

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 156/2013

of 8 October 2013

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

‘— **32013 L 0008**: Commission Directive 2013/8/EU of 26 February 2013 (OJ L 56, 28.2.2013, p. 8).’

Having regard to the Agreement on the European Economic Area (‘the EEA Agreement’), and in particular Article 98 thereof,

*Article 2*The text of Directive 2013/8/EU in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the *Official Journal of the European Union*, shall be authentic.

Whereas:

(1) Commission Directive 2013/8/EU of 26 February 2013 amending, for the purpose of adapting its technical provisions, Directive 2009/144/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on certain components and characteristics of wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on 9 October 2013, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made (*).

(2) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

*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*.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Done at Brussels, 8 October 2013.

Article 1

The following indent is added in point 23 (Directive 2009/144/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter II of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

*For the EEA Joint Committee**The President*

Thórir IBSEN

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 28.2.2013, p. 8.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.