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DECISION OF THE COUNCIL No. 4 OF 2002

(Adopted by written procedure on 3 June 2002)

AMENDMENTS TO ANNEX A TO THE VADUZ CONVENTION

THE COUNCIL,

Having regard to Annex B to the Convention establishing the European Free Trade Association (EFTA Convention) concerning the definition of the concept of “originating products” and the arrangements for administrative co-operation, as amended by Decision of the Council No. 4 of 2001 to take into account the revision of the HS System,

Having regard to the entry into force of the Agreement amending the EFTA Convention on 1 June 2002, and the resulting revised Convention (the Vaduz Convention), including Annex A thereto,

Considering that Annex A to the Vaduz Convention does not reflect the 2002 revision of the HS System,

Considering that Annex B to the EFTA Convention, as amended, is currently applied by the customs authorities of the Member States, and that the rules and arrangements set out therein must continue to apply without interruption also after the entry into force of the Vaduz Convention,

Having regard to Article 53 (3) of the Vaduz Convention,

DECIDES:

1. Annex A to the Vaduz Convention is herewith replaced by Annex B to the EFTA Convention, as amended by Decision of the Council No. 4 of 2001, with the exception of its title, which shall read “Annex A”.
 2. This decision shall enter into force on the date of entry into force of the Agreement amending the EFTA Convention.
 3. The Secretary-General of the European Free Trade Association shall deposit the text of this Decision with the Depositary.
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