

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 24/2017

of 3 February 2017

**amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement
[2018/1758]**

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area ('the EEA Agreement'), and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/1444 of 31 August 2016 amending Regulation (EU) No 37/2010 as regards the substance hydrocortisone aceponate ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following indent is added in point 13 (Commission Regulation (EU) No 37/2010) of Chapter XIII of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

‘— **32016 R 1444**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/1444 of 31 August 2016 (OJ L 235, 1.9.2016, p. 8).’

Article 2

The text of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/1444 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 4 February 2017, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made (*).

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, 3 February 2017.

For the EEA Joint Committee

The President

Claude MAERTEN

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 235, 1.9.2016, p. 8.

(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.