirements. It is expected that the transposition deadline
mutagens at work	Chemicals Policy Unit	of 05 April 2024 will be met.

CODIFIED DIRECTIVES as at 30 June 2022

CODIFIED DIRECTIVES ¹ (One) CURRENTLY AWAITING TRANSPOSITION		
Description of Directive	Unit Responsible	Current position
1. Directive 2004/37/EC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens or mutagens at work (Codified)	Safety, Health & Chemical Policy Unit	The timeframe for transposition of this Directive is dependent on the progression of other chemical agents/carcinogens legislative requirements on which legal advice has been received.

¹ Codification brings together previous legislation in a single new Act. There are no timelines required for the transposition of codified Directives.