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**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 152/2009**

**of 4 December 2009**

**amending Annex XXI (Statistics) to the EEA Agreement**

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, as amended by the Protocol adjusting the Agreement on the European Economic Area, hereinafter referred to as ‘the Agreement’, and in particular Article 98 thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Annex XXI to the Agreement was amended by Decision of the EEA Joint Committee No 113/2009 of 22 October 2009<sup>1</sup>.
- (2) Directive 2009/42/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 May 2009 on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (Recast)<sup>2</sup> is to be incorporated into the Agreement.
- (3) Directive 2009/42/EC repeals Council Directive 95/64/EC<sup>3</sup>, which is incorporated into the Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the Agreement,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

The text of point 7b (Council Directive 95/64/EC) of Annex XXI to the Agreement shall be replaced by the following:

‘**32009 L 0042:** Directive 2009/42/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 May 2009 on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (Recast) (OJ L 141, 6.6.2009, p. 29).’

*Article 2*

The texts of Directive 2009/42/EC in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the *Official Journal of the European Union*, shall be authentic.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 334, 17.12.2009, p. 15

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 141, 6.6.2009, p. 29.

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 320, 30.12.1995, p. 25.

### *Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on 5 December 2009, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the Agreement have been made to the EEA Joint Committee\*.

### *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, 4 December 2009.

*For the EEA Joint Committee  
The President*

*O. H. Sletnes*

*The Secretaries  
to the EEA Joint Committee*

*B. Ellertsdóttir L-O. Hollner*

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\* No constitutional requirements indicated.