

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 160/2013

of 8 October 2013

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

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

Article 2

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

The texts of Directive 2012/26/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:

Article 3

- (1) Directive 2012/26/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 amending Directive 2001/83/EC as regards pharmacovigilance⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

This Decision shall be published in the EEA Section of, and in the EEA Supplement to, the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Article 1

The following indent is added in point 15q (Directive 2001/83/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter XIII of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

Done at Brussels, 8 October 2013.

‘— **32012 L 0026**: Directive 2012/26/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 (OJ L 299, 27.10.2012, p. 1).’

*For the EEA Joint Committee**The President*

Thórir IBSEN

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 299, 27.10.2012, p. 1.

^(*) Constitutional requirements indicated.