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Dear all,

I hope you are doing fine.

On 28 September the European Commission adopted four delegated regulations proposing new energy labels for televisions, refrigerators, dishwashers and washing machines.

Following the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty, Member States and MEPs now have three months to scrutinise the rules (if there is no rejection by the European Parliament or the Council within three months the measures are deemed to be adopted).

The adoption of the new label for television is, in particular, a very important one as this will be the first time ever that TVs will be labeled in the EU.

You may also remember that last May the European Parliament rejected the proposed label and the European Commission had to issue another proposal. This time a smooth adoption is expected.

You will find all the relevant documents (delegated regulations, Commission's press release, Question & Answers and Images of the 4 labels) at the following address http://ec.europa.eu/energy/efficiency/labelling/energy_labelling_en.htm

If you would like to have more information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best wishes,

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