DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 58/2014

of 8 April 2014

amending Annex XXI (Statistics) to the EEA Agreement

THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE,

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

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EU) No 549/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 May 2013 on the European system of national and regional accounts in the European Union (1) is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Annex XXI to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following is inserted after point 19ya (Commission Regulation (EU) No 193/2011) of Annex XXI to the EEA Agreement:

'19z. **32013 R 0549**: Regulation (EU) No 549/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 May 2013 on the European system of national and regional accounts in the European Union (OJ L 174, 26.6.2013, p. 1).

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

- (a) Iceland and Norway shall not be bound by the regional breakdown of the data as required by this Regulation.
- (b) Chapter 19 of Annex A shall not apply to Iceland and Norway.
- (c) This Regulation shall not apply to Liechtenstein.'

Article 2

The texts of Regulation (EU) No 549/2013 in the Icelandic and Norwegian languages, to be published in the EEA Supplement to the Official Journal of the European Union, shall be authentic.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on 9 April 2014, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made (*).

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, 8 April 2014.

For the EEA Joint Committee

The President

Gianluca GRIPPA

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 174, 26.6.2013, p. 1.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.