Agreement on the European Economic Area

The EEA Joint Committee

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 4/1999 of 29 January 1999

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 adjusted 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 101/98 of 30 October 1998¹,

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 426/98 of 23 February 1998 amending Annexes I, II and III of 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 origin², and Commission Regulation (EC) No 613/98 of 18 March 1998 amending Annexes II, III and IV of 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 origin³, are to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

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

" **398 R 0426:** Commission Regulation (EC) No 426/98 of 23 February 1998 (OJ L 53, 24.2.1998, p. 3);

¹ OJ L ... ² OJ L 53, 24.2.1998, p. 3.

³ OJ L 82, 19.3.1998, p. 14.

398 R 0613: Commission Regulation (EC) No 613/98 of 18 March 1998 (OJ L 82, 19.3.1998, p. 14)."

Article 2

The texts of Commission Regulations (EC) No 426/98 and (EC) No 613/98 in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, which are annexed to the respective language versions of this Decision, are authentic.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on 30 January 1999, 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 Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 29 January 1999.

For the EEA Joint Committee The President

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