

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 159/2011**  
**of 2 December 2011**  
**amending Annex XXI (Statistics) to the EEA Agreement**

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, as amended by the Protocol adjusting the Agreement on the European Economic Area, hereinafter referred to as 'the Agreement', and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Annex XXI to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 110/2011 of 30 September 2011 <sup>(1)</sup>.
- (2) Commission Regulation (EU) No 88/2011 of 2 February 2011 implementing Regulation (EC) No 452/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the production and development of statistics on education and lifelong learning, as regards statistics on education and training systems <sup>(2)</sup> is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The following point shall be inserted after point 18wa (Commission Regulation (EU) No 823/2010) of Annex XXI to the Agreement:

'18wb. **32011 R 0088**: Commission Regulation (EU) No 88/2011 of 2 February 2011 implementing Regulation (EC) No 452/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the production and development of statistics on education and lifelong learning, as regards statistics on education and training systems (OJ L 29, 3.2.2011, p. 5).'

*Article 2*

The text of Regulation (EU) No 88/2011 in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the *Official Journal of the European Union*, shall be authentic.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on 3 December 2011, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (\*).

*Article 4*

This Decision shall be published in the EEA Section of, and in the EEA Supplement to, the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels, 2 December 2011.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*  
*The President*  
Kurt JÄGER

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 318, 1.12.2011, p. 50.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 29, 3.2.2011, p. 5.

<sup>(\*)</sup> No constitutional requirements indicated.