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**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 286/2021  
of 29 October 2021  
amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement  
[2024/538]**

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 Regulation (EU) 2021/979 of 17 June 2021 amending Annexes VII to XI to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) <sup>(1)</sup> 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 12zc (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter XV of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

‘ **32021 R 0979**: Commission Regulation (EU) 2021/979 of 17 June 2021 (OJ L 216, 18.6.2021, p. 121).’

*Article 2*

The text of Regulation (EU) 2021/979 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 30 October 2021, 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, 29 October 2021.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*  
*The President*  
Rolf Einar FIFE

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 216, 18.6.2021, p. 121.

\* No constitutional requirements indicated.