

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE
No 155/2018

of 6 July 2018

amending Annex XIII (Transport) 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) Directive (EU) 2016/1629 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 September 2016 laying down technical requirements for inland waterway vessels, amending Directive 2009/100/EC and repealing Directive 2006/87/EC¹ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Directive (EU) 2016/1629 repeals, with effect from 7 October 2018, Directive 2006/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council², which is incorporated into the EEA Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the EEA Agreement with effect from 7 October 2018.
- (3) 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 point is inserted after point 47aa (Commission Directive 2013/49/EU):
‘47b. **32016 L 1629**: Directive (EU) 2016/1629 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 September 2016 laying down technical requirements for inland waterway vessels, amending Directive 2009/100/EC and repealing Directive 2006/87/EC (OJ L 252, 16.9.2016, p. 118).’
2. The following is added in point 48 (Directive 2009/100/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):
‘, as amended by:
- **32016 L 1629**: Directive (EU) 2016/1629 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 September 2016 (OJ L 252, 16.9.2016, p. 118).’
3. The text of point 47a (Directive 2006/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) shall be deleted with effect from 7 October 2018.

¹ OJ L 252, 16.9.2016, p. 118.

² OJ L 389, 30.12.2006, p. 1.

Article 2

The text of Directive (EU) 2016/1629 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 7 July 2018, 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, 6 July 2018.

*For the EEA Joint Committee
The President*

Oda Helen Sletnes

*The Secretaries
to the EEA Joint Committee*

Dag Wernø Holter Vaclav Navratil

* No constitutional requirements indicated.