

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**No 21/2004****of 19 March 2004****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 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 II to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 171/2003 of 5 December 2003 ⁽¹⁾.
- (2) Commission Directive 2003/95/EC of 27 October 2003 amending Directive 96/77/EC laying down specific purity criteria on food additives other than colours and sweeteners ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

The following indent shall be added in point 54zf (Commission Directive 96/77/EC) of Chapter XII of Annex II to the Agreement:

‘— **32003 L 0095**: Commission Directive 2003/95/EC of 27 October 2003 (OJ L 283, 31.10.2003, p. 71).’

Article 2

The texts of Directive 2003/95/EC 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 20 March 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, 19 March 2004.

*For the EEA Joint Committee**The President*

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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 88, 25.3.2004, p. 43.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 283, 31.10.2003, p. 71.

(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.