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EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 140/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) 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 I to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 105/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Decision 2005/932/EC of 21 December 2005 amending Annex E to Council Directive 91/68/EEC as regards the updating of the model health certificates relating to ovine and caprine animals (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2005/950/EC of 23 December 2005 amending Decision 2003/135/EC as regards the extension of the plans for the eradication of classical swine fever in feral pigs and the emergency vaccination of feral pigs against classical swine fever in certain areas of the Federal States of North Rhine-Westfalia and Rhineland-Palatinate (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Council Directive 2005/94/EC of 20 December 2005 on Community measures for the control of avian influenza and repealing Directive 92/40/EEC (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Commission Decision 2006/20/EC of 23 December 2005 amending Decision 2005/59/EC as regards areas where the plan for the eradication of classical swine fever in feral pigs is to be implemented in Slovakia (5) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 17.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 340, 23.12.2005, p. 68.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 345, 28.12.2005, p. 30.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 10, 14.1.2006, p. 16.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 15, 20.1.2006, p. 48.

- Commission Decision 2006/48/EC of 27 January 2006 amending Decision 2004/233/EC as regards the list of laboratories authorised to check the effectiveness of vaccination against rabies in certain domestic carnivores (1) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- Commission Decision 2006/60/EC of 2 February 2006 amending Annex C to Council Directive 89/556/EEC as regards the model animal health certificate for intra-Community trade in embryos of domestic animals of the bovine species (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- Commission Decision 2006/64/EC of 1 February 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards the restricted zones in relation to bluetongue in Spain and Portugal (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- Commission Decision 2006/80/EC of 1 February 2006 granting certain Member States the derogation provided for in Article 3(2) of Council Directive 92/102/EEC on the identification and registration of animals (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (10) Commission Regulation (EC) No 253/2006 of 14 February 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards rapid tests and measures for the eradication of TSEs in ovine and caprine animals (5) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (11) Commission Regulation (EC) No 339/2006 of 24 February 2006 amending Annex XI to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the rules for importation of live bovine animals and products of bovine, ovine and caprine origin (6) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (12) Commission Decision 2006/169/EC of 21 February 2006 amending Decision 93/52/EEC as regards the declaration that Poland and certain provinces or regions of Italy are free of brucellosis (B. melitensis) and Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that certain provinces or regions of Italy are free of bovine tuberculosis, bovine brucellosis and enzootic bovine leucosis (7) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (13) Commission Regulation (EC) No 546/2006 of 31 March 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards national scrapic control programmes and additional guarantees and derogating from certain requirements of Decision 2003/100/EC and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1874/2003 (8) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (14) Commission Decision 2006/268/EC of 5 April 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards the restricted zones in relation to bluetongue in Italy (9) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (15) Commission Decision 2006/273/EC of 6 April 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards the restricted zones in relation to bluetongue in Spain (10) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (16) Commission Decision 2006/285/EC of 12 April 2006 amending Decision 2003/135/EC as regards the extension of plans for the eradication and emergency vaccination of feral pigs against classical swine fever to certain areas of North Rhine-Westfalia and Rhineland-Palatinate and the termination of these plans in other areas of Rhineland-Palatinate (Germany) (11) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 26, 31.1.2006, p. 20.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 31, 3.2.2006, p. 24.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 32, 4.2.2006, p. 91.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 36, 8.2.2006, p. 50.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 44, 15.2.2006, p. 9.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 55, 25.2.2006, p. 5.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 57, 28.2.2006, p. 35.

⁽⁸⁾ OJ L 94, 1.4.2006, p. 28.

⁽⁹⁾ OJ L 98, 6.4.2006, p. 75.

⁽¹⁰⁾ OJ L 99, 7.4.2006, p. 35.

⁽¹¹⁾ OJ L 104, 13.4.2006, p. 51.

- (17) Commission Decision 2006/290/EC of 18 April 2006 amending Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that certain regions of Italy are officially free of bovine tuberculosis and enzootic bovine leukosis and that Slovakia is officially free of enzootic bovine leukosis (1) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (18) Commission Regulation (EC) No 657/2006 of 10 April 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the United Kingdom and repealing Council Decision 98/256/EC and Decisions 98/351/EC and 1999/514/EC (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (19) Decision 2006/80/EC repeals Commission Decisions 95/80/EC (3) and 2005/458/EC (4), which are incorporated into the Agreement and which are consequently to be repealed under the Agreement.
- (20) This Decision is not to apply to Iceland and Liechtenstein,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter I of Annex I to the Agreement shall be amended as specified in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 253/2006, (EC) No 339/2006, (EC) No 546/2006 and (EC) No 657/2006, Directive 2005/94/EC and Decisions 2005/932/EC, 2005/950/EC, 2006/20/EC, 2006/48/EC, 2006/60/EC, 2006/64/EC, 2006/80/EC, 2006/169/EC, 2006/268/EC, 2006/273/EC, 2006/285/EC and 2006/290/EC, in the Norwegian language, 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 106, 19.4.2006, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 116, 29.4.2006, p. 9.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 65, 23.3.1995, p. 32.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 160, 23.6.2005, p. 31.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

ANNEX

Chapter I of Annex I to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- the text of points 34 (Commission Decision 95/80/EC) in Part 1.2 and 19 (Commission Decision 2005/458/EC) under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT' in Part 1.2 shall be deleted;
- 2. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT' in Part 1.2, the following point shall be inserted after point 21 (Commission Decision 2005/617/EC):
 - '22. **32006 D 0080**: Commission Decision 2006/80/EC of 1 February 2006 granting certain Member States the derogation provided for in Article 3(2) of Council Directive 92/102/EEC on the identification and registration of animals (OJ L 36, 8.2.2006, p. 50).';
- 3. the following point shall be inserted after point 5 (Council Directive 92/40/EEC) in Part 3.1:
 - '5a. 32005 L 0094: Council Directive 2005/94/EC of 20 December 2005 on Community measures for the control of avian influenza and repealing Directive 92/40/EEC (OJ L 10, 14.1.2006, p. 16).';
- 4. the text of point 5 (Council Directive 92/40/EEC) in Part 3.1 shall be deleted with effect from 1 July 2007;
- 5. the following indents shall be added in point 33 (Commission Decision 2005/393/EC) in Part 3.2:
 - 32006 D 0064: Commission Decision 2006/64/EC of 1 February 2006 (OJ L 32, 4.2.2006, p. 91),
 - **32006 D 0268**: Commission Decision 2006/268/EC of 5 April 2006 (OJ L 98, 6.4.2006, p. 75),
 - **32006 D 0273**: Commission Decision 2006/273/EC of 6 April 2006 (OJ L 99, 7.4.2006, p. 35).';
- 6. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT' in Part 3.2, the following indents shall be added in point 20 (Commission Decision 2003/135/EC):
 - 32005 D 0950: Commission Decision 2005/950/EC of 23 December 2005 (OJ L 345, 28.12.2005, p. 30),
 - 32006 D 0285: Commission Decision 2006/285/EC of 12 April 2006 (OJ L 104, 13.4.2006, p. 51).';
- 7. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT' in Part 3.2, the following indent shall be added in point 29 (Commission Decision 2005/59/EC):
 - 32006 D 0020: Commission Decision 2006/20/EC of 23 December 2005 (OJ L 15, 20.1.2006, p. 48).';
- 8. the following indent shall be added in point 2 (Council Directive 91/68/EEC) in Part 4.1:
 - 32005 D 0932: Commission Decision 2005/932/EC of 21 December 2005 (OJ L 340, 23.12.2005, p. 68).';
- 9. the following indent shall be added in points 6 (Council Directive 89/556/EEC) in Part 4.1 and 5 (Council Directive 89/556/EEC) in Part 8.1:
 - 32006 D 0060: Commission Decision 2006/60/EC of 2 February 2006 (OJ L 31, 3.2.2006, p. 24).';

- the following indent shall be added in points 14 (Commission Decision 93/52/EEC) and 70 (Commission Decision 2003/467/EC) in Part 4.2:
 - 32006 D 0169: Commission Decision 2006/169/EC of 21 February 2006 (OJ L 57, 28.2.2006, p. 35).';
- 11. the following indent shall be added in point 70 (Commission Decision 2003/467/EC) in Part 4.2:
 - 32006 D 0290: Commission Decision 2006/290/EC of 18 April 2006 (OJ L 106, 19.4.2006, p. 21).';
- 12. the following indent shall be added in point 76 (Commission Decision 2004/233/EC) in Part 4.2:
 - 32006 D 0048: Commission Decision 2006/48/EC of 27 January 2006 (OJ L 26, 31.1.2006, p. 20).;
- 13. the following indents shall be added in point 12 (Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council) in Part 7.1:
 - 5— **32006 R 0253**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 253/2006 of 14 February 2006 (OJ L 44, 15.2.2006, p. 9),
 - 32006 R 0339: Commission Regulation (EC) No 339/2006 of 24 February 2006 (OJ L 55, 25.2.2006, p. 5),
 - **32006 R 0657**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 657/2006 of 10 April 2006 (OJ L 116, 29.4.2006, p. 9).';
- 14. the text of points 80 (Commission Decision 98/351/EC) and 95 (Commission Decision 1999/514/EC) in Part 1.2 shall be deleted;
- 15. the following point shall be inserted after point 26 (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1091/2005) in Part 7.2:
 - '27. **32006 R 0546**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 546/2006 of 31 March 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards national scrapic control programmes and additional guarantees and derogating from certain requirements of Decision 2003/100/EC and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1874/2003 (OJ L 94, 1.4.2006, p. 28).';
- 16. the text of point 21 (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1874/2003) in Part 7.2 shall be deleted.

No 141/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) 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 I to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 105/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Decision 2005/748/EC of 24 October 2005 amending Decision 2002/300/EC as regards the areas excluded from the list of approved zones with regard to *Bonamia ostreae* and/or *Marteilia refringens* (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2005/770/EC of 3 November 2005 amending Annexes I and II to Decision 2003/634/EC approving programmes for the purpose of obtaining the status of approved zones and of approved farms in non-approved zones with regard to viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) in fish (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Decision 2005/813/EC of 15 November 2005 amending Annexes I and II to Decision 2002/308/EC establishing lists of approved zones and approved farms with regard to one or more of the fish diseases viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS) and infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN) (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) This Decision is not to apply to Liechtenstein,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter I of Annex I to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following indent shall be added in point 65 (Commission Decision 2002/300/EC) in Part 4.2:
 - '— 32005 D 0748: Commission Decision 2005/748/EC of 24 October 2005 (OJ L 280, 25.10.2005, p. 20).';
- 2. the following indent shall be inserted in point 66 (Commission Decision 2002/308/EC) in Part 4.2:
 - '— **32005 D 0813**: Commission Decision 2005/813/EDC of 15 November 2005 (OJ L 304, 23.11.2005, p. 19).';

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 17.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 280, 25.10.2005, p. 20.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 291, 5.11.2005, p. 33.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 304, 23.11.2005, p. 19.

- under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT in Part 4.2, the following indent shall be added in point 55 (Commission Decision 2003/634/EC):
 - '— 32005 D 0770: Commission Decision 2005/770/EC of 3 November 2005 (OJ L 291, 5.11.2005, p. 33).'

The texts of Decisions 2005/748/EC, 2005/770/EC and 2005/813/EC, 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 142/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) 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 I to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 107/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1)
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 773/2006 of 22 May 2006 concerning the provisional and permanent authorisation of certain additives in feedingstuffs and the provisional authorisation of a new use of an additive already authorised in feedingstuffs (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 1zzv (Commission Regulation (EC) No 492/2006) of Chapter II of Annex I to the Agreement:

'1zzw. **32006 R 0773**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 773/2006 of 22 May 2006 concerning the provisional and permanent authorisation of certain additives in feedingstuffs and the provisional authorisation of a new use of an additive already authorised in feedingstuffs (OJ L 135, 23.5.2006, p. 3).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 773/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 21.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 135, 23.5.2006, p. 3.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 143/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) 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 I to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 108/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 217/2006 of 8 February 2006 laying down rules for the application of Council Directives 66/401/EEC, 66/402/EEC, 2002/54/EC, 2002/55/EC and 2002/57/EC as regards the authorisation of Member States to permit temporarily the marketing of seed not satisfying the requirements in respect of the minimum germination (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Directive 2006/47/EC of 23 May 2006 laying down special conditions concerning the presence of *Avena fatua* in cereal seed (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Directive 2006/55/EC of 12 June 2006 amending Annex III to Council Directive 66/402/EEC as regards the maximum weight of seed lots (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Directive 2006/47/EC repeals Commission Directive 74/268/EEC (5) which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter III of Annex I to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following indent shall be added in point 3 (Council Directive 66/402/EEC) in Part 1:
 - 32006 L 0055: Commission Directive 2006/55/EC of 12 June 2006 (OJ L 159, 13.6.2006, p. 13).';
- 2. the following points shall be inserted after point 44 (Commission Decision 2005/947/EC) in Part 2:
 - '45. **32006 R 0217**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 217/2006 of 8 February 2006 laying down rules for the application of Council Directives 66/401/EEC, 66/402/EEC, 2002/54/EC, 2002/55/EC and 2002/57/EC as regards the authorisation of Member States to permit temporarily the marketing of seed not satisfying the requirements in respect of the minimum germination (OJ L 38, 9.2.2006, p. 17).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 23.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 38, 9.2.2006, p. 17.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 136, 24.5.2006, p. 18.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 159, 13.6.2006, p. 13.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 141, 24.5.1974, p. 19.

- 46. **32006 L 0047**: Commission Directive 2006/47/EC of 23 May 2006 laying down special conditions concerning the presence of *Avena fatua* in cereal seed (OJ L 136, 24.5.2006, p. 18).';
- 3. the text of point 9 (Commission Directive 74/268/EEC) in Part 1 shall be deleted.

The texts of Regulation (EC) No 217/2006 and Directives 2006/47/EC and 2006/55/EC 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 144/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 109/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Decision 2006/368/EC of 20 March 2006 on the detailed technical requirements for carrying out the tests specified in Directive 2005/66/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council relating to the use of frontal protection systems on motor vehicles (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2006/40/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 relating to emissions from air conditioning systems in motor vehicles and amending Council Directive 70/156/EEC (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Directive 2006/51/EC of 6 June 2006 amending for the purposes of adapting to technical progress Annex I to Directive 2005/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and Annexes IV and V to Directive 2005/78/EC as regards requirements for the emission control monitoring system for use in vehicles and exemptions for gas engines (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter I of Annex II to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following indent shall be added in point 1 (Council Directive 70/156/EEC):
 - '— **32006 L 0040**: Directive 2006/40/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 (OJ L 161, 14.6.2006, p. 12).';
- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 45zl (Directive 2005/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
 - 32006 L 0051: Commission Directive 2006/51/EC of 6 June 2006 (OJ L 152, 7.6.2006, p. 11).';
- 3. the following shall be added in point 45zo (Commission Directive 2005/78/EC):
 - ', as amended by:
 - **32006 L 0051**: Commission Directive 2006/51/EC of 6 June 2006 (OJ L 152, 7.6.2006, p. 11).';

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 26.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 140, 29.5.2006, p. 33.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 161, 14.6.2006, p. 12.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 152, 7.6.2006, p. 11.

- 4. the following points shall be inserted after point 45zo (Commission Directive 2005/78/EC):
 - '45zp. **32006 D 0368**: Commission Decision 2006/368/EC of 20 March 2006 on the detailed technical requirements for carrying out the tests specified in Directive 2005/66/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council relating to the use of frontal protection systems on motor vehicles (OJ L 140, 29.5.2006, p. 33).
 - 45zq. **32006 L 0040**: Directive 2006/40/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 relating to emissions from air conditioning systems in motor vehicles and amending Council Directive 70/156/EEC (OJ L 161, 14.6.2006, p. 12).'

The texts of Directives 2006/40/EC and 2006/51/EC and Decision 2006/368/EC 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 145/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 43/2005 of 11 March 2005 (1).
- (2) Commission Directive 2006/2/EC of 6 January 2006 amending, for the purposes of its adaptation to technical progress, Annex II to Directive 96/73/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on certain methods for quantitative analysis of binary textile fibre mixtures (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Directive 2006/3/EC of 9 January 2006 amending, for the purposes of their adaptation to technical progress, Annexes I and II to Directive 96/74/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter XI of Annex II to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. the following shall be added in point 4a (Directive 96/73/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):

', as amended by:

- 32006 L 0002: Commission Directive 2006/2/EC of 6 January 2006 (OJ L 5, 10.1.2006, p. 10).';
- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 4b (Directive 96/74/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
 - 32006 L 0003: Commission Directive 2006/3/EC of 9 January 2006 (OJ L 5, 10.1.2006, p. 14).

Article 2

The texts of Directives 2006/2/EC and 2006/3/EC 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 198, 28.7.2005, p. 45.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 5, 10.1.2006, p. 10.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 5, 10.1.2006, p. 14.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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, 8 December 2006.

No 146/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 114/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 592/2006 of 12 April 2006 amending Annex II to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 on organic production of agricultural products and indications referring thereto on agricultural products and foodstuffs (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 699/2006 of 5 May 2006 amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 as regards conditions of access for poultry to open-air runs (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indents shall be added in point 54b (Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91) of Chapter XII of Annex II to the Agreement:

- '— **32006 R 0592**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 592/2006 of 12 April 2006 (OJ L 104, 13.4.2006, p. 13),
- 32006 R 0699: Commission Regulation (EC) No 699/2006 of 5 May 2006 (OJ L 121, 6.5.2006, p. 36).'

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 592/2006 and (EC) No 699/2006 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 35.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 104, 13.4.2006, p. 13.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 121, 6.5.2006, p. 36.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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, 8 December 2006.

No 147/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 114/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 627/2006 of 21 April 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 2065/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards quality criteria for validated analytical methods for sampling, identification and characterisation of primary smoke products (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 54zzw (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1895/2005) of Chapter XII of Annex II to the Agreement:

'54zzx. **32006 R 0627**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 627/2006 of 21 April 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 2065/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards quality criteria for validated analytical methods for sampling, identification and characterisation of primary smoke products (OJ L 109, 22.4.2006, p. 3).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 627/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 35.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 109, 22.4.2006, p. 3.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 148/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 116/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1055/2006 of 12 July 2006 amending Annexes I and III to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2377/90 laying down a Community procedure for the establishment of maximum residue limits of veterinary medicinal products in foodstuffs of animal origin, as regards flubendazole and lasalocid (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 14 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 2377/90) of Chapter XIII of Annex II to the Agreement:

'— 32006 R 1055: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1055/2006 of 12 July 2006 (OJ L 192, 13.7.2006, p. 3).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1055/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 38.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 192, 13.7.2006, p. 3.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 149/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 107/2005 of 8 July 2005 (1).
- (2) Commission Decision 2006/347/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Kingdom of Sweden under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2006/348/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Republic of Finland under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Decision 2006/349/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Republic of Austria under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Commission Decision 2006/390/EC of 24 May 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Czech Republic under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (5) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following points shall be inserted after point 1 (Regulation (EC) No 2003/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter XIV of Annex II to the Agreement:

- '2. **32006 D 0347**: Commission Decision 2006/347/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Kingdom of Sweden under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 19).
- 3. **32006 D 0348**: Commission Decision 2006/348/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Republic of Finland under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 25).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 306, 24.11.2005, p. 45.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 19.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 25.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 31.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 150, 3.6.2006, p. 17.

- 4. **32006 D 0349**: Commission Decision 2006/349/EC of 3 January 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Republic of Austria under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 31).
- 5. **32006 D 0390**: Commission Decision 2006/390/EC of 24 May 2006 on the national provisions notified by the Czech Republic under Article 95(4) of the EC Treaty concerning the maximum admissible content of cadmium in fertilisers (OJ L 150, 3.6.2006, p. 17).'

The texts of Decisions 2006/347/EC, 2006/348/EC, 2006/349/EC and 2006/390/EC 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 150/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 28/2004 of 19 March 2004 (1).
- (2) Directive 2003/33/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to the advertising and sponsorship of tobacco products (²), as corrected by OJ L 67, 5.3.2004, p. 34, is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 4 (Commission Decision 2003/641/EC) of Chapter XXV of Annex II to the Agreement:

'5. **32003** L **0033**: Directive 2003/33/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to the advertising and sponsorship of tobacco products (OJ L 152, 20.6.2003, p. 16), as corrected by OJ L 67, 5.3.2004, p. 34.'

Article 2

The text of Directive 2003/33/EC, as corrected by OJ L 67, 5.3.2004, p. 34, 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 127, 29.4.2004, p. 136.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 152, 20.6.2003, p. 16.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

No 151/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex IV (Energy) 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 IV to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 146/2005 of 2 December 2005 (1).
- (2) Directive 2004/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the promotion of cogeneration based on a useful heat demand in the internal energy market and amending Directive 92/42/EEC (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex IV to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 23 (Directive 2003/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
 - '24. **32004 L 0008**: Directive 2004/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 on the promotion of cogeneration based on a useful heat demand in the internal energy market and amending Directive 92/42/EEC (OJ L 52, 21.2.2004, p. 50).

The provisions of the Directive shall, for the purposes of this Agreement, be read with the following adaptation:

The Directive shall not apply to geothermal cogeneration as regards Iceland.';

- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 10 (Council Directive 92/42/EEC):
 - *— 32004 L 0008: Directive 2004/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 February 2004 (OJ L 52, 21.2.2004, p. 50).

Article 2

The text of Directive 2004/8/EC 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 53, 23.2.2006, p. 43.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 52, 21.2.2004, p. 50.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

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, 8 December 2006.

No 152/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex IX (Financial services) 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:

- Annex IX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 130/2006 of 27 October 2006 (¹).
- (2) Commission Directive 2006/70/EC of 1 August 2006 laying down implementing measures for Directive 2005/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the definition of 'politically exposed person' and the technical criteria for simplified customer due diligence procedures and for exemption on grounds of a financial activity conducted on an occasional or very limited basis (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 23b (Directive 2005/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex IX to the Agreement:

'23ba. **32006 L 0070**: Commission Directive 2006/70/EC of 1 August 2006 laying down implementing measures for Directive 2005/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the definition of "politically exposed person" and the technical criteria for simplified customer due diligence procedures and for exemption on grounds of a financial activity conducted on an occasional or very limited basis (OJ L 214, 4.8.2006, p. 29).'

Article 2

The text of Directive 2006/70/EC 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 68.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 214, 4.8.2006, p. 29.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

No 153/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XIII (Transport), Annex XIV (Competition) and Protocol 21 (On the implementation of competition rules applicable to undertakings) 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 XIII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 134/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Annex XIV to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 107/2005 of 8 July 2005 (2).
- (3) Protocol 21 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 43/2005 of 11 March 2005 (3).
- (4) Council Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006 of 25 September 2006 repealing Regulation (EEC) No 4056/86 laying down detailed rules for the application of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty to maritime transport, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1/2003 as regards the extension of its scope to include cabotage and international tramp services (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 50 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 4056/86) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'50a. **32006 R 1419**: Council Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006 of 25 September 2006 repealing Regulation (EEC) No 4056/86 laying down detailed rules for the application of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty to maritime transport, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1/2003 as regards the extension of its scope to include cabotage and international tramp services (OJ L 269, 28.9.2006, p. 1).'

Article 2

The following point shall be inserted after point 11c (Commission Regulation (EC) No 823/2000) of Annex XIV to the Agreement:

'11d. **32006 R 1419**: Council Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006 of 25 September 2006 repealing Regulation (EEC) No 4056/86 laying down detailed rules for the application of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty to maritime transport, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1/2003 as regards the extension of its scope to include cabotage and international tramp services (OJ L 269, 28.9.2006, p. 1).'

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 75.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 306, 24.11.2005, p. 45.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 198, 28.7.2005, p. 45.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 269, 28.9.2006, p. 1.

The following indent shall be added in point 1(3) (Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2003) of Article 3 of Protocol 21 to the Agreement:

'— **32006 R 1419**: Council Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006 of 25 September 2006 (OJ L 269, 28.9.2006, p. 1).'

Article 4

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006 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 5

This Decision shall enter into force on 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

Article 6

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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

No 154/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XIII (Transport) 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 XIII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 134/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on the harmonisation of certain social legislation relating to road transport and amending Council Regulations (EEC) No 3821/85 and (EC) No 2135/98 and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85 (²), is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2006/22/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on minimum conditions for the implementation of Council Regulations (EEC) No 3820/85 and (EEC) No 3821/85 concerning social legislation relating to road transport activities and repealing Council Directive 88/599/EEC (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 repeals Council Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85 (4), which is incorporated into the Agreement, except for Article 5(2) and (4), which shall be repealed with effect from 10 September 2008, and Article 5(1), which shall be repealed with effect from 10 September 2009.
- (5) Therefore, Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85 is to be repealed under the Agreement with effect from 10 September 2009.
- (6) Directive 2006/22/EC repeals Council Directive 88/599/EEC (5), which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex XIII to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 24d (Directive 2002/15/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
 - '24e. **32006 R 0561:** Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on the harmonisation of certain social legislation relating to road transport and amending Council Regulations (EEC) No 3821/85 and (EC) No 2135/98 and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85 (OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 1).';
- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 20 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85):
 - '— **32006 R 0561**: Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 (OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 1).';

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 75.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 35.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 370, 31.12.1985, p. 1.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 325, 29.11.1988, p. 55.

- the text of point 20 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3820/85) shall be deleted with effect from 10 September 2009;
- 4. the following indent shall be added in point 21 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3821/85):
 - '— **32006 R 0561**: Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 (OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 1).';
- the following sub-indent shall be added in the eighth indent (Council Regulation (EC) No 2135/98) of point 21 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3821/85):

', as amended by

- 32006 R 0561: Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 (OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 1).';
- 6. the following point shall be inserted after point 21 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3821/85):
 - '21a. **32006 L 0022:** Directive 2006/22/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on minimum conditions for the implementation of Council Regulations (EEC) No 3820/85 and (EEC) No 3821/85 concerning social legislation relating to road transport activities and repealing Council Directive 88/599/EEC (OJ L 102, 11.4.2006, p. 35).';
- 7. the text of point 23 (Council Directive No 88/599/EEC) shall be deleted.

Article 2

The texts of Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 and Directive 2006/22/EC 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

No 155/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XIII (Transport) 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 XIII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 134/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 2320/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2002 establishing common rules in the field of civil aviation security (²) was incorporated into the Agreement by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 61/2004 of 26 April 2004 (³), with country specific adaptations.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1546/2006 of 4 October 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 622/2003 laying down measures for the implementation of the common basic standards on aviation security (4) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 66i (Commission Regulation (EC) No 622/2003) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'— **32006 R 1546**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1546/2006 of 4 October 2006 (OJ L 286, 17.10.2006, p. 6).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1546/2006 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 75.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 355, 30.12.2002, p. 1.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 277, 26.8.2004, p. 175.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 286, 17.10.2006, p. 6.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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, 8 December 2006.

No 156/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XIV (Competition) 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 XIV to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 107/2005 of 8 July 2005 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1459/2006 of 28 September 2006 on the application of Article 81(3) of the Treaty to certain categories of agreements and concerted practices concerning consultations on passenger tariffs on scheduled air services and slot allocation at airports (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Regulation (EC) No 1459/2006 replaces Regulation (EEC) No 1617/93 (3) which expired on 30 June 2005 and should therefore be deleted from the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex XIV to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 11d (Council Regulation (EC) No 1419/2006):
 - '11e. **32006 R 1459**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1459/2006 of 28 September 2006 on the application of Article 81(3) of the Treaty to certain categories of agreements and concerted practices concerning consultations on passenger tariffs on scheduled air services and slot allocation at airports (OJ L 272, 3.10.2006, p. 3).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purpose of this Agreement, be read with the following adaptation:

In Article 1(b) the words "Community or between points in the Community, on the one hand, and points in Switzerland, Norway, Iceland or Liechtenstein, on the other" shall be replaced by "territory of the Contracting parties, or between points in the territory of the Contracting parties, on the one hand, and points in Switzerland on the other".";

2. the text of point 11b (Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1617/93) shall be deleted.

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1459/2006 in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the Official Journal of the European Union, shall be authentic.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 306, 24.11.2005, p. 45.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 272, 3.10.2006, p. 3.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 155, 26.6.1993, p. 18.

This Decision shall enter into force on 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

No 157/2006

of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XV (State aid) 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 XV to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 91/2006 of 7 July 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1628/2006 of 24 October 2006 on the application of Articles 87 and 88 of the Treaty to national regional investment aid (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following shall be inserted after point 1h (Commission Decision 2005/842/EC) of Annex XV to the Agreement:

'National regional investment aid

1i. **32006 R 1628**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1628/2006 of 24 October 2006 on the application of Articles 87 and 88 of the Treaty to national regional investment aid (OJ L 302, 1.11.2006, p. 29).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of this Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) the term "Commission" shall read "competent surveillance authority as defined in Article 62 of the EEA Agreement";
- (b) the words "compatible with the common market" shall read "compatible with the functioning of the EEA Agreement";
- (c) the words "incompatible with the common market" shall read "incompatible with the functioning of the EEA Agreement";
- (d) the term "Member State" shall read "EC Member State or EFTA State". The term "Member States" shall read "EC Member States or EFTA States";
- (e) the terms "Articles 87 and 88 of the EC Treaty" shall read "Articles 61 and 62 of the EEA Agreement";
- (f) the term "Article 87(1)" shall read "Article 61(1) of the EEA Agreement";
- (g) the term "Article 87(3)" shall read "Article 61(3) of the EEA Agreement";
- (h) the terms "Article 87(3)(c)" and "Article 87(3)(c) of the Treaty" shall read "Article 61(3)(c) of the EEA Agreement";

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 289, 19.10.2006, p. 31.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 302, 1.11.2006, p. 29.

(i) the term "Article 88(3) of the Treaty" shall read "Article 1(3) of Protocol 3 to the Surveillance and Court Agreement".'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1628/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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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 136/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 909/2006 of 20 June 2006 amending Annexes I and II to Regulation (EC) No 138/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the economic accounts for agriculture in the Community (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 24c (Regulation (EC) No 138/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XXI to the Agreement:

'— **32006 R 0909**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 909/2006 of 20 June 2006 (OJ L 168, 21.6.2006, p. 14).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 909/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 79.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 168, 21.6.2006, p. 14.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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of 8 December 2006

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 136/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1031/2006 of 4 July 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 808/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning Community statistics on the information society (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1104/2006 of 18 July 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 831/2002 implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 322/97 on Community Statistics, concerning access to confidential data for scientific purposes (3) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex XXI to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 28a (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1099/2005):
 - '28b. **32006 R 1031**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1031/2006 of 4 July 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 808/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning Community statistics on the information society (OJ L 186, 7.7.2006, p. 11).';
- 2. the following shall be added in point 17b (Commission Regulation (EC) No 831/2002):

', as amended by:

32006 R 1104: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1104/2006 of 18 July 2006 (OJ L 197, 19.7.2006, p. 3).

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 1031/2006 and (EC) No 1104/2006 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 79.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 186, 7.7.2006, p. 11.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 197, 19.7.2006, p. 3.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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

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of 8 December 2006

amending Annex XXII (Company law) 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 XXII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 137/2006 of 27 October 2006 (1).
- (2) Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 on statutory audits of annual accounts and consolidated accounts, amending Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC and repealing Council Directive 84/253/EEC (2) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2006/43/EC repeals Directive 84/253/EEC (3), which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex XXII to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 10e (Directive 2005/56/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
 - '10f. **32006 L 0043**: Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 on statutory audits of annual accounts and consolidated accounts, amending Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC and repealing Council Directive 84/253/EEC (OJ L 157, 9.6.2006, p. 87).';
- 2. the following indent shall be added in points 4 (Fourth Council Directive 78/660/EEC) and 6 (Seventh Council Directive 83/349/EEC):
 - '— **32006 L 0043**: Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 May 2006 (OJ L 157, 9.6.2006, p. 87).';
- 3. the text of point 7 (Eighth Council Directive 84/253/EEC) shall be deleted.

Article 2

The text of Directive 2006/43/EC 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 9 December 2006, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (*).

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 366, 21.12.2006, p. 81.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 157, 9.6.2006, p. 87.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 126, 12.5.1984, p. 20.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.

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

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amending Protocol 47 to the EEA Agreement on the abolition of technical barriers to trade in wine

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) Protocol 47 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 128/2006 of 22 September 2006 (1).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 643/2006 of 27 April 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 1622/2000 laying down certain detailed rules for implementing Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999 on the common organisation of the market in wine and establishing a Community code of oenological practices and processes, and Regulation (EC) No 884/2001 laying down detailed rules of application concerning the documents accompanying the carriage of wine products and the records to be kept in the wine sector (²) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 4 (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1622/2000) of Appendix 1 of Protocol 47 to the Agreement:

'— **32006 R 0643**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 643/2006 of 27 April 2006 (OJ L 115, 28.4.2006, p. 6).'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 643/2006 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 9 December 2006, 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, 8 December 2006.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 333, 30.11.2006, p. 60.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 115, 28.4.2006, p. 6.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.