

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE****No 21/2016****of 5 February 2016****amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement [2017/1304]**

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) Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2115 of 23 November 2015 amending, for the purpose of adopting specific limit values for chemicals used in toys, Appendix C to Annex II to Directive 2009/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the safety of toys, as regards formamide <sup>(1)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2116 of 23 November 2015 amending, for the purpose of adopting specific limit values for chemicals used in toys, Appendix C to Annex II to Directive 2009/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the safety of toys, as regards benzisothiazolinone <sup>(2)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2117 of 23 November 2015 amending, for the purpose of adopting specific limit values for chemicals used in toys, Appendix C to Annex II to Directive 2009/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the safety of toys, as regards chloromethylisothiazolinone and methylisothiazolinone, both individually and in a ratio of 3:1 <sup>(3)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The following indents are added in point 1a (Directive 2009/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Chapter XXIII of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

- **32015 L 2115**: Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2115 of 23 November 2015 (OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 17),
- **32015 L 2116**: Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2116 of 23 November 2015 (OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 20),
- **32015 L 2117**: Commission Directive (EU) 2015/2117 of 23 November 2015 (OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 23).'

*Article 2*The texts of Directives (EU) 2015/2115, (EU) 2015/2116 and (EU) 2015/2117 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 6 February 2016, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made (\*).

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 17.<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 20.<sup>(3)</sup> OJ L 306, 24.11.2015, p. 23.

(\*) No constitutional requirements indicated.

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*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, 5 February 2016.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*  
*The President*  
Claude MAERTEN

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