

## DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 54/2017

of 17 March 2017

**amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement  
[2018/1818]**

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area ('the EEA Agreement'), and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2288 of 16 December 2016 approving piperonyl butoxide as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 18 <sup>(1)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2289 of 16 December 2016 approving epsilon-Momfluorothrin as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 18 <sup>(2)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2290 of 16 December 2016 approving peracetic acid as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 11 and 12 <sup>(3)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2291 of 16 December 2016 approving L(+) Lactic acid as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 1 <sup>(4)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (5) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The following points are inserted after point 12zzzzh (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/1936) of Chapter XV of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

- '12zzzzi. **32016 R 2288:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2288 of 16 December 2016 approving piperonyl butoxide as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 18 (OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 65).
- 12zzzj. **32016 R 2289:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2289 of 16 December 2016 approving epsilon-Momfluorothrin as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 18 (OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 68).
- 12zzzk. **32016 R 2290:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2290 of 16 December 2016 approving peracetic acid as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 11 and 12 (OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 71).
- 12zzzl. **32016 R 2291:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/2291 of 16 December 2016 approving L (+) Lactic acid as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 1 (OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 74).'

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 65.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 68.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 71.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 74.

*Article 2*

The texts of Implementing Regulations (EU) 2016/2288, (EU) 2016/2289, (EU) 2016/2290 and (EU) 2016/2291 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 18 March 2017, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made (\*).

*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, 17 March 2017.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*

*The President*

Claude MAERTEN

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(\*) No constitutional requirements indicated.