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DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE
No 50/2005

of 29 April 2005

amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters)
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 I to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 43/2005 of 11 March 2005¹.
- (2) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1472/2004 of 18 August 2004 amending Regulation (EC) No 1874/2003 approving the national scrapie control programmes of certain Member States, and defining additional guarantees, and granting derogations concerning breeding programmes for TSE resistance in sheep pursuant to Decision 2003/100/EC² is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1492/2004 of 23 August 2004 amending Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards eradication measures for transmissible spongiform encephalopathies in bovine, ovine and caprine animals, the trade and importation of semen and embryos of ovine and caprine animals and specified risk material³ is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (4) This Decision is not to apply to Iceland and Liechtenstein,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

Chapter I of Annex I to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. The following indent shall be added in point 12 (Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council) in Part 7.1:

¹ OJ L 198, 28.7.2005, p. 45.

² OJ L 271, 19.8.2004, p. 26.

³ OJ L 274, 24.8.2004, p. 3.

‘- **32004 R 1492**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1492/2004 of 23 August 2004 (OJ L 274, 24.8.2004, p. 3).’

2. The following shall be added in point 21 (Commission Regulation (EC) No 1874/2003) in Part 7.2:

‘, as amended by:

- **32004 R 1472**: Commission Regulation (EC) No 1472/2004 of 18 August 2004 (OJ L 271, 19.8.2004, p. 26).’

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EC) Nos 1472/2004 and 1492/2004 in the Norwegian language, 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 30 April 2005, 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 Union*.

Done at Brussels, 29 April 2005.

*For the EEA Joint Committee
The President*

R. Wright

*The Secretaries
to the EEA Joint Committee*

Ø. Hovdinn M. Brinkmann

* No constitutional requirements indicated.