

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 253/2022

of 23 September 2022

amending Annex XI (Electronic communication, audiovisual services and information society) to the EEA Agreement [2023/782]

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) 2022/173 of 7 February 2022 on the harmonisation of the 900 MHz and 1 800 MHz frequency bands for terrestrial systems capable of providing electronic communications services in the Union and repealing Decision 2009/766/EC ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/173 repeals Commission Decision 2009/766/EC ⁽²⁾, which is incorporated into the EEA Agreement and which is consequently to be repealed under the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Annex XI to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The text of point 1a (Commission Decision 2009/766/EC) of Annex XI to the EEA Agreement is replaced by the following:

'32022 D 0173: Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/173 of 7 February 2022 on the harmonisation of the 900 MHz and 1 800 MHz frequency bands for terrestrial systems capable of providing electronic communications services in the Union and repealing Decision 2009/766/EC (OJ L 28, 9.2.2022, p. 29).'

Article 2

The text of Implementing Decision (EU) 2022/173 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 2022, 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 2022.

*For the EEA Joint Committee
The President*

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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 28, 9.2.2022, p. 29.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 274, 20.10.2009, p. 32.

^(*) No constitutional requirements indicated.