

## JOINT DECLARATION

### **Development of Law**

The Member States endeavour to regularly update the Convention in order to take account of developments of the Agreement on the European Economic Area and of the bilateral agreements of 21 June 1999 between the Swiss Confederation on the one hand and the European Community and its Member States on the other. In particular, the Member States shall, within 3 months after the entry into force of the Agreement amending the Convention establishing the European Free Trade Association of 21 June 2001, align the Convention to common developments of the EEA Agreement and the Swiss-EC bilateral agreements.

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