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PUBLIC WARNING STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL (CONSUMER AFFAIRS) WITHIN THE MALTA COMPETITION AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS AUTHORITY

The Director General (Consumer Affairs) hereby issues this Public Statement in accordance with Article 8 of the Consumer Affairs Act (Cap.378), by means of which she hereby identifies and gives information to the general public that:

Mr Mark Anthony Barbara, holder of ID Card Number (ID No. 0004675M)

has not honoured the decision delivered by the Consumer Claims Tribunal.

The trader installed two air-conditioning units, one of which resulted faulty due to inadequate installation. The consumer got an estimate of the costs involved to repair the air conditioner and this amounted to €630.

Mr Barbara failed to contest the consumer's claims and also failed to appear at any of the sittings. The Tribunal ordered Mr Barbara to pay the aforementioned sum of €630 plus the Tribunal expenses.

Josephine Borg

Director General (Consumer Affairs)