

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE

No 236/2016

of 2 December 2016

amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement [2018/1174]

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 Regulation (EU) 2016/548 of 8 April 2016 approving the basic substance diammonium phosphate in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/549 of 8 April 2016 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 as regards the extension of the approval periods of the active substances bentazone, cyhalofop butyl, diquat, famoxadone, flumioxazine, DPX KE 459 (flupyrsulfuron-methyl), metalaxyl-M, picolinafen, prosulfuron, pymetrozine, thiabendazole and thifensulfuron-methyl ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/560 of 11 April 2016 approving the basic substance whey in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 ⁽³⁾ 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

Chapter XV of Annex II to the EEA Agreement shall be amended as follows:

- (1) the following indents are added in point 13a (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011):

- **32016 R 0548:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/548 of 8 April 2016 (OJ L 95, 9.4.2016, p. 1),
- **32016 R 0549:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/549 of 8 April 2016 (OJ L 95, 9.4.2016, p. 4),
- **32016 R 0560:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/560 of 11 April 2016 (OJ L 96, 12.4.2016, p. 23).;

- (2) the following points are inserted after point 13zzzzzzd (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/638):

'13zzzzzze. **32016 R 0548:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/548 of 8 April 2016 approving the basic substance diammonium phosphate in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (OJ L 95, 9.4.2016, p. 1).

13zzzzzzf. **32016 R 0560:** Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2016/560 of 11 April 2016 approving the basic substance whey in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market, and amending the Annex to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 540/2011 (OJ L 96, 12.4.2016, p. 23).'

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 95, 9.4.2016, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 95, 9.4.2016, p. 4.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 96, 12.4.2016, p. 23.

Article 2

The texts of Implementing Regulations (EU) 2016/548, (EU) 2016/549 and (EU) 2016/560 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 3 December 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, 2 December 2016.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
Bergdís ELLERTSDÓTTIR

(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.