

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE
No 15/2004
of 6 February 2004
amending Annex XXII (Company Law) to the EEA Agreement

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, as amended by the Protocol adjusting the Agreement on the European Economic Area, hereinafter referred to as 'the Agreement', and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Annex XXII to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 176/2003 of 5 December 2003 ⁽¹⁾.
- (2) Council Regulation (EC) No 1435/2003 of 22 July 2003 on the Statute for a European Cooperative Society (SCE) ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following point shall be inserted after point 10b (Regulation (EC) No 1606/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XXII to the Agreement:

'10c. 32003 R 1435: Council Regulation (EC) No 1435/2003 of 22 July 2003 on the Statute for a European Cooperative Society (SCE) (OJ L 207, 18.8.2003, p. 1).'

Article 2

The texts of Regulation (EC) No 1435/2003 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 February 2004, provided that all the notifications pursuant to 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 Union*.

Done at Brussels, 6 February 2004.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
P. WESTERLUND

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 88, 25.3.2004, p. 53.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 207, 18.8.2003, p. 1.

(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.