

SUMMARY

of the Opinion on the Proposal for a DIRECTIVE amending Directives 2000/53/EC on end-of-life vehicles, 2006/66/EC on batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators, and 2012/19/EU on waste electrical and electronic equipment

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The Chamber of Deputies:

1. Welcomes the conclusion on impact evaluation according to which a combination of options will lead to the creation of an important number of jobs, namely 170,000 until 2035, for the majority being impossible to delocalize outside the EU;
2. Welcomes the intention of the Commission to reduce the regulatory burden on small establishments or undertakings, by simplifying the permitting and registration requirements;
3. Expresses its concern regarding the contents of the reports prepared by the Member States and required by the Commission, based on implementation acts regarding the administrative burden, the observance of subsidiarity and transparency principles;
4. Recommends to coordinate the implementation of the Directive with the objectives linked to the ecologic designing of the electronic and electric products especially those concerning the designing meant to facilitate the repair possibilities;
5. Agrees that the goals of the proposal can be reached only through measures taken at the level of the European Union. The proposal does not go beyond what is necessary in order to achieve those goals, thus complying with the subsidiarity principle.