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DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 116/2023
of 28 April 2023
amending Annex XIII (Transport) to the EEA Agreement [2023/2295]

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) 2021/664 of 22 April 2021 on a regulatory framework for the U-space ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/665 of 22 April 2021 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/373 as regards requirements for providers of air traffic management/air navigation services and other air traffic management network functions in the U-space airspace designated in controlled airspace ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/666 of 22 April 2021 amending Regulation (EU) No 923/2012 as regards requirements for manned aviation operating in U-space airspace ⁽³⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Annex XIII to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Annex XIII to the EEA Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- (1) the following indent is added in point 66wk (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 923/2012):
‘— **32021 R 0666**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/666 of 22 April 2021 (OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 187).;’
- (2) the following indent is added in point 66xg (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/373):
‘— **32021 R 0665**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/665 of 22 April 2021 (OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 184).;’
- (3) the following point is inserted after point 66zbd (Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/723) of Annex XIII to the EEA Agreement:
‘66zbe. **32021 R 0664**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/664 of 22 April 2021 on a regulatory framework for the U-space (OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 161).’

Article 2

The texts of Implementing Regulations (EU) 2021/664, (EU) 2021/665 and (EU) 2021/666 in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the *Official Journal of the European Union*, shall be authentic.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 161.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 184.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 139, 23.4.2021, p. 187.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on 29 April 2023, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made *, or on the day of the entry into force of Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 114/2023 of 28 April 2023 ⁽⁴⁾, or on the day of the entry into force of Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 115/2023 of 28 April 2023 ⁽⁵⁾, whichever is the later.

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 April 2023.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
Nicolas VON LINGEN

* No constitutional requirements indicated.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L, 2023/2294, 9.11.2023, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/2023/2294/oj>

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L, 2023/2264, 9.11.2023, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/2023/2264/oj>