

DECISION OF THE EEA JOINT COMMITTEE
No 197/2025

of 19 September 2025

**amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the
EEA Agreement**

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) 2024/1973 of 18 July 2024 establishing a list of antimicrobials which shall not be used in accordance with Articles 112 and 113 of Regulation (EU) 2019/6 of the European Parliament and of the Council or which shall only be used in accordance with those Articles subject to certain conditions¹ is to be incorporated into the EEA Agreement.
- (2) Annex II to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following point is inserted after point 22n (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/878) of Chapter XIII of Annex II to the EEA Agreement:

‘22o. **32024 R 1973**: Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1973 of 18 July 2024 establishing a list of antimicrobials which shall not be used in accordance with Articles 112 and 113 of Regulation (EU) 2019/6 of the European Parliament and of the Council or which shall only be used in accordance with those Articles subject to certain conditions (OJ L, 2024/1973, 19.7.2024).’

Article 2

The text of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/1973 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 20 September 2025, provided that all the notifications under Article 103(1) of the EEA Agreement have been made*.

¹ OJ L, 2024/1973, 19.7.2024, ELI: http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2024/1973/o

* No constitutional requirements indicated.

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, 19 September 2025.

*For the EEA Joint Committee
The President*

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