

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE****No 169/2004****of 3 December 2004****amending Annex VI (Social security) 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 VI to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 102/2004 of 9 July 2004 <sup>(1)</sup>.
- (2) Decision No 195 of 23 March 2004 on the uniform application of Article 22(1)(a)(i) of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 as regards healthcare in conjunction with pregnancy and childbirth <sup>(2)</sup>, as corrected by OJ L 212, 12.6.2004, p. 82, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Decision No 196 of 23 March 2004 on the interpretation of Article 22(1a) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 for persons undergoing dialysis and persons undergoing oxygen therapy <sup>(3)</sup>, as corrected by OJ L 212, 12.6.2004, p. 83, is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Annex VI to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. the text of points 3.47 (Decision No 163) and 3.61 (Decision No 183) shall be deleted;
2. the following points shall be inserted after point 3.70 (Decision No 194):

'3.71. **32004 D 0481**: Decision No 195 of 23 March 2004 on the uniform application of Article 22(1)(a)(i) of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 as regards healthcare in conjunction with pregnancy and childbirth (OJ L 160, 30.4.2004, p. 133), as corrected by OJ L 212, 12.6.2004, p. 82.

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 376, 23.12.2004, p. 29.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 160, 30.4.2004, p. 133.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 160, 30.4.2004, p. 135.

3.72. **32004 D 0482**: Decision No 196 of 23 March 2004 on the interpretation of Article 22(1a) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 for persons undergoing dialysis and persons undergoing oxygen therapy (OJ L 160, 30.4.2004, p. 135), as corrected by OJ L 212, 12.6.2004, p. 83.'

*Article 2*

The texts of Decisions No 195 and No 196 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 4 December 2004, 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, 3 December 2004.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*  
*The President*  
Kjartan JÓHANNSSON

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(\*) No constitutional requirements indicated.