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**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 88/2006**

**of 7 July 2006**

**amending Annex IX (Financial services) 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 IX to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 60/2006 of 2 June 2006<sup>1</sup>.
- (2) Directive 2003/41/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 June 2003 on the activities and supervision of institutions for occupational retirement provision<sup>2</sup> is to be incorporated into the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

Annex IX to the Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. The following shall be inserted after point 30ca (Directive 2004/39/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council):

**‘IV. Occupational Retirement Provisions**

30cb. **32003 L 0041**: Directive 2003/41/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 June 2003 on the activities and supervision of institutions for occupational retirement provision (OJ L 235, 23.9.2003, p. 10).’

2. Present heading ‘IV’ shall be renumbered as heading ‘V’.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 245, 7.9.2006, p. 7.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 235, 23.9.2003, p. 10.

## *Article 2*

The texts of Directive 2003/41/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 the day following the last notification to the EEA Joint Committee under Article 103(1) of the Agreement\*.

## *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, 7 July 2006.

*For the EEA Joint Committee  
The President*

*Oda Helen Sletnes*

*The Secretaries  
to the EEA Joint Committee*

*Ø. Hovdinn M. Brinkmann*

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\* Constitutional requirements indicated.