

**Annex 19
to Decision No 7/94
of the EEA Joint Committee**

Annex XXI (STATISTICS) to the EEA Agreement shall be amended as specified below.

A. INDUSTRIAL STATISTICS

The heading "Industrial Statistics" shall be replaced by the heading "Business Statistics". Under this heading, the following new points shall be inserted after point 4 (Council Directive 78/166/EEC):

"4a. 391 R 3924: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3924/91 of 19 December 1991 on the establishment of a Community survey on industrial production (OJ No L 374, 31.12.1991, p. 1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) Article 3(3) shall not apply to Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden;
- (b) For the EFTA States, the reference to the "NACE Rev.1 class" in Article 3 shall read "NACE Rev.1 group";
- (c) Article 5(2) shall not apply to those EFTA States which, by national law, have placed undertakings under an obligation to supply statistical information;
- (d) The EFTA States shall be exempt from the requirement to collect monthly data;
- (e) Austria, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden shall conduct the survey required by this Regulation from, at the latest, 1995 onwards. However, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden need not provide, before 1997, breakdowns of products in the Prodcom list which correspond to the 7th and 8th digit of the Combined Nomenclature as defined in Council Regulation (EEC) No 3367/87 of 9 November 1987 on the application of the Combined Nomenclature to the statistics of trade between Member States (OJ No L 321, 11.11.1987, p. 3);
- (f) For the undertakings classified under the subheading 27.10 of NACE Rev.1, the EFTA States shall provide, irrespective of the threshold value referred to in Article 3, the data according to the list below. The data shall be provided, from 1995 onwards, on a quarterly basis not later than 6 weeks after the end of the reference quarter.

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
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1. PRODUCTION

1.1 Pig Iron

1.2 Crude Steel

1.2.1 Ingots

1.2.2 continuously cast products

1.2.3 liquid steel for castings

1.2.4 pure oxygen

1.2.5 electric

1.2.6 other

1.3 Special Steels

1.4 Total Production of Finished Rolled Products

1.4.1 railway track material

1.4.2 heavy sections

1.4.3 wire rod in coils

1.4.4 concrete reinforcing bars

1.4.5 other merchant bars

1.4.6 universals

1.4.7 hot-rolled strip and tube strip

1.4.8 hot-rolled plates

>= 4,75 mm

>= 3 mm, < 4,75 mm

< 3mm

1.4.9 hot-rolled coils (finished products)

1.4.10 hot-rolled sheets

< 3 mm

> = 3mm

1.4.11 semis for tubes

1.5 Production of End Products

1.5.1 tin plate, other tinned sheets, tinned strip, ECCS

1.5.2 black plate for use as such

1.5.3 galvanized sheets, terneplate, other coated sheets

1.5.4. electrical sheets

1.6 Production and Transformation of Hot-rolled Wide Strip

1.6.1 of wide hot-strip mills

1.6.2 of which coils

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
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2. CONSUMPTION
2.1 scrap by the iron and steel industry

3. NEW ORDERS AND DELIVERIES
3.1 Deliveries of Ordinary Steels split into:
home market
other EFTA countries
EC countries
third countries other than
EFTA or EC countries

3.2 Deliveries of Special Steels split into:
home market
other EFTA countries
EC countries
third countries other than
EFTA or EC countries

3.3 New Orders for Ordinary Steels split into:
home market
other EFTA countries
EC countries
third countries other than
EFTA or EC countries

4. RECEIPTS BY WORKS OF STEEL FOR RE-ROLLING

4.1 Ingots
4.2 Semis
4.3 Coils
split into:
home market
other EFTA countries
EC countries
third countries other than EFTA or EC countries

5. PRODUCERS' AND STOCKHOLDERS' STOCKS OF STEEL PRODUCTS

5.1 Ingots
5.2 Semis and Coils
5.3 Finished Products

4b. 393 R 2186: Council Regulation (EEC) No 2186/93 of 22 July 1993 on Community co-ordination in drawing up business registers for statistical purposes (OJ No L 196, 5.8.1993, p.1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) For the EFTA States, entry I(k) of Annex II of the Regulation shall not apply;
- (b) Austria shall comply with this Regulation by, at the latest, 1 January 1997.".

B.TRANSPORT STATISTICS

The following new point shall be inserted after point 7 (Council Directive 80/1177/EEC):

"7a. 393 D 0704: Council Decision 93/704/EC of 30 November 1993 on the creation of a Community database on road accidents (OJ No L 329, 30.12.1993, p. 63).

The provisions of the Decision shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) For the EFTA States, the data referred to in Article 2(1) shall be communicated for the first time before 31 March 1995 for the years 1991, 1992 and 1993 and for subsequent years not more than nine months after the end of the reference year in question;
- (b) Council Regulation (Euratom, EEC) No 1588/90, as adapted for the purposes of the present Agreement, shall for the EFTA States also apply to the transmission of data referred to in Article 2(3).".

C.FOREIGN AND COMMUNITY INTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS

The following indent shall be added in point 8 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 1736/75) before the adaptation:

"—393 R 3478: Commission Regulation (EC) No 3478/93 of 17 December 1993 (OJ No L 317, 18.12.1993, p. 32)".

D.DEMOGRAPHICAL AND SOCIAL STATISTICS

The following new point shall be inserted after point 18 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 311/76):

"18a. 391 R 3711: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3711/91 of 16 December 1991 on the organization of an annual labour force sample survey in the Community (OJ No L 351, 20.12.1991, p. 1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) The EFTA States shall be allowed to conduct the survey required by this Regulation in a sample of individuals rather than in a sample of households. The

EFTA States availing themselves of this possibility shall, however, provide information on the other members of the household in which the individual in question lives which should, at least, comprise the characteristics specified in Article 4(1), subparagraphs (a) and (b);

- (b) The EFTA States shall ensure that the sampling plan of the survey guarantees the upper limit of the relative standard error referred to in Article 3(2), first subparagraph, to be observed at least at a national level;
- (c) The EFTA States shall be permitted to provide part of the information on individuals pursuant to Article 4(1) on the basis of register data provided that the data are consistent with the basic definitions and that the results are at least equivalent as regards precision and quality;
- (d) Article 5(2), second subparagraph, shall not apply to the EFTA States;
- (e) The EFTA States shall conduct the survey required by this Regulation from, at the latest, 1995 onwards.".

E. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS GDP

The following shall be added in point 19 (Council Directive 89/130/EEC, Euratom) before the adaptations:

", as amended by:

- 393 D 0454: Commission Decision 93/454/EEC, Euratom of 22 July 1993 (OJ No L 213, 24.8.1993, p. 18).
- 393 D 0475: Commission Decision 93/475/EEC, Euratom of 22 July 1993 (OJ No L 224, 3.9.1993, p. 27).
- 393 D 0570: Commission Decision 93/570/EEC, Euratom of 4 October 1993 (OJ No L 276, 9.11.1993, p. 13).".

F. NOMENCLATURES

1. The following shall be added in point 20 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3037/90) before the adaptation:

", as amended by:

- 393 R 0761: Commission Regulation (EEC) No 761/93 of 24 March 1993 (OJ No L 83, 3.4.1993, p. 1).".

2. The following new points shall be added after point 20 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 3037/90):

"20a. 393 R 0696: Council Regulation (EEC) No 696/93 of 15 March 1993 on the statistical units for the observation and analysis of the production system in the Community (OJ No L 76, 30.3.1993, p. 1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) Austria, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden shall use the definitions referred to in Article 1 of the Regulation for statistics relating to situations subsequent to 1 January 1995;
 - (b) For Austria, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden, the transition period referred to in Article 4(1) shall run from 1 January 1995 to 31 December 1996;
 - (c) In the list in Section II, point B.2 of the Annex, the following point shall be added:
""Gemeinde" in Austria; "kunta/kommun" in Finland; "sveitarfélag" in Iceland; "kommune" in Norway; "primärtkommun" in Sweden.".
- 20b. 393 R 3696: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3696/93 of 29 October 1993 on the statistical classification of products by activity (CPA) in the European Economic Community (OJ No L 342, 31.12.1993, p. 1).
- The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptation:
- for the EFTA States, the transitional period referred to in Article 8 shall end on 31 December 1996.".

G. AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

1. The following indent shall be added in point 23 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 571/88) before the adaptations:
"- 393 D 0156: Commission Decision 93/156/EEC of 9 February 1993 (OJ No L 65, 17.3.1993, p. 12).".
2. The following entries in adaptation (e) in point 23 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 571/88) shall be deleted:
 - B.03 Optional for Finland, Iceland and Sweden
 - B.04 Optional for Austria and Finland
 - C.04 Optional for Austria, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden
 - K.02 Optional for Austria.
3. The following entries shall be added in adaptation (e) of point 23 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 571/88):
 - "I.07Optional for Iceland".

"Footnote 3 pertaining to entry I.07(b) in Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 571/88 as amended shall read:

"Optional for Denmark and Sweden"."

"Footnote 4 pertaining to entry I.07(b) in Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 571/88 shall read:

"Optional except for Denmark and Sweden"."

H.FISHERY STATISTICS

1. The following shall be added in point 25 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 1382/91) before the adaptations:

", as amended by:

- 393 R 2104: Council Regulation (EEC) No 2104/93 of 22 July 1993 (OJ No L 191, 31.7.1993, p. 1).".

2. The text of adaptation (a) in point 25 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 1382/91) shall be deleted.

3. The following new points shall be inserted after point 25 (Council Regulation (EEC) No 1382/91):

- "25a. 391 R 3880: Council Regulation (EEC) No 3880/91 of 17 December 1991 on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in the north-east Atlantic
(OJ No L 365, 31.12.1991, p. 1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) The EFTA States shall be permitted to apply, irrespective of the provision adopted under the European Community's common fisheries policy, sampling techniques under the condition specified in the second part of the first sentence of Article 3;
- (b) The EFTA States shall collect the data required by this Regulation from, at the latest, 1995 onwards. The report referred to in Article 6(1) shall be submitted by the EFTA States by the end of 1995, at the latest.

- 25b. 393 R 2018: Council Regulation (EEC) No 2018/93 of 30 June 1993 on the submission of catch and activity statistics by Member States fishing in the Northwest Atlantic
(OJ No L 186, 28.7.1993, p. 1).

The provisions of the Regulation shall, for the purposes of the present Agreement, be read with the following adaptations:

- (a) The EFTA States shall be permitted to apply, irrespective of the provisions adopted under the European Community's common fisheries policy, sampling techniques under the condition specified in the second part of the first sentence of Article 3;
 - (b) The EFTA States shall collect the data required by this Regulation from, at the latest, 1995 onwards. The report referred to in Article 7(1) shall be submitted by the EFTA States by the end of 1995, at the latest.".
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