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Headnote

This article notes that previously no direct action was possible for a trader looking to bring an action against another trader for a breach of consumer law by that trader. Section 71(2) of the Irish Consumer Protection Act now gives traders a right to apply to court for an order prohibiting a trader or person from engaging in unfair, misleading or aggressive commercial practices or committing other specific breaches of the Irish Consumer Protection Act. The author notes that this is a new remedy for traders seeking to prevent unfair competition by other traders.

General Note

Related Cases

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