

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE
No 15/2024

of 2 February 2024

**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 (“the EEA Agreement”), and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/2089 of 28 September 2023 approving reaction mass of N,N-didecyl-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate and N,N-didecyl-N-(2-(2-hydroxyethoxy)ethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate and N,N-didecyl-N-(2-(2-(2-hydroxyethoxy)ethoxy)ethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 2 and 4 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council¹ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2100 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of copper (II) oxide for use in biocidal products of product-type 8 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council² is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2101 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of sulfuryl fluoride for use in biocidal products of product-types 8 and 18 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council³ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2377 of 28 September 2023 not approving silver copper zeolite as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 4 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council⁴ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (5) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2378 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of alphachloralose for use in biocidal products of product-type 14 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council⁵ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (6) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2380 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of basic copper carbonate for use in biocidal products of

¹ OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 102.

² OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 145.

³ OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 147.

⁴ OJ L, 2023/2377, 3.10.2023.

⁵ OJ L, 2023/2378, 3.10.2023.

product-type 8 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council⁶ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.

- (7) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2386 of 29 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of copper hydroxide for use in biocidal products of product-type 8 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council⁷ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (8) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following points are inserted after point 12zzzzzzzzzn (Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/471) of Chapter XV of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

- 12zzzzzzzzzo. **32023 R 2089**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/2089 of 28 September 2023 approving reaction mass of N,N-didecyl-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate and N,N-didecyl-N-(2-(2-hydroxyethoxy)ethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate and N,N-didecyl-N-(2-(2-(2-hydroxyethoxy)ethoxy)ethyl)-N-methylammonium propionate as an active substance for use in biocidal products of product-types 2 and 4 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 102).
- 12zzzzzzzzzp. **32023 D 2100**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2100 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of copper (II) oxide for use in biocidal products of product-type 8 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 145).
- 12zzzzzzzzzq. **32023 D 2101**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2101 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of sulfuryl fluoride for use in biocidal products of product-types 8 and 18 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 241, 29.9.2023, p. 147).
- 12zzzzzzzzzr. **32023 D 2377**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2377 of 28 September 2023 not approving silver copper zeolite as an existing active substance for use in biocidal products of product-type 4 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L, 2023/2377, 3.10.2023).
- 12zzzzzzzzzs. **32023 D 2378**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2378 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of alphachloralose for use in biocidal products of product-type 14 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L, 2023/2378, 3.10.2023).
- 12zzzzzzzzzt. **32023 D 2380**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2380 of 28 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of basic copper carbonate for use in biocidal products of product-type 8 in accordance with

⁶ OJ L, 2023/2380, 2.10.2023.

⁷ OJ L, 2023/2386, 2.10.2023.

Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L, 2023/2380, 2.10.2023).

12zzzzzzzzzzu. **32023 D 2386**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2386 of 29 September 2023 postponing the expiry date of the approval of copper hydroxide for use in biocidal products of product-type 8 in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L, 2023/2386, 2.10.2023).’

Article 2

The texts of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/2089 and Implementing Decisions (EU) 2023/2100, (EU) 2023/2101, (EU) 2023/2377, (EU) 2023/2378, (EU) 2023/2380 and (EU) 2023/2386 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 3 February 2024, 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, 2 February 2024.

*For the EEA Joint Committee
The President*

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*The Secretaries
To the EEA Joint Committee*

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* No constitutional requirements indicated.