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**DG1A.D.4, DG1A/848/1999 – HR(ES)**

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 94/1999**

**of 16 July 1999**

**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, as adjusted by the Protocol Adjusting the Agreement on the European Economic Area, hereinafter referred to as ‘the Agreement’, and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas Annex II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 17/95 of 24 February 1995<sup>1</sup>;

Whereas Directive 98/37/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 June 1998 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery<sup>2</sup>, is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Point 1 (Council Directive 89/392/EEC) in Chapter XXIV of Annex II to the Agreement shall be replaced by the following:

- ‘1. **398 L 0037:** Directive 98/37/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 June 1998 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery (OJ L 207, 23.7.1998, p. 1).’

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 83, 13.4.1995, p. 48.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 207, 23.7.1998, p. 1.

*Article 2*

The texts of Directive 98/37/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, which are annexed to the respective language versions of this Decision, are authentic.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on 17 July 1999, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee.

*Article 4*

This Decision shall be published in the EEA Section of, and in the EEA Supplement to, the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Done at Brussels, 16 July 1999.

*For the EEA Joint Committee  
The President*

*N. v. Liechtenstein*

*The Secretaries  
to the EEA Joint Committee*

*G. Vik                      E. Gerner*