

**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE**  
**No 189/2016**  
**of 23 September 2016**  
**amending Annex XIII (Transport) to the EEA Agreement [2018/446]**

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 Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/629 of 20 April 2016 authorising Member States to adopt certain derogations pursuant to Directive 2008/68/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the inland transport of dangerous goods<sup>(1)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Annex XIII to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The following indent is added in point 13c (Directive 2008/68/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council) of Annex XIII to the EEA Agreement:

‘— **32016 D 0629**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/629 of 20 April 2016 (OJ L 106, 22.4.2016, p. 26).’

*Article 2*

The text of Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/629 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 24 September 2016, 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, 23 September 2016.

*For the EEA Joint Committee*

*The President*

Bergdís ELLERTSDÓTTIR

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 106, 22.4.2016, p. 26.

<sup>(\*)</sup> No constitutional requirements indicated.