# **DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**

#### No 133/2017

## of 7 July 2017

# amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement [2019/740]

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) 2017/157 of 30 January 2017 renewing the approval of the active substance thia-bendazole in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (¹) is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/239 of 10 February 2017 approving the active substance oxathiapiprolin in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (2) is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/243 of 10 February 2017 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 686/2012 as regards the co-rapporteur Member State for the active substance metaldehyde (3) is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/244 of 10 February 2017 concerning the non-renewal of approval of the active substance linuron, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (4) 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

Chapter XV of Annex II to the EEA Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- 1. The following indents are added to point 13a (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011):
  - '- 32017 R 0157: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/157 of 30 January 2017 (OJ L 25, 31.1.2017, p. 5),
  - **32017 R 0239**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/239 of 10 February 2017 (OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 39),
  - **32017 R 0244**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/244 of 10 February 2017 (OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 54).'

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 25, 31.1.2017, p. 5.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 39.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 53.

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 54.

- 2. The following indent is added to point 13zzze (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 686/2012):
  - '- 32017 R 0243: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/243 of 10 February 2017 (OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 53).'
- 3. The following points are inserted after point 13zzzzzzs (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/1826):
  - '13zzzzzt. **32017 R 0157**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/157 of 30 January 2017 renewing the approval of the active substance thiabendazole in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (OJ L 25, 31.1.2017, p. 5).
  - 13zzzzzzu. **32017 R 0239**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/239 of 10 February 2017 approving the active substance oxathiapiprolin in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 39).
  - 13zzzzzv. **32017 R 0244**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/244 of 10 February 2017 concerning the non-renewal of approval of the active substance linuron, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (OJ L 36, 11.2.2017, p. 54).'

#### Article 2

The texts of Implementing Regulations (EU) 2017/157, (EU) 2017/239, (EU) 2017/243 and (EU) 2017/244 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 8 July 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, 7 July 2017.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
Sabine MONAUNI

<sup>(\*)</sup> No constitutional requirements indicated.