

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**

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 18¹ 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 18² 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 12³ 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 1⁴ 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).

¹ OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 65.

² OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 68.

³ OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 71.

⁴ OJ L 344, 17.12.2016, p. 74.

12zzzzk. **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).

12zzzzl. **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).⁷

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

The Secretaries

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* [No constitutional requirements indicated.]