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# EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA

# THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 96/2007

# of 27 July 2007

# amending Protocol 31 to the EEA Agreement, on cooperation in specific fields outside the four freedoms

THE EEA JOINT COMMMITTEE,

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 Articles 86 and 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Protocol 31 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 89/2005 of 10 June 2005 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) It is appropriate to extend the cooperation of the Contracting Parties to the Agreement to include Council Decision 2007/162/EC, Euratom of 5 March 2007 establishing a Civil Protection Financial Instrument (<sup>2</sup>).
- (3) Protocol 31 to the Agreement should therefore be amended in order to allow for this extended cooperation to take place from 1 January 2007,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following subparagraph shall be added in Article 10(8) of Protocol 31 to the Agreement:

- (c) Community acts which shall take effect from 1 January 2007:
  - 32007 D 0162: Council Decision 2007/162/EC, Euratom of 5 March 2007 establishing a Civil Protection Financial Instrument (OJ L 71, 10.3.2007, p. 9).'

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 268, 13.10.2005, p. 25.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 71, 10.3.2007, p. 9.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following the last notification to the EEA Joint Committee under Article 103(1) of the Agreement (\*).

It shall apply from 1 January 2007.

Article 3

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, 27 July 2007.

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

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 97/2007

#### of 28 September 2007

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters), Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) and Protocol 47 (Abolition of technical barriers to trade in wine) 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 75/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Annex II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 79/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>2</sup>).
- Protocol 47 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 161/2006 of 8 December 2006 (<sup>3</sup>).
- (4) The Principality of Liechtenstein and the Swiss Confederation form a customs union in accordance with their Customs Treaty of 29 March 1923.
- (5) Annex 11, on Animal-health and zootechnical measures applicable to trade in live animals and animal products, to the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products (<sup>4</sup>) hereinafter referred to as 'the Agriculture Agreement' is applicable to Liechtenstein. Accordingly, Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 1/2003 (<sup>5</sup>) exempts Liechtenstein from the application of Chapter I of Annex I to the Agreement.
- (6) The Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation dated 22 July 1972 (<sup>6</sup>), as amended, was extended to Liechtenstein by an Additional Agreement dated 22 July 1972 (<sup>7</sup>). Accordingly, Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 177/2004 (<sup>8</sup>) exempts Liechtenstein from the application of Protocol No 3 and parts of Protocol No 4 to the Agreement.
- (7) The European Community, the Swiss Confederation and Liechtenstein have agreed to extend the application of the Agriculture Agreement to Liechtenstein by an Additional Agreement, hereinafter referred to as 'the Additional Agreement', which is to enter into force at the same time as this Decision.
- (8) For this reason, as well as for the purpose of ensuring a consistent application of a single set of rules for the whole food chain, it is appropriate to exempt Liechtenstein from the application of the corresponding parts of the Agreement, namely Annex I, Chapters XII and XXVII of Annex II, and Protocol 47 for so long as the Agriculture Agreement applies to Liechtenstein,

 $<sup>\ \ (^1) \</sup>quad OJ \ L \ 328, \ 13.12.2007, \ p. \ 10.$ 

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 18.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 89, 29.3.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 114, 30.4.2002, p. 132.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 94, 10.4.2003, p. 43.

<sup>(6)</sup> OJ L 300, 31.12.1972, p. 189.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 300, 31.12.1972, p. 281.

 $<sup>(^8)~~</sup>OJ~L~133,~26.5.2005,~p.~33.$ 

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The Agreement shall be amended as specified in the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

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

Article 3

Liechtenstein and the European Community shall notify the EEA Joint Committee of the entry into force of the Additional Agreement extending the application of the Agriculture Agreement to Liechtenstein.

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, 28 September 2007

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

Annexes I and II and Protocol 47 to the Agreement shall be amended as specified below:

1. the following text shall be added under the heading Sectoral Adaptations of Annex I:

'However, this Annex shall not apply to Liechtenstein as long as the application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products is extended to Liechtenstein.';

2. the first paragraph of the introductory part of Chapter XII of Annex II shall be replaced by the following:

'This Chapter shall not apply to Liechtenstein as long as the application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products is extended to Liechtenstein.';

3. the following text shall be added in the introductory part of Chapter XXVII of Annex II:

'This Chapter shall not apply to Liechtenstein as long as the application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products is extended to Liechtenstein.';

4. the following text shall be added in the introductory part of Protocol 47:

'However, this Protocol shall not apply to Liechtenstein as long as the application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products is extended to Liechtenstein.'

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 98/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 78/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Decision 2006/858/EC of 28 November 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards restricted zones in relation to bluetongue (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2006/883/EC of 5 December 2006 amending Decision 2006/80/EC as regards Slovenia (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Decision 2006/968/EC of 15 December 2006 implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 21/2004 as regards guidelines and procedures for the electronic identification of ovine and caprine animals (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Regulation (EC) No 1923/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 laying down rules for the prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (<sup>5</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (6) Commission Decision 2007/11/EC of 20 December 2006 amending Commission Decision 2005/362/ EC of 2 May 2005 approving the plan for the eradication of African swine fever in feral pigs in Sardinia, Italy (<sup>6</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Commission Decision 2007/15/EC of 22 December 2006 approving monitoring plans for the detection of residues or substances in live animals and animal products pursuant to Council Directive 96/23/EC as submitted by Bulgaria and Romania (<sup>7</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (8) Commission Decision 2007/28/EC of 22 December 2006 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards restricted zones in relation to bluetongue (<sup>8</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (9) Commission Decision 2007/101/EC of 14 February 2007 amending Decision 2005/393/EC as regards restricted zones in relation to bluetongue (<sup>9</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 17.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 332, 30.11.2006, p. 26.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 341, 7.12.2006, p. 37.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 401, 30.12.2006, p. 41.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 404, 30.12.2006, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 7, 12.1.2007, p. 19.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 7, 12.1.2007, p. 30.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>) OJ L 8, 13.1.2007, p. 51.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>) OJ L 43, 15.2.2006, p. 40.

- (10) Commission Decision 2007/118/EC of 16 February 2007 laying down detailed rules in relation to an alternative identification mark pursuant to Council Directive 2002/99/EC (<sup>1</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (11) Commission Decision 2007/119/EC of 16 February 2007 amending Decisions 2006/415/EC, 2006/ 416/EC and 2006/563/EC as regards the identification mark to be applied to fresh poultrymeat (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (12) Commission Decision 2007/123/EC of 20 February 2007 granting an exemption to Italy under Council Directive 92/119/EEC for the transport of pigs for slaughter on public and private roads to a slaughterhouse within a protection zone (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (13) Commission Decision 2007/135/EC of 23 February 2007 amending Decision 2003/135/EC as regards the amendment 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 State of Rhineland-Palatinate (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (14) This Decision does not 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 Regulation (EC) No 1923/2006 and Decisions 2006/858/EC, 2006/883/EC, 2006/968/EC, 2007/11/EC, 2007/15/EC, 2007/15/EC, 2007/101/EC, 2007/118/EC, 2007/119/EC, 2007/123/EC and 2007/135/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

For the EEA Joint Committee The President Stefán Haukur JÓHANNESSON

(<sup>4</sup>) OJ L 57, 24.2.2007, p. 20.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 19.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 22.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 52, 21.2.2007, p. 10.

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

#### ANNEX

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

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 131 (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1505/2006) in Part 1.2:
  - '132. 32006 D 0968: Commission Decision 2006/968/EC of 15 December 2006 implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 21/2004 as regards guidelines and procedures for the electronic identification of ovine and caprine animals (OJ L 401, 30.12.2006, p. 41).';
- 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 shall be added in point 22 (Commission Decision 2006/80/EC):

', as amended by:

- 32006 D 0883: Commission Decision 2006/883/EC of 5 December 2006 (OJ L 341, 7.12.2006, p. 37).;
- 3. the following indents shall be added in point 33 (Commission Decision 2005/393/EC) in Part 3.2:
  - '- 32006 D 0858: Commission Decision 2006/858/EC of 28 November 2006 (OJ L 332, 30.11.2006, p. 26),
  - 32007 D 0028: Commission Decision 2007/28/EC of 22 December 2006 (OJ L 8, 13.1.2007, p. 51),
  - 32007 D 0101: Commission Decision 2007/101/EC of 14 February 2007 (OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 40).';
- 4. the following shall be added in point 36 (Commission Decision 2006/416/EC) in Part 3.2:

', as amended by:

- 32007 D 0119: Commission Decision 2007/119/EC of 16 February 2007 (OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 22).';
- 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 20 (Commission Decision 2003/135/ EC):

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 shall be added in point 32 (Commission Decision 2005/362/EC):

', as amended by:

- 32007 D 0011: Commission Decision 2007/11/EC of 20 December 2006 (OJ L 7, 12.1.2007, p. 19).';
- under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT in Part 3.2, the following point shall be inserted after point 34 (Commission Decision 2006/ 705/EC):
  - '35. 32007 D 0123: Commission Decision 2007/123/EC of 20 February 2007 granting an exemption to Italy under Council Directive 92/119/EEC for the transport of pigs for slaughter on public and private roads to a slaughterhouse within a protection zone (OJ L 52, 21.2.2007, p. 10).';

<sup>&#</sup>x27;- 32007 D 0135: Commission Decision 2007/135/EC of 23 February 2007 (OJ L 57, 24.2.2007, p. 20).';

- 8. the following point shall be inserted after point 2 (Commission Decision 2005/93/EC) in Part 5.2:
  - '3. 32007 D 0118: Commission Decision 2007/118/EC of 16 February 2007 laying down detailed rules in relation to an alternative identification mark pursuant to Council Directive 2002/99/EC (OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 19).';
- 9. the following indent shall be added in point 12 (Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council) in Part 7.1:
  - '— 32006 R 1923: Regulation (EC) No 1923/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 (OJ L 404, 30.12.2006, p. 1).';
- 10. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE EFTA STATES AND THE EFTA SURVEILLANCE AUTHORITY SHALL TAKE DUE ACCOUNT in Part 7.2, the following point shall be inserted after point 40 (Commission Decision 2004/ 449/EC):
  - '40a. **32007 D 0015**: Commission Decision 2007/15/EC of 22 December 2006 approving monitoring plans for the detection of residues or substances in live animals and animal products pursuant to Council Directive 96/23/EC as submitted by Bulgaria and Romania (OJ L 7, 12.1.2007, p. 30).'

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 99/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 73/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Council Directive 2006/88/EC of 24 October 2006 on animal health requirements for aquaculture animals and products thereof, and on the prevention and control of certain diseases in aquatic animals (<sup>2</sup>), as corrected by OJ L 140, 1.6.2007, p. 59 and OJ L 239, 12.9.2007, p. 70, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2006/911/EC of 5 December 2006 amending Council Directives 64/432/EEC, 90/ 539/EEC, 92/35/EEC, 92/119/EEC, 93/53/EEC, 95/70/EC, 2000/75/EC, 2001/89/EC, 2002/60/EC and Decision 2001/618/EC as regards lists of national reference laboratories and State institutes (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Decision 2007/104/EC of 15 February 2007 amending Decision 2002/300/EC as regards the areas excluded from the list of approved zones with regard to *Bonamia ostreae* (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Directive 2006/88/EC repeals with effect from 1 August 2008 Council Directives 91/67/EEC (<sup>5</sup>), 93/53/ EEC (<sup>6</sup>), 95/70/EC (<sup>7</sup>) which are incorporated into the Agreement and which are consequently to be repealed under the Agreement with effect from 1 August 2008.
- (6) 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 point shall be inserted after point 8 (Council Directive 95/70/EC) in Part 3.1:
  - '8a. 32006 L 0088: Council Directive 2006/88/EC of 24 October 2006 on animal health requirements for aquaculture animals and products thereof, and on the prevention and control of certain diseases in aquatic animals (OJ L 328, 24.11.2006, p. 14), as corrected by OJ L 140, 1.6.2007, p. 59 and OJ L 239, 12.9.2007, p. 70.

This act applies also to Iceland.';

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 6.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 328, 24.11.2006, p. 14.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 346, 9.12.2006, p. 41.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 46, 16.2.2007, p. 51.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(5)</sup> OJ L 46, 19.2.1991, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 175, 19.7.1993, p. 23.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 332, 30.12.1995, p. 33.

- 2. the following point shall be inserted after point 5 (Council Directive 91/67/EEC) in Part 4.1:
  - '5a. 32006 L 0088: Council Directive 2006/88/EC of 24 October 2006 on animal health requirements for aquaculture animals and products thereof, and on the prevention and control of certain diseases in aquatic animals (OJ L 328, 24.11.2006, p. 14), as corrected by OJ L 140, 1.6.2007, p. 59 and OJ L 239, 12.9.2007, p. 70.

This act applies also to Iceland.';

- 3. the following indent shall be added in point 65 (Commission Decision 2002/300/EC) in Part 4.2:
  - '— 32007 D 0104: Commission Decision 2007/104/EC of 15 February 2007 (OJ L 46, 16.2.2007, p. 51).';
- 4. the following point shall be inserted after point 4 (Council Directive 91/67/EEC) in Part 8.1:
  - '4a. **32006 L 0088**: Council Directive 2006/88/EC of 24 October 2006 on animal health requirements for aquaculture animals and products thereof, and on the prevention and control of certain diseases in aquatic animals (OJ L 328, 24.11.2006, p. 14), as corrected by OJ L 140, 1.6.2007, p. 59 and OJ L 239, 12.9.2007, p. 70.

This act applies also to Iceland.';

- 5. the following indent shall be added in points 3 (Council Directive 2001/89/EC), 4 (Council Directive 92/ 35/EEC), 7 (Council Directive 93/53/EEC), 8 (Council Directive 95/70/EC), 9 (Council Directive 92/119/ EEC), 9a (Council Directive 2000/75/EC), 9b (Council Directive 2002/60/EC) in Part 3.1, 1 (Council Directive 64/432/EEC) and 4 (Council Directive 90/539/EEC) in Part 4.1 and 64 (Commission Decision 2001/618/EC) in Part 4.2:
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# Article 2

The texts of Directive 2006/88/EC, as corrected by OJ L 140, 1.6.2007, p. 59 and OJ L 239, 12.9.2007, p. 70, and Decisions 2006/911/EC and 2007/104/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 100/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## 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 74/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 184/2007 of 20 February 2007 concerning the authorisation of potassium diformate (Formi LHS) as a feed additive (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 186/2007 of 21 February 2007 concerning the authorisation of a new use of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Regulation (EC) No 226/2007 of 1 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of Saccharomyces cerevisiae CNCM I-1077 (Levucell SC20 and Levucell SC10 ME) as a feed additive (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Commission Regulation (EC) No 242/2007 of 6 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of endo-1,4beta xylanase EC 3.2.1.8 (Belfeed B1100MP and Belfeed B1100ML) as a feed additive (<sup>5</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (6) Commission Regulation (EC) No 243/2007 of 6 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of 3-phytase (Natuphos) as a feed additive (<sup>6</sup>), as corrected by OJ L 130, 22.5.2007, p. 48, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Commission Regulation (EC) No 244/2007 of 7 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of L-histidine monohydrochloride monohydrate as a feed additive (<sup>7</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following points shall be inserted after point 1zzzi (Commission Regulation (EC) No 188/2007) in Chapter II of Annex I to the Agreement:

<sup>1</sup>zzzj. **32007 R 0184**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 184/2007 of 20 February 2007 concerning the authorisation of potassium diformate (Formi LHS) as a feed additive (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 1).

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 8.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 6.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 64, 2.3.2007, p. 26.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(7)</sup> OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 6.

- 1zzzk. **32007 R 0186**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 186/2007 of 21 February 2007 concerning the authorisation of a new use of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (Biosaf SC 47) as a feed additive (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 6).
- 1zzzl. **32007 R 0226**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 226/2007 of 1 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* CNCM I-1077 (Levucell SC20 and Levucell SC10 ME) as a feed additive (OJ L 64, 2.3.2007, p. 26).
- 1zzzm. **32007 R 0242**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 242/2007 of 6 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of endo-1,4-beta xylanase EC 3.2.1.8 (Belfeed B1100MP and Belfeed B1100ML) as a feed additive (OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 1).
- 1zzzn. **32007 R 0243**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 243/2007 of 6 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of 3-phytase (Natuphos) as a feed additive (OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 4), as corrected by OJ L 130, 22.5.2007, p. 48.
- 1zzzo. 32007 R 0244: Commission Regulation (EC) No 244/2007 of 7 March 2007 concerning the authorisation of L-histidine monohydrochloride monohydrate as a feed additive (OJ L 73, 13.3.2007, p. 6).'

#### Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 184/2007, (EC) No 186/2007, (EC) No 226/2007, (EC) No 242/2007, (EC) No 243/2007, as corrected by OJ L 130, 22.5.2007, p. 48 and (EC) No 244/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 101/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 5/2007 of 27 April 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2006/119/EC of 27 November 2006 amending for the purposes of adapting to technical progress Directive 2001/56/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning heating systems for motor vehicles and their trailers (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Directive 2006/120/EC of 27 November 2006 correcting and amending Directive 2005/ 30/EC amending, for the purposes of their adaptation to technical progress, Directives 97/24/EC and 2002/24/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, relating to the type-approval of two or three-wheel motor vehicles (<sup>3</sup>) 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 the 19th indent (Directive 2001/56/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of point 1 (Council Directive 70/156/EEC):
  - '- **32006 L 0119**: Commission Directive 2006/119/EC of 27 November 2006 (OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 12).';
- the following shall be added in the third indent (Commission Directive 2005/30/EC) of point 45x (Directive 97/24/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):

', as amended by:

- 32006 L 0120: Commission Directive 2006/120/EC of 27 November 2006 (OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 16).';
- 3. the following shall be added in the third indent (Commission Directive 2005/30/EC) of point 45za (Directive 2002/24/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):

', as amended by:

— 32006 L 0120: Commission Directive 2006/120/EC of 27 November 2006 (OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 16).';

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 209, 9.8.2007, p. 13.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 12.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 16.

4. the following shall be added in point 45zg (Commission Directive 2005/30/EC):

', as amended by:

— 32006 L 0120: Commission Directive 2006/120/EC of 27 November 2006 (OJ L 330, 28.11.2006, p. 16).'

# Article 2

The texts of Directives 2006/119/EC and 2006/120/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 102/2007

# of 28 September 2007

# amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) and 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 43/2005 of 11 March 2005 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Annex IV to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 49/2007 of 8 June 2007 (<sup>2</sup>).
- (3) Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 on establishing a framework for the setting of ecodesign requirements for energy-using products and amending Council Directive 92/42/EEC and Directives 96/57/EC and 2000/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Annex II to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. the following shall be added in point 5 (Directive 96/57/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter IV:

', as amended by:

- 32005 L 0032: Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 (OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29).';
- 2. the following point shall be inserted after point 5 (Directive 96/57/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter IV:
  - '6. 32005 L 0032: Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 on establishing a framework for the setting of ecodesign requirements for energy-using products and amending Council Directive 92/42/EEC and Directives 96/57/EC and 2000/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29).

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

The EFTA States concerned shall be invited to send observers to the meeting of the Committee established in Article 19. The representatives of the EFTA States shall participate fully in the work of the Committee, but shall not have the right to vote.';

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 198, 28.7.2005, p. 45.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 266, 11.10.2007, p. 7.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29.

3. the following indent shall be added in point 3 (Council Directive 92/42/EEC) of Chapter V:

Article 2

Annex IV to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. the following shall be added in point 15 (Directive 2000/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):

', as amended by:

- 32005 L 0032: Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 (OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29).';
- 2. the following point shall be inserted after point 25 (Directive 2005/89/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
  - '26. 32005 L 0032: Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 on establishing a framework for the setting of ecodesign requirements for energy-using products and amending Council Directive 92/42/EEC and Directives 96/57/EC and 2000/55/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29).

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

The EFTA States concerned shall be invited to send observers to the meeting of the Committee established in Article 19. The representatives of the EFTA States shall participate fully in the work of the Committee, but shall not have the right to vote.'

### Article 3

The text of Directive 2005/32/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 4

This Decision shall enter into force on 29 September 2007, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (\*).

#### Article 5

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, 28 September 2007.

 <sup>— 32005</sup> L 0032: Directive 2005/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 July 2005 (OJ L 191, 22.7.2005, p. 29).'

<sup>(\*)</sup> Constitutional requirements indicated.

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 103/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) 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 79/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Recommendation 2006/583/EC of 17 August 2006 on the prevention and reduction of Fusarium toxins in cereals and cereal products (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Directive 2006/142/EC of 22 December 2006 amending Annex IIIa of Directive 2000/13/ EC of the European Parliament and of the Council listing the ingredients which must under all circumstances appear on the labelling of foodstuffs (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006 of 22 December 2006 on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Commission Directive 2007/7/EC of 14 February 2007 amending certain Annexes to Council Directives 86/362/EEC and 90/642/EEC as regards the maximum residue levels of atrazine, lambda-cyhalothrin, phenmedipham, methomyl, linuron, penconazole, pymetrozine, bifenthrin and abamectin (<sup>5</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (6) Commission Directive 2007/12/EC of 26 February 2007 amending certain Annexes to Council Directive 90/642/EEC as regards the maximum residue levels of penconazole, benomyl and carbendazim (<sup>6</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Commission Directive 2007/8/EC of 20 February 2007 amending Annexes to Council Directives 76/ 895/EEC, 86/362/EEC and 90/642/EEC as regards maximum residue levels for phosphamidon and mevinphos (<sup>7</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (8) Commission Directive 2007/9/EC of 20 February 2007 amending the Annexe to Council Directive 90/ 642/EEC as regards maximum residue levels for aldicarb (<sup>8</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (9) Commission Directive 2007/11/EC of 21 February 2007 amending certain Annexes to Council Directives 86/362/EEC, 86/363/EEC and 90/642/EEC as regards maximum residue levels for acetamiprid, thiacloprid, imazosulfuron, methoxyfenozide, S-metholachlor, milbemectin and tribenuron (<sup>9</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

 $<sup>\ \ (^1) \</sup>quad OJ \ L \ 328, \ 13.12.2007, \ p. \ 18.$ 

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 234, 29.8.2006, p. 35.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 368, 23.12.2006, p. 110.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 384, 29.12.2006, p. 75.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 19.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 59, 27.2.2007, p. 75.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 9.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>) OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 17.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>) OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 26.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

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

- 1. the following indent shall be added in point 13 (Council Directive 76/895/EEC):
  - ·-- 32007 L 0008: Commission Directive 2007/8/EC of 20 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 9).;
- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 18 (Directive 2000/13/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
  - '— 32006 L 0142: Commission Directive 2006/142/EC of 22 December 2006 (OJ L 368, 23.12.2006, p. 110).';
- 3. the following indents shall be added in point 38 (Council Directive 86/362/EEC):
  - '— 32007 L 0007: Commission Directive 2007/7/EC of 14 February 2007 (OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 19),
  - 32007 L 0008: Commission Directive 2007/8/EC of 20 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 9),
  - 32007 L 0011: Commission Directive 2007/11/EC of 21 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 26).;
- 4. the following indent shall be added in point 39 (Council Directive 86/363/EEC):
  - '— 32007 L 0011: Commission Directive 2007/11/EC of 21 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 26).';
- 5. the following indents shall be added in point 54 (Council Directive 90/642/EEC):
  - '— 32007 L 0007: Commission Directive 2007/7/EC of 14 February 2007 (OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 19),
  - 32007 L 0012: Commission Directive 2007/12/EC of 26 February 2007 (OJ L 59, 27.2.2007, p. 75),
  - 32007 L 0008: Commission Directive 2007/8/EC of 20 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 9),
  - 32007 L 0009: Commission Directive 2007/9/EC of 20 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 17),
  - 32007 L 0011: Commission Directive 2007/11/EC of 21 February 2007 (OJ L 63, 1.3.2007, p. 26).';
- 6. the following point shall be inserted after point 54zzza (Commission Directive 2006/125/EC):
  - '54zzzb. 32006 R 2023: Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006 of 22 December 2006 on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food (OJ L 384, 29.12.2006, p. 75).';
- 7. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE CONTRACTING PART IES SHALL TAKE NOTE' the following point shall be inserted after point 60 (Commission Recommendation 2005/108/EC):
  - '61. **32006 H 0583**: Commission Recommendation 2006/583/EC of 17 August 2006 on the prevention and reduction of Fusarium toxins in cereals and cereal products (OJ L 234, 29.8.2006, p. 35).'

Article 2

The texts of Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006, Directives 2006/142/EC, 2007/7/EC, 2007/12/EC, 2007/8/EC, 2007/9/EC and 2007/11/EC and Recommendation 2006/583/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

#### No 104/2007

#### of 28 September 2007

#### 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 79/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 394/2007 of 12 April 2007 amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 on organic production of agricultural products and indications referring thereto in agricultural products and foodstuffs (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

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

'— 32007 R 0394: Commission Regulation (EC) No 394/2007 of 12 April 2007 (OJ L 98, 13.4.2007, p. 3).'

#### Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 394/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 18.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 98, 13.4.2007, p. 3.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 105/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 81/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 287/2007 of 16 March 2007 amending Annex II 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 Ginseng, standardised extracts and preparations thereof (<sup>2</sup>) 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:

'— 32007 R 0287: Commission Regulation (EC) No 287/2007 of 16 March 2007 (OJ L 78, 17.3.2007, p. 13).'

# Article 2

The texts of Regulation (EC) No 287/2007 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 29 September 2007, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (\*).

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 21.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 78, 17.3.2007, p. 13.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

#### No 106/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 149/2006 of 8 December 2006 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 162/2007 of 19 February 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 2003/ 2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council relating to fertilisers for the purposes of adapting Annexes I and IV thereto to technical progress (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

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

'— 32007 R 0162: Commission Regulation (EC) No 162/2007 of 19 February 2007 (OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 7).'

#### Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 162/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 89, 29.3.2007, p. 19.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 51, 20.2.2007, p. 7.

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

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 107/2007

#### of 28 September 2007

# 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 83/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC (<sup>2</sup>), as corrected by OJ L 229, 29.6.2004, p. 5, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2005/69/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 November 2005 amending for the 27th time Council Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (polycyclic aromatichydrocarbons in extender oils and tyres) (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Directive 2005/84/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 December 2005 amending for the 22nd time Council Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (phthalates in toys and childcare articles) (<sup>4</sup>), as corrected by OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 88, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Commission Directive 2006/8/EC of 23 January 2006 amending, for the purposes of their adaptation to technical progress, Annexes II, III and V to Directive 1999/45/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to the classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous preparations (<sup>5</sup>), as corrected by OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 42, is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (6) Council Regulation (EC) No 1195/2006 of 18 July 2006 amending Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 850/ 2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council on persistent organic pollutants (<sup>6</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Council Regulation (EC) No 172/2007 of 16 February 2007 amending Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council on persistent organic pollutants (<sup>7</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 25

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 158, 30.4.2004, p. 7.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 323, 9.12.2005, p. 51.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 344, 27.12.2005, p. 40.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(5)</sup> OJ L 19, 24.1.2006, p. 12.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 217, 8.8.2006, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 55, 23.2.2007, p. 1.

- (8) Commission Regulation (EC) No 323/2007 of 26 March 2007 amending Annex V to Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC (<sup>1</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (9) Regulation No (EC) 304/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council (<sup>2</sup>) repealed Council Regulation (EEC) No 2455/92 (<sup>3</sup>), which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter XV of Annex II to the Agreement shall be amended as follow:

- 1. the following indents shall be added in point 4 (Council Directive 76/769/EEC):
  - '— 32005 L 0069: Directive 2005/69/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 November 2005 (OJ L 323, 9.12.2005, p. 51),
  - 32005 L 0084: Directive 2005/84/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 December 2005 (OJ L 344, 27.12.2005, p. 40), as corrected by OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 88.';
- 2. the following indent shall be added in point 6 (Council Directive 79/117/EEC):
  - '— 32004 R 0850: Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 (OJ L 158, 30.4.2004, p. 7), as corrected by OJ L 229, 29.6.2004, p. 5.';
- 3. the following indent shall be added in point 12r (Directive 1999/45/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
  - '— 32006 L 0008: Commission Directive 2006/8/EC of 23 January 2006 (OJ L 19, 24.1.2006, p. 12), as corrected by OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 42.';
- 4. the following point shall be inserted after point 12v (Commission Regulation (EC) No 565/2006):
  - '12w. **32004 R 0850**: Regulation (EC) No 850/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on persistent organic pollutants and amending Directive 79/117/EEC (OJ L 158, 30.4.2004, p. 7), as corrected by OJ L 229, 29.6.2004, p. 5, as amended by:
    - 32006 R 1195: Council Regulation (EC) No 1195/2006 of 18 July 2006 (OJ L 217, 8.8.2006, p. 1),
    - 32007 R 0172: Council Regulation (EC) No 172/2007 of 16 February 2007 (OJ L 55, 23.2.2007, p. 1),
    - 32007 R 0323: Commission Regulation (EC) No 323/2007 of 26 March 2007 (OJ L 85, 27.3.2007, p. 3).

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

Notwithstanding the provisions of Protocol 1 to the Agreement, the term "customs territory of the Community" contained in Article 2 shall be understood to include the territory of the EFTA States.';

5. the text of point 12c (Council Regulation (EEC) No 2455/92) shall be deleted.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 85, 27.3.2007, p. 3.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 63, 6.3.2003, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 251, 29.8.1992, p. 13.

#### Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 850/2004, as corrected by OJ L 229, 29.6.2004, p. 5, (EC) No 1195/2006, (EC) No 172/2007, (EC) No 323/2007 and Directives 2005/69/EC, 2005/84/EC, as corrected by OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 88, and 2006/8/EC, as corrected by OJ L 43, 15.2.2007, p. 42, 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 108/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 83/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2006/139/EC of 20 December 2006 amending Council Directive 76/769/EEC as regards restrictions on the marketing and use of arsenic compounds for the purpose of adapting its Annex I to technical progress (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 4 (Council Directive 76/769/EEC) of Chapter XV of Annex II to the Agreement:

'— 32006 L 0139: Commission Directive 2006/139/EC of 20 December 2006 (OJ L 384, 29.12.2006, p. 94).'

## Article 2

The text of Directive 2006/139/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 25.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 384, 29.12.2006, p. 94.

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

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 109/2007

#### of 28 September 2007

#### 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 83/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2007/20/EC of 3 April 2007 amending Directive 98/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council to include dichlofluanid as an active substance in Annex I thereto (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 12n (Directive 98/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter XV of Annex II to the Agreement:

'— 32007 L 0020: Commission Directive 2007/20/EC of 3 April 2007 (OJ L 94, 4.4.2007, p. 23).'

#### Article 2

The text of Directive 2007/20/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 25.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 94, 4.4.2007, p. 23.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 110/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 17/2007 of 27 April 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2006/65/EC of 19 July 2006 amending Council Directive 76/768/EEC, concerning cosmetic products, for the purpose of adapting Annexes II and III thereto to technical progress (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Recommendation 2006/647/EC of 22 September 2006 on the efficacy of sunscreen products and the claims made relating thereto (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Directive 2007/1/EC of 29 January 2007 amending Council Directive 76/768/EEC, concerning cosmetic products, for the purposes of adapting Annex II thereof to technical progress (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

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

1. the following indents shall be added in point 1 (Council Directive 76/768/EEC):

- 32007 L 0001: Commission Directive 2007/1/EC of 29 January 2007 (OJ L 25, 1.2.2007, p. 9).;
- 2. the following point shall be inserted after point 14 (Commission Recommendation 2006/406/EC):
  - '15. **32006 H 0647**: Commission Recommendation 2006/647/EC of 22 September 2006 on the efficacy of sunscreen products and the claims made relating thereto (OJ L 265, 26.9.2006, p. 39).'

Article 2

The texts of Directives 2006/65/EC and 2007/1/EC and Recommendation 2006/647/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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>— **32006 L 0065**: Commission Directive 2006/65/EC of 19 July 2006 (OJ L 198, 20.7.2006, p. 11),

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 209, 9.8.2007, p. 30.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 198, 20.7.2006, p. 11.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 265, 26.9.2006, p. 39.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 25, 1.2.2007, p. 9.

# Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 111/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 17/2007 of 27 April 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2007/17/EC of 22 March 2007 amending Council Directive 76/768/EEC, concerning cosmetic products, for the purposes of adapting Annexes III and VI thereto to technical progress (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 1 (Council Directive 76/768/EEC) of Chapter XVI of Annex II to the Agreement:

" **32007 L 0017**: Commission Directive 2007/17/EC of 22 March 2007 (OJ L 82, 23.3.2007, p. 27)."

#### Article 2

The text of Directive 2007/17/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 209, 9.8.2007, p. 30.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 82, 23.3.2007, p. 27.

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

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

#### No 113/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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:

- (1) Annex IX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 87/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 211/2007 of 27 February 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 809/ 2004 implementing Directive 2003/71/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards financial information in prospectuses where the issuer has a complex financial history or has made a significant financial commitment (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 29ba (Commission Regulation (EC) No 809/2004) of Annex IX to the Agreement:

4 32007 R 0211: Commission Regulation (EC) No 211/2007 of 27 February 2007 (OJ L 61, 28.2.2007, p. 24).

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 211/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 32.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 61, 28.2.2007, p. 24.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 114/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## 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:

- (1) Annex IX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 87/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Directive 2007/16/EC of 19 March 2007 implementing Council Directive 85/611/EEC on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) as regards the clarification of certain definitions (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

## Article 1

Annex IX to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. points 30a, 30b, 30c, 30ca, 30caa, 30 cab, 30cac, 30cb, 30d and 30e shall be renumbered as points 31, 31a, 31b, 31ba, 31ba, 31bab, 31bac, 31bb, 31c and 31d;
- 2. under the heading 'ACTS OF WHICH THE CONTRACTING PARTIES SHALL TAKE NOTE', points 31 to 41 shall be renumbered as points 32 to 42;
- 3. the following point shall be inserted after point 30 (Council Directive 85/611/EEC):
  - '30a. **32007 L 0016**: Commission Directive 2007/16/EC of 19 March 2007 implementing Council Directive 85/611/EEC on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) as regards the clarification of certain definitions (OJ L 79, 20.3.2007, p. 11).'

#### Article 2

The text of Directive 2007/16/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

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 32.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 79, 20.3.2007, p. 11.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Constitutional requirements indicated.

# 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, 28 September 2007.

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 115/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## amending Annex XI (Telecommunication services) and Protocol 37 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 and 101 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Annex XI to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 22/2007 of 27 April 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Protocol 37 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 10/2004 of 6 February 2004 (<sup>2</sup>).
- (3) Commission Decision 2006/215/EC of 15 March 2006 on setting up a high level expert group to advise the European Commission on the implementation and the development of the i2010 strategy (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) For the Agreement to function well, Protocol 37 to the Agreement is to be extended to include the high level expert group set up by Decision 2006/215/EC, and Annex XI is to be amended in order to specify the procedures for association with this group.
- (5) Commission Decision 2005/752/EC of 24 October 2005 establishing an expert group on electronic commerce (<sup>4</sup>) was incorporated into Annex XI to the Agreement by Decision No 120/2006.
- (6) For the Agreement to function well, Protocol 37 to the Agreement is to be extended to include the expert group on electronic commerce set up by Decision 2005/752/EC, and Annex XI is to be amended in order to specify the procedures for association with this group,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

Annex XI to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 5n (Commission Decision 2005/752/EC):
  - '50. 32006 D 0215: Commission Decision 2006/215/EC of 15 March 2006 on setting up a high level expert group to advise the European Commission on the implementation and the development of the i2010 strategy (OJ L 80, 17.3.2006, p. 74).

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 209, 9.8.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 116, 22.4.2004, p. 58.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 80, 17.3.2006, p. 74.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 282, 26.10.2005, p. 20.

Procedures for the association of Liechtenstein, Iceland and Norway in accordance with Article 101 of the Agreement:

Each EFTA State may, in accordance with Article 3 of Commission Decision 2006/215/EC, appoint a person to participate as an observer in the meetings of the i2010 High Level Group.

The European Commission shall, in due time, inform the participants of the dates of the meetings of the Group and transmit to them the relevant documentation.';

2. the following shall be added in point 5n (Commission Decision 2005/752/EC):

Procedures for the association of Liechtenstein, Iceland and Norway in accordance with Article 101 of the Agreement:

Each EFTA State may, in accordance with Article 3 of Commission Decision 2005/752/EC, appoint a person to participate as an observer in the meetings of the expert group on electronic commerce.

The European Commission shall, in due time, inform the participants of the dates of the meetings of the group and transmit to them the relevant documentation.'

Article 2

The following points shall be inserted in Protocol 37 (containing the list provided for in Article 101) to the Agreement:

'18. The expert group on electronic commerce (Commission Decision 2005/752/EC).

19. The i2010 High Level Group (Commission Decision 2006/215/EC).'

## Article 3

The text of Decision 2006/215/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 4

This Decision shall enter into force on 29 September 2007, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee (\*).

Article 5

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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 116/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Decision 2007/230/EC of 12 April 2007 on a form concerning social legislation relating to road transport activities (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 21a (Directive 2006/22/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'21aa. **32007 D 0230**: Commission Decision 2007/230/EC of 12 April 2007 on a form concerning social legislation relating to road transport activities (OJ L 99, 14.4.2007, p. 14).'

Article 2

The text of Decision 2007/230/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 99, 14.4.2007, p. 14.

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

## No 117/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Decision 2006/66/EC of 23 December 2005 concerning the technical specification for interoperability relating to the subsystem 'rolling stock — noise' of the trans-European conventional rail system (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 37f (Commission Decision 2004/447/EC) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'37g. **32006 D 0066**: Commission Decision 2006/66/EC of 23 December 2005 concerning the technical specification for interoperability relating to the subsystem "rolling stock — noise" of the trans-European conventional rail system (OJ L 37, 8.2.2006, p. 1).'

Article 2

The text of Decision 2006/66/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 37, 8.2.2006, p. 1.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 118/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 414/2007 of 13 March 2007 concerning the technical guidelines for the planning, implementation and operational use of river information services (RIS) referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 415/2007 of 13 March 2007 concerning the technical specifications for vessel tracking and tracing systems referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Commission Regulation (EC) No 416/2007 of 22 March 2007 concerning the technical specifications for Notices to Skippers as referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

## Article 1

The following points shall be inserted after point 49a (Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

- '49aa. **32007 R 0414**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 414/2007 of 13 March 2007 concerning the technical guidelines for the planning, implementation and operational use of river information services (RIS) referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 1).
- 49ab. 32007 R 0415: Commission Regulation (EC) No 415/2007 of 13 March 2007 concerning the technical specifications for vessel tracking and tracing systems referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 35).
- 49ac. **32007 R 0416**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 416/2007 of 22 March 2007 concerning the technical specifications for Notices to Skippers as referred to in Article 5 of Directive 2005/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on harmonised river information services (RIS) on inland waterways in the Community (OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 88).'

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 35.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 105, 23.4.2007, p. 88.

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 414/2007, (EC) No 415/2007 and (EC) No 416/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 119/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 457/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 April 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 417/2002 on the accelerated phasing-in of double-hull or equivalent design requirements for single-hull oil tankers (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 56m (Regulation (EC) No 417/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'— 32007 R 0457: Regulation (EC) No 457/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 April 2007 (OJ L 113, 30.4.2007, p. 1).'

# Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 457/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 113, 30.4.2007, p. 1.

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

#### No 120/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 1899/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2006 amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3922/91 on the harmonisation of technical requirements and administrative procedures in the field of civil aviation (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Regulation (EC) No 1900/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 December 2006 amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3922/91 on the harmonisation of technical requirements and administrative procedures in the field of civil aviation (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

The following indents shall be added in point 66a (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3922/91) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

- '— 32006 R 1899: Regulation (EC) No 1899/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2006 (OJ L 377, 27.12.2006, p. 1),
- 32006 R 1900: Regulation (EC) No 1900/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 December 2006 (OJ L 377, 27.12.2006, p. 176).'

## Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 1899/2006 and (EC) No 1900/2006 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

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L ....

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 377, 27.12.2006, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 377, 27.12.2006, p. 176.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

## No 121/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (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 (<sup>2</sup>) was incorporated into the Agreement by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 61/2004 of 26 April 2004 (<sup>3</sup>), with country specific adaptations.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 437/2007 of 20 April 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 622/2003 laying down measures for the implementation of the common basic standards on aviation security (<sup>4</sup>) 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:

'— **32007 R 0437**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 437/2007 of 20 April 2007 (OJ L 104, 21.4.2007, p. 16).'

#### Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 437/2007 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

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 355, 30.12.2002, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 277, 26.8.2004, p. 175.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 104, 21.4.2007, p. 16.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

## No 122/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 91/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 1107/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 July 2006 concerning the rights of disabled persons and persons with reduced mobility when travelling by air (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) The very small territory of Liechtenstein as well as its specific geographical structure and the fact that air services are only provided in exceptionally limited numbers have to be taken into account.
- (4) The total amount of air traffic in Liechtenstein and the fact that no international regular services to or from Liechtenstein are available and that the civil aviation infrastructure in Liechtenstein consists of only one heliport has to be taken into consideration,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 68ab (Regulation (EC) No 261/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XIII to the Agreement:

'68ac. **32006 R 1107**: Regulation (EC) No 1107/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 July 2006 concerning the rights of disabled persons and persons with reduced mobility when travelling by air (OJ L 204, 26.7.2006, p. 1).

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

The measures laid down in this Regulation shall not apply to the existing civil aviation infrastructure within the territory of Liechtenstein.'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2006 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

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 40.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 204, 26.7.2006, p. 1.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

#### DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 123/2007

## of 28 September 2007

# amending Annex XVIII (Health and safety at work, labour law, and equal treatment for men and women) 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 XVIII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 31/2007 of 27 April 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Directive 2006/25/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 April 2006 on the minimum health and safety requirements regarding the exposure of workers to risks arising from physical agents (artificial optical radiation) (19th individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16(1) of Directive 89/391/EEC) (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 16jd (Commission Directive 2006/15/EC) of Annex XVIII to the Agreement:

'16je. 32006 L 0025: Directive 2006/25/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 April 2006 on the minimum health and safety requirements regarding the exposure of workers to risks arising from physical agents (artificial optical radiation) (19th individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16 (1) of Directive 89/391/EEC) (OJ L 114, 27.4.2006, p. 38).'

## Article 2

The texts of Directive 2006/25/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

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 209, 9.8.2007, p. 56.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 114, 27.4.2006, p. 38.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

#### No 124/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## amending Annex XX (Environment) 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 XX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 92/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Decision 2007/207/EC of 29 March 2007 amending Decisions 2001/405/EC, 2002/255/ EC, 2002/371/EC, 2004/669/EC, 2003/31/EC and 2000/45/EC in order to prolong the validity of the ecological criteria for the award of the Community eco-label to certain products (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

# Article 1

Annex XX to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following indent shall be added in points 2b (Commission Decision 2000/45/EC), 2i (Commission Decision 2001/405/EC) and 2j (Commission Decision 2002/255/EC):
  - '— 32007 D 0207: Commission Decision 2007/207/EC of 29 March 2007 (OJ L 92, 3.4.2007, p. 16).';
- 2. the following shall be added in points 2f (Commission Decision 2002/371/EC), 2h (Commission Decision 2003/31/EC) and 2n (Commission Decision 2004/669/EC):
  - ', as amended by:
  - 32007 D 0207: Commission Decision 2007/207/EC of 29 March 2007 (OJ L 92, 3.4.2007, p. 16).'

## Article 2

The text of Decision 2007/207/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

 $<sup>\ (^1) \</sup>quad OJ \ L \ 328, \ 13.12.2007, \ p. \ 42.$ 

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 92, 3.4.2007, p. 16.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

#### No 125/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## amending Annex XX (Environment) 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 XX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 92/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2000 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2000/60/EC repeals, with effect from 22 December 2007, Directives 75/440/EEC (<sup>3</sup>), as amended, and 79/869/EEC (<sup>4</sup>), as amended, which are incorporated into the Agreement and which are consequently to be repealed under the Agreement with effect from 22 December 2007.
- (4) Directive 2000/60/EC repeals, with effect from 22 December 2013, Directive 80/68/EEC (<sup>5</sup>), as amended, which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement with effect from 22 December 2013.
- (5) Directive 2000/60/EC shall be read taking particular account of the fact that Article 73 of the Agreement defines the objectives of action by the Contracting Parties in the field of environment, whereas other policies addressed by the EC Treaty fall outside the scope of the Agreement.
- (6) Directive 2000/60/EC, which encompasses the evolving Community action in the field of water policy, covers acts that are incorporated into the Agreement as well as acts that are not incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Regard is to be given to the Joint Statement attached to this Decision,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

Annex XX to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 13c (Commission Decision 92/446/EEC):
  - '13ca. **32000 L 0060**: Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2000 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (OJ L 327, 22.12.2000, p. 1).

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 42.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 327, 22.12.2000, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 194, 25.7.1975, p. 26.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 271, 29.10.1979, p. 44.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 20, 26.1.1980, p. 43.

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

- (a) without prejudice to future development by the EEA Joint Committee, it should be noted that the following Community acts are not incorporated into the EEA Agreement:
  - (i) Council Directive 76/160/EEC of 8 December 1975 on the quality of bathing water (The Bathing Water Directive);
  - (ii) Council Directive 79/409/EEC of 2 April 1979 on the conservation of wild birds (The Birds Directive);
  - (iii) Council Directive 92/43/EEC of 21 May 1992 on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora (The Habitats Directive);
  - (iv) Council Directive 79/923/EEC of 30 October 1979 on the quality required of shellfish waters;
  - (v) Council Directive 78/659/EEC of 18 July 1978 on the quality of fresh waters needing protection or improvement in order to support fish life; and
  - (vi) Council Decision 77/795/EEC of 12 December 1977 establishing a common procedure for the exchange of information on the quality of surface fresh water in the Community.
- (b) the time limits mentioned in Articles 4(1)(a)(ii) and (iii), 4(1)(b)(ii), 4(1)(c), 5(1) and 5(2), 6(1), 8(2), 10(2), 11(7) and 11(8), 13(6) and 13(7) as well as 17(4) of the Directive, which run from the date of entry into force of the Directive, shall be understood to run from the date of entry into force of the Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 125/2007 of 28 September 2007 incorporating this Directive into the Agreement.

In accordance with Paragraph 11 of Protocol 1 on horizontal adaptations, any reference to the date mentioned in Article 24 shall be understood to refer to the date of entry into force of the Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 125/2007 of 28 September 2007 incorporating this Directive into the Agreement.';

- 2. the texts of points 3 (Council Directive 75/440/EEC) and 5 (Council Directive 79/869/EEC) shall be deleted with effect from 22 December 2007;
- 3. the text of point 6 (Council Directive 80/68/EEC) shall be deleted with effect from 22 December 2013.

#### Article 2

The text of Directive 2000/60/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

<sup>(\*)</sup> Constitutional requirements indicated.

# 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, 28 September 2007.

# JOINT STATEMENT TO DECISION No 125/2007 INCORPORATING DIRECTIVE 2000/60/EC OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL INTO THE AGREEMENT

'The Contracting Parties recognise the diversity of anthropogenic pressures and impacts on waters across Europe. Consequently, the measures and efforts to achieve the environmental objective of the Directive might vary from region to region. The Water Framework Directive takes account of these diversities. It allows authorities responsible for the implementation of the Directive to select measures and efforts adapted to the pressures and impacts prevailing, whilst achieving the environmental objectives.'

## No 126/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### amending Annex XX (Environment) 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 XX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 92/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Decision No 2455/2001/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 November 2001 establishing the list of priority substances in the field of water policy and amending Directive 2000/60/ EC (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following shall be added in point 13ca (Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XX to the Agreement:

', as amended by:

 — 32001 D 2455: Decision No 2455/2001/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 November 2001 (OJ L 331, 15.12.2001, p. 1).'

Article 2

The text of Decision No 2455/2001/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 42.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 331, 15.12.2001, p. 1.

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

# DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

# No 127/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## amending Annex XX (Environment) 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 XX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 92/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 March 2001 on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/EEC (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Decision 2002/623/EC of 24 July 2002 establishing guidance notes supplementing Annex II to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/ EEC (<sup>3</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) Council Decision 2002/811/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing guidance notes supplementing Annex VII to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/ EEC (<sup>4</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (5) Council Decision 2002/812/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council the summary information format relating to the placing on the market of genetically modified organisms as or in products (<sup>5</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (6) Council Decision 2002/813/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing, pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, the summary notification information format for notifications concerning the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms for purposes other than for placing on the market (<sup>6</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (7) Commission Decision 2003/701/EC of 29 September 2003 establishing pursuant to Directive 2001/18/ EC of the European Parliament and of the Council a format for presenting the results of the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified higher plants for purposes other than placing on the market (<sup>7</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 42.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 106, 17.4.2001, p. 1.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 200, 30.7.2002, p. 22.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>) OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 27.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>) OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 37.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>) OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 62.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>) OJ L 254, 8.10.2003, p. 1.

<sup>(\*)</sup> OJ L 234, 8.10.2003, p. 1.

(8) Commission Decision 2004/204/EC of 23 February 2004 laying down detailed arrangements for the operation of the registers for recording information on genetic modifications in GMOs, provided for in Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (<sup>1</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

## Article 1

Annex XX to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. the following point shall be inserted after point 25c (Commission Decision 93/584/EEC):
  - '25d. **32001 L 0018**: Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 March 2001 on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/EEC (OJ L 106, 17.4.2001, p. 1).

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

(a) The following paragraph shall be inserted at the end of Article 30(2):

"The EFTA States shall participate fully in the work of the Committee, but shall not have the right to vote. The internal rules of procedure of the Committee shall be adjusted to give full effect to the EFTA States participation."

(b) Article 23 shall be replaced by the following:

"1. Where a Contracting Party has detailed grounds for considering that a GMO as or in a product which has been properly notified and has received written consent under this Directive constitutes a risk to human health or the environment, that Contracting Party may restrict or prohibit the use and/or sale of that GMO as or in a product on its territory. The Contracting Party shall ensure that in the event of a severe risk, emergency measures, such as suspension or termination of the placing on the market, shall be applied, including information to the public.

The Contracting Party shall immediately inform the other Contracting Parties through the EEA Joint Committee of actions taken under this Article and give reasons for its decision.

2. If a Contracting Party so requires, consultations on the appropriateness of the measures taken shall take place in the EEA Joint Committee. Part VII of the Agreement shall apply."

- (c) The Contracting Parties agree that the Directive only covers aspects relating to the potential risks to humans, plants, animals and the environment. The EFTA States therefore reserve the right to apply their national legislation in this area in relation to other concerns than health and environment, in so far as it is compatible with this Agreement.
- (d) Liechtenstein shall not be obliged to receive and/or process applications concerning the first placing on the market of GMOs (Articles 12 to 24). However, Liechtenstein shall receive all information from other Member States within the authorisation procedures as foreseen by the Directive.';
- 2. the following points shall be inserted after point 25d (Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
  - '25e. **32002 D 0623**: Commission Decision 2002/623/EC of 24 July 2002 establishing guidance notes supplementing Annex II to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/EEC (OJ L 200, 30.7.2002, p. 22).

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 65, 3.3.2004, p. 20.

- 25f. **32002 D 0811**: Council Decision 2002/811/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing guidance notes supplementing Annex VII to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms and repealing Council Directive 90/220/EEC (OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 27).
- 25g. 32002 D 0812: Council Decision 2002/812/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council the summary information format relating to the placing on the market of genetically modified organisms as or in products (OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 37).
- 25h. **32002 D 0813**: Council Decision 2002/813/EC of 3 October 2002 establishing, pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, the summary notification information format for notifications concerning the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified organisms for purposes other than for placing on the market (OJ L 280, 18.10.2002, p. 62).
- 25i. **32003 D 0701**: Commission Decision 2003/701/EC of 29 September 2003 establishing pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council a format for presenting the results of the deliberate release into the environment of genetically modified higher plants for purposes other than placing on the market (OJ L 254, 8.10.2003, p. 21).
- 25j. 32004 D 0204: Commission Decision 2004/204/EC of 23 February 2004 laying down detailed arrangements for the operation of the registers for recording information on genetic modifications in GMOs, provided for in Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 65, 3.3.2004, p. 20).';
- 3. the text of point 25 (Council Directive 90/220/EEC) shall be deleted.

Article 2

The texts of Directive 2001/18/EC and Decisions 2002/623/EC, 2002/811/EC, 2002/812/EC, 2002/813/EC, 2003/701/EC and 2004/204/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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Constitutional requirements indicated.

#### No 128/2007

# of 28 September 2007

## 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 94/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 332/2007 of 27 March 2007 on the technical arrangements for the transmission of railway transport statistics (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) This Decision is not to apply to Iceland,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

## Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 7j (Regulation (EC) No 1365/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XXI to the Agreement:

<sup>(7</sup>k. **32007 R 0332**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 332/2007 of 27 March 2007 on the technical arrangements for the transmission of railway transport statistics (OJ L 88, 29.3.2007, p. 16).

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

This Regulation shall not apply to Iceland.'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 332/2007 in the Norwegian language, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the Official Journal of the European Union, shall be authentic.

# Article 3

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 46.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 88, 29.3.2007, p. 16.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

# No 129/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 94/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 102/2007 of 2 February 2007 adopting the specifications of the 2008 ad hoc module on the labour market situation of migrants and their immediate descendants, as provided for by Council Regulation (EC) No 577/98 and amending Regulation (EC) No 430/2005 (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 215/2007 of 28 February 2007 on implementing Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning Community statistics on income and living conditions (EU-SILC) as regards the list of target secondary variables relating to over-indebtedness and financial exclusion (<sup>3</sup>) 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 18aj (Commission Regulation (EC) No 341/2006):
  - '18ak. 32007 R 0102: Commission Regulation (EC) No 102/2007 of 2 February 2007 adopting the specifications of the 2008 ad hoc module on the labour market situation of migrants and their immediate descendants, as provided for by Council Regulation (EC) No 577/98 and amending Regulation (EC) No 430/2005 (OJ L 28, 3.2.2007, p. 3).';
- 2. the following shall be added in point 18ai (Commission Regulation (EC) No 430/2005):

', as amended by:

- 32007 R 0102: Commission Regulation (EC) No 102/2007 of 2 February 2007 (OJ L 28, 3.2.2007, p. 3).';
- 3. the following point shall be inserted after point 18s (Commission Regulation (EC) No 315/2006):
  - '18t. 32007 R 0215: Commission Regulation (EC) No 215/2007 of 28 February 2007 on implementing Regulation (EC) No 1177/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning Community statistics on income and living conditions (EU-SILC) as regards the list of target secondary variables relating to over-indebtedness and financial exclusion (OJ L 62, 1.3.2007, p. 8).'

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 46.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 28, 3.2.2007, p. 3.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>) OJ L 62, 1.3.2007, p. 8.

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) No 102/2007 and (EC) No 215/2007 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 29 September 2007, 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, 28 September 2007.

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

#### No 130/2007

# of 28 September 2007

#### 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 94/2007 of 6 July 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) Regulation (EC) No 458/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 April 2007 on the European system of integrated social protection statistics (ESSPROS) (<sup>2</sup>) is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) This Decision is not to apply to Liechtenstein,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

#### Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 18t (Commission Regulation (EC) No 215/2007) of Annex XXI to the Agreement:

'18u. 32007 R 0458: Regulation (EC) No 458/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 April 2007 on the European system of integrated social protection statistics (ESSPROS) (OJ L 113, 30.4.2007, p. 3).

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

This Regulation shall not apply to Liechtenstein.'

Article 2

The text of Regulation (EC) No 458/2007 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

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ L 328, 13.12.2007, p. 46.

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 113, 30.4.2007, p. 3.

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

# 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, 28 September 2007.

# No 131/2007

# of 28 September 2007

# amending Protocol 31 to the EEA Agreement, on cooperation in specific fields outside the four freedoms

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 Articles 86 and 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Protocol 31 to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 65/2007 of 15 June 2007 (<sup>1</sup>).
- (2) It is appropriate to extend the cooperation of the Contracting Parties to the Agreement to include Decision No 779/2007/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 establishing for the period 2007-2013 a specific programme to prevent and combat violence against children, young people and women and to protect victims and groups at risk (Daphne III programme) as part of the General Programme 'Fundamental Rights and Justice' (<sup>2</sup>).
- (3) Protocol 31 to the Agreement should therefore be amended in order to allow for this extended cooperation to take place with effect from 1 January 2007,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Article 5 of Protocol 31 to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. paragraph 5 shall be replaced by the following:

<sup>5</sup>. The EFTA States shall participate in the Community programmes and actions referred to in the first two indents of paragraph 8 as from 1 January 1996, in the programme referred to in the third indent as from 1 January 2000, in the programme referred to in the fourth indent as from 1 January 2001, in the programmes referred to in the fifth and sixth indents as from 1 January 2002, in the programmes referred to in the seventh and eighth indents as from 1 January 2004 and in the programmes referred to in the ninth, tenth and eleventh indents as from 1 January 2007.';

- 2. the following indent shall be added in paragraph 8:
  - '— 32007 D 0779: Decision No 779/2007/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 establishing for the period 2007-2013 a specific programme to prevent and combat violence against children, young people and women and to protect victims and groups at risk (Daphne III programme) as part of the General Programme "Fundamental Rights and Justice" (OJ L 173, 3.7.2007, p. 19).'

#### Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following the last notification to the EEA Joint Committee under Article 103(1) of the Agreement (\*).

It shall apply from 1 January 2007.

 $<sup>\ (^1) \</sup>quad OJ \ L \ 304, \ 22.11.2007, \ p. \ 47.$ 

<sup>(&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>) OJ L 173, 3.7.2007, p. 19.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Constitutional requirements indicated.

# Article 3

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, 28 September 2007.

# CORRIGENDA

Corrigendum to Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 131/2007 of 28 September 2007 amending Protocol 31 to the EEA Agreement, on cooperation in specific fields outside the four freedoms (<sup>1</sup>)

- 1. In recital 3, '1 January 2007' is replaced by '1 January 2008'.
- 2. In Article 1(1) the phrase '... and in the programmes referred to in the ninth, tenth and eleventh indents as from 1 January 2007.', is replaced by ', in the programmes referred to in the ninth and tenth indents as from 1 January 2007 and in the programme referred to in the eleventh indent as from 1 January 2008.'
- 3. In Article 2, the second subparagraph shall read as 'It shall apply from 1 January 2007.'

<sup>(1)</sup> See page 67 of this Official Journal.

# NOTICE TO READERS

Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No  $112/2007\ has been withdrawn before adoption and is consequently annulled.$