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**DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE No 73/2023
of 17 March 2023
amending Annex XIV (Competition) to the EEA Agreement [2023/2361]**

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 Regulation (EU) 2022/2455 of 8 December 2022 amending Regulation (EU) No 1217/2010 on the application of Article 101(3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union to certain categories of research and development agreements ⁽¹⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Commission Regulation (EU) 2022/2456 of 8 December 2022 amending Regulation (EU) No 1218/2010 on the application of Article 101(3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union to certain categories of specialisation agreements ⁽²⁾ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Annex XIV to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Annex XIV to the EEA Agreement shall be amended as follows:

1. The following is added in point 6 (Commission Regulation (EU) No 1218/2010):
‘, as amended by:
— **32022 R 2456**: Commission Regulation (EU) 2022/2456 of 8 December 2022 (OJ L 321, 15.12.2022, p. 3).’
2. The following is added in point 7 (Commission Regulation (EU) No 1217/2010):
‘, as amended by:
— **32022 R 2455**: Commission Regulation (EU) 2022/2455 of 8 December 2022 (OJ L 321, 15.12.2022, p. 1).’

Article 2

The texts of Regulations (EU) 2022/2455 and (EU) 2022/2456 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 18 March 2023, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made *.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 321, 15.12.2022, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 321, 15.12.2022, p. 3.

* No constitutional requirements indicated.

It shall apply from 1 January 2023.

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, 17 March 2023.

For the EEA Joint Committee
The President
Nicolas VON LINGEN
