# SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

# No. 4987 GIBRALTAR Thursday 1st September 2022

## LEGAL NOTICE NO. 256 OF 2022

# **EUROPEAN UNION (WITHDRAWAL) ACT 2019**

## **UNFAIR TERMS IN CONSUMER CONTRACTS (EU EXIT) REGULATIONS 2022**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 11 and paragraph 1 of Schedule 3 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2019, the Minister has made the following Regulations-

## Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts (EU Exit) Regulations 2022.

#### **Commencement.**

2. These Regulations come into operation on the day of publication.

## Amendments to Act.

3.(1) The Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts Act is amended in accordance with the provisions of this regulation.

(2) In section 2 omit the following definitions-

- (a) "the Community";
- (b) "EEA Agreement"
- (c) "member State".

(3) In section 7 for "a non member State, if the contract has a close connection with the territory of a member State" substitute "of another country or territory, if the contract has a close connection with Gibraltar".

(4) In subparagraph (e)(ii) of Schedule 1 for "to which the member States, Gibraltar or the Community are party" substitute "which apply to or in Gibraltar".

Dated: 1<sup>st</sup> September 2022.

S SACRAMENTO, Minister with responsibility for Justice.

## **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

These Regulations make amendments to the Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts Act following Brexit.