

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 195/2017**

**of 27 October 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 Regulation (EU) 2017/1432 of 7 August 2017 amending Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market as regards the criteria for the approval of low-risk active substances<sup>1</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/855 of 18 May 2017 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 as regards the conditions of approval of the active substance diflubenzuron<sup>2</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/856 of 18 May 2017 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 as regards the conditions of approval of the active substance fluroxypyr<sup>3</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) 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 indent is added in point 13 (Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council):
  - ‘ - **32017 R 1432:** Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1432 of 7 August 2017 (OJ L 205, 8.8.2017, p. 59).’
2. The following indents are added in point 13a (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011):
  - ‘ - **32017 R 0855:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/855 of 18 May 2017 (OJ L 128, 19.5.2017, p. 10),
  - **32017 R 0856:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/856 of 18 May 2017 (OJ L 128, 19.5.2017, p. 14).’

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 205, 8.8.2017, p. 59.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 128, 19.5.2017, p. 10.

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 128, 19.5.2017, p. 14.

## *Article 2*

The texts of Regulation (EU) 2017/1432 and Implementing Regulations (EU) 2017/855 and (EU) 2017/856 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 28 October 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, 27 October 2017.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*

*The President*

*Sabine Monauni*

*The Secretaries*

*To the EEA Joint Committee*

*Dag Wernø Holter    Vaclav Navratil*

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\* [No constitutional requirements indicated.]