Consumer Policy Ministerial Meeting

Consumers at the centre of the digital and green transitions



"Consumers must be informed about how their behaviour impacts energy, heating, and water use. The Stromspar-Check, funded by the German Federal Ministry for the Environment and Consumer Protection, is a successful project showing that social and climate policies can work together. Stromspar-Check consultants offer free advice to low-income households across Germany on how to save on energy and water consumption. Supporting low-income consumers is crucial, as they are both key to the green transition and the most vulnerable to the climate crisis and rising energy costs."

Since 2008, *Stromspar-Check* advisors have helped households across Germany save money while supporting climate protection. This nationwide initiative has provided guidance to approximately 450 000 households since its inception.

