Official Journal
of the European Union

EN
L series

2026/2540

19.11.2026

COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING DECISION (EU) 2026/2540

of 17 November 2026

on the harmonised standards for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function drafted in support of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 and Regulation (EU) 2019/2024, and repealing Implementing Decision (EU) 2024/2397 and Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/533

(Text with EEA relevance)

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) No 1025/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on European standardisation, amending Council Directives 89/686/EEC and 93/15/EEC and Directives 94/9/EC, 94/25/EC, 95/16/EC, 97/23/EC, 98/34/EC, 2004/22/EC, 2007/23/EC, 2009/23/EC and 2009/105/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Decision 87/95/EEC and Decision No 1673/2006/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council ([1]), and in particular Article 10(6) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) In accordance with Article 9(2) of Directive 2009/125/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council ([2]), refrigerating appliances which are in conformity with harmonised standards or parts thereof, the references of which have been published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*, are to be presumed to conform to the relevant requirements of the applicable implementing measure to which such standards relate as referred to in Article 9(2) of that Directive and set out in Annex VII to that Directive, covered by those harmonised standards or parts thereof.

(2) By way of Implementing Decision of 2 May 2022 ([3]), the Commission made a standardisation request to the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation (Cenelec) for new harmonised standards to be drafted and for the existing harmonised standards to be revised, in support of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 ([4]) and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 ([5]).

(3) On the basis of that standardisation request, Cenelec amended standard EN 63252:2020 and subsequently adopted an amendment EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024.

(4) The Commission has assessed whether standard EN IEC 63252:2020 as amended by EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 drafted by Cenelec comply with the standardisation request.

([1]) OJ L 316, 14.11.2012, p. 12.; ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2012/1025/oj.
([2]) Directive 2009/125/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 October 2009 establishing a framework for the setting of ecodesign requirements for energy-related products (OJ L 285, 31.10.2009, p. 10, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dir/2009/125/oj).
([3]) Commission Implementing Decision of 2 May 2022 on a standardisation request to the European standardisation organisations as regards refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function in support of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 (C(2022) 2764).
([4]) Commission Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 of 1 October 2019 laying down ecodesign requirements for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function pursuant to Directive 2009/125/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 315, 5.12.2019, p. 313, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2019/2024/oj).
([5]) Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 of 11 March 2019 supplementing Regulation (EU) 2017/1369 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to energy labelling of refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function (OJ L 315, 5.12.2019, p. 155, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_del/2019/2018/oj).

(5) Standard EN IEC 63252:2020 as amended by EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 only partly satisfy the requirements which they aim to cover and which are set out in Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018.

(6) The scope of EN IEC 63252:2020 as amended by EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 does not include multi-temperature machines with more than two compartments, which fall within the scope of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018. In addition, it is necessary to adapt the energy consumption parameter (e_r) laid down in EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 to Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018. Restrictions addressing these aspects should therefore be laid down.

(7) In the interest of clarity and rationality, a complete list of references of the harmonised standards drafted in support of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 and Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 and which satisfy the requirements they aim to cover should be published in a single act. References of harmonised standards published in Implementing Decision (EU) 2024/2397 ([6]) and Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/533 ([7]) should therefore be included in this Decision by confirming their validity. Accordingly, Implementing Decision (EU) 2024/2397 and Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/533 should be repealed from the date of entry into force of this Decision.

(8) Compliance with a harmonised standard confers a presumption of conformity with the corresponding essential requirements set out in Union harmonisation legislation from the date of publication of the reference of that standard in the *Official Journal of the European Union*. This Decision should therefore enter into force on the date of its publication,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The references of the harmonised standards for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function drafted in support of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 listed in Annex I to this Decision, are hereby published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*. The reference listed in row 3 of that Annex is published with restrictions.

The references of the harmonised standards for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function drafted in support of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 listed in Annex II to this Decision, are hereby published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*. The reference listed in row 3 of that Annex is published with restrictions.

Article 2

Implementing Decision (EU) 2024/2397 is repealed.

Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/533 is repealed.

([6]) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2024/2397 of 11 September 2024 on a harmonised standard for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function drafted in support of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 and Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 (OJ L, 2024/2397, 12.9.2024, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec_impl/2024/2397/oj).

([7]) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/533 of 25 March 2025 on a harmonised standard for refrigerating appliances with a direct sales function drafted in support of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018 and Regulation (EU) 2019/2024 (OJ L, 2025/533, 26.3.2025, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec_impl/2025/533/oj).

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels, 17 November 2026.

For the Commission
The President
Ursula VON DER LEYEN

ANNEX I

Harmonised standards drafted in support of Regulation (EU) 2019/2024

No	Reference of the standard
1.	EN 16838:2024 Refrigerated display scooping cabinets and pozzetto for gelato – Classification, requirements, performance and energy consumption testing
2	EN ISO 23953-2:2023 Refrigerated display cabinets – Part 2: Classification, requirements and test conditions (ISO 23953-2:2023)
3.	EN IEC 63252:2020 Energy consumption of vending machines EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 Restrictions: — Multi-temperature machines with more than two compartments are not covered by the standard and are therefore outside the scope of this Decision. — The energy consumption parameter (e_r) laid down in clause 7 refers to a period of 8 hours which is only applicable in the case of equation (1); for equation (2) this period is 16 hours. Figures A.1 and A.2 in Annex A can be used as clarification as they set out the requirements appropriately.

ANNEX II

Harmonised standards drafted in support of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2018

No	Reference of the standard
1.	EN 16838:2024 Refrigerated display scooping cabinets and pozzetto for gelato – Classification, requirements, performance and energy consumption testing
2	EN ISO 23953-2:2023 Refrigerated display cabinets – Part 2: Classification, requirements and test conditions (ISO 23953-2:2023)
3.	EN IEC 63252:2020 Energy consumption of vending machines EN IEC 63252:2020/A11:2024 Restrictions: — Multi-temperature machines with more than two compartments are not covered by the standard and are therefore outside the scope of this Decision. — The energy consumption parameter (e_r) laid down in clause 7 refers to a period of 8 hours which is only applicable in the case of equation (1); for equation (2) this period is 16 hours. Figures A.1 and A.2 in Annex A can be used as clarification as they set out the requirements appropriately.