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5.2 Deferred opt-in for extended warranties

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- (1) A firm must:
 - (a) not conclude the sale of an extended warranty; and
 - (b) ensure that no other *person* to whom the *firm* has referred the customer concludes the sale of an extended warranty;

until at least two clear days have passed since the required information was provided to the *customer* (■ PROD 5.1.1R).

- (2) The period in (1) is one clear day after providing the information if the *customer*:
 - (a) initiates the conclusion of the sale of the extended warranty;
 - (b) consents to the conclusion of the sale of the extended warranty earlier than provided for in (1); and
 - (c) confirms that they understand the restriction in (1).
- G 5.2.2 For example, if a *firm* provided the required information to the *customer* on Monday, it would not (absent the customer's consent) be able to conclude the sale of the extended warranty until Thursday.
- G 5.2.3 Before the conclusion of the sale of an extended warranty, a firm should have regard to the information needs of its customers and consider whether it would be in the *customer's* interest to receive the information in ■ PROD 5.1.1R again, for example if a long time has passed between the provision of the information and the conclusion of the sale.

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