



DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 298/2021

of 29 October 2021

amending Annex V (Free movement of workers) and Annex VIII (Right of establishment) to the EEA Agreement [2024/559]

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) 2021/1476 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Andorra to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1477 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Albania to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1478 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Faroe Islands to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽³⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (4) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1479 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Monaco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽⁴⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (5) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1480 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Panama to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽⁵⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (6) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1481 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Kingdom of Morocco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽⁶⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (7) Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1482 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the State of Israel to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council ⁽⁷⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (8) Annexes V and VIII to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 33.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 36.

⁽³⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 39.

⁽⁴⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 42.

⁽⁵⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 45.

⁽⁶⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 48.

⁽⁷⁾ OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 51.

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following points are inserted after point 10g (Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1382) of Annex V to the EEA Agreement:

- ‘10h. **32021 D 1476**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1476 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Andorra to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 33).
- 10i. **32021 D 1477**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1477 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Albania to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 36).
- 10j. **32021 D 1478**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1478 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Faroe Islands to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 39).
- 10k. **32021 D 1479**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1479 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Monaco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 42).
- 10l. **32021 D 1480**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1480 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Panama to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 45).
- 10m. **32021 D 1481**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1481 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Kingdom of Morocco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 48).
- 10n. **32021 D 1482**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1482 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the State of Israel to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 51).’

Article 2

The following points are inserted after point 11g (Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1382) of Annex VIII to the EEA Agreement:

- ‘11h. **32021 D 1476**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1476 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Andorra to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 33).
- 11i. **32021 D 1477**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1477 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Albania to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 36).

- 11j. **32021 D 1478**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1478 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Faroe Islands to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 39).
- 11k. **32021 D 1479**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1479 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by Monaco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 42).
- 11l. **32021 D 1480**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1480 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Republic of Panama to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 45).
- 11m. **32021 D 1481**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1481 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the Kingdom of Morocco to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 48).
- 11n. **32021 D 1482**: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2021/1482 of 14 September 2021 establishing the equivalence, for the purpose of facilitating the right of free movement within the Union, of COVID-19 certificates issued by the State of Israel to the certificates issued in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2021/953 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 325, 15.9.2021, p. 51).'

Article 3

The texts of Commission Implementing Decisions (EU) 2021/1476, (EU) 2021/1477, (EU) 2021/1478, (EU) 2021/1479, (EU) 2021/1480, (EU) 2021/1481 and (EU) 2021/1482 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 4

This Decision shall enter into force on 30 October 2021, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made *.

Article 5

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, 29 October 2021.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
Rolf Einar FIFE

* No constitutional requirements indicated.