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## JOINT COMMITTEE

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### ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY NINTH MEETING

*Friday 26 October 2012, starting at 11.00  
in the EFTA Building, 12-16 Rue Joseph II, 1000 Brussels*

*President: Ambassador Atle Leikvoll (EFTA)*

*EU Chairman: Mr Gianluca Grippa (European External Action Service)*

#### **Draft agenda**

1. Adoption of the agenda
  2. Approval of the minutes of the 178<sup>th</sup> EEA Joint Committee meeting of 28 September 2012
  3. Minutes of the Subcommittees I-II-III-IV meetings of 18 September and 16 October 2012
  4. Decisions
- Decision No 191/2012 amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Implementing Decision 2011/396/EU (authorising a laboratory in Japan to carry out serological tests to monitor the effectiveness of rabies vaccines), Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 176/2012 (animal health requirements for brucellosis and Aujeszky's disease)
  - Decision No 192/2012 amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Implementing Decision 2011/825/EU (national measures for preventing the introduction of certain aquatic animal diseases into parts of Ireland, Finland and Sweden), Commission Implementing Decision 2012/111/EU (BSE status of Denmark and Panama), Commission Regulation (EU) No 200/2012 (Union target for the reduction of Salmonella enteritidis and Salmonella typhimurium in flocks of broilers), Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 233/2012 (approval of the amended national scrapie control programme for Denmark)
  - Decision No 193/2012 amending Annex I (Veterinary and phytosanitary matters) and Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Recommendation 2012/154/EU (monitoring of the presence of ergot alkaloids in feed and food), Commission Regulation (EU) No 277/2012 (maximum levels and action thresholds for dioxins and polychlorinated biphenyls)
  - Decision No 194/2012 amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Regulation (EU) No 347/2012 (type-approval requirements for certain categories of motor vehicles with regard to advanced

emergency braking systems), Commission Regulation (EU) No 351/2012 (type-approval requirements for the installation of lane departure warning systems in motor vehicles)

- Decision No 195/2012 amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Regulation (EU) No 412/2012 (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH))
- Decision No 196/2012 amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Decision 2010/11/EU (safety requirements to be met by European standards for consumer-mounted childproof locking devices for windows and balcony doors), Commission Decision 2010/376/EU (safety requirements to be met by European standards for certain products in the sleep environment of children), Commission Implementing Decision 2012/48/EU (requiring Member States to ensure that products containing the biocide dimethylfumarate are not placed or made available on the market)
- Decision No 197/2012 amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Decision, 2010/81/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards adhesives for ceramic tiles), Commission Decision, 2010/82/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards decorative wallcoverings in roll and panel form), Commission Decision, 2010/83/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards air drying jointing compounds), Commission Decision 2010/85/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards cementitious screeds, calcium sulphate screeds and synthetic resin floor screeds), Commission Decision 2010/679/EU (construction products), Commission Decision 2010/683/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Decision 2010/737/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards steel sheets with polyester coating and with plastisol coating), Commission Decision 2010/738/EU (classes of reaction-to-fire performance for certain construction products as regards fibrous gypsum plaster casts), Commission Decision 2011/14/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Decision 2011/19/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Decision 2011/232/EU (establishing a classification system for resistance-to-fire performance for construction products, construction works and parts thereof), Commission Decision 2011/246/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Decision 2011/284/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Implementing Decision 2012/201/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products), Commission Implementing Decision 2012/202/EU (procedure for attesting the conformity of construction products)
- Decision No 198/2012 amending Annex II (Technical regulations, standards, testing and certification) to the EEA Agreement - Commission Regulation (EU) No 207/2012 (electronic instructions for use of medical devices)
- Decision No 199/2012 amending Annex XIII (Transport) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Regulation (EU) No 1286/2011 (common methodology for investigating marine casualties and incidents developed)
- Decision No 200/2012 amending Annex XX (Environment) to the EEA Agreement – EP & Council Regulation (EC) No 66/2010 (on the EU Ecolabel)
- Decision No 201/2012 amending Annex XX (Environment) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Decision 2010/709/EU (European Union Ecolabelling Board), Commission Decision 2011/263/EU (on establishing the ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel to detergents for dishwashers), Commission Decision 2011/264/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for laundry detergents), Commission Decision 2011/330/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for notebook computers), Commission Decision 2011/331/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for light sources), Commission Decision 2011/333/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for copying and graphic paper), Commission Decision 2011/337/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel for personal computers), Commission Decision 2011/381/EU

(ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel to lubricants), Commission Decision 2011/382/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel to hand dishwashing detergents), Commission Decision 2011/383/EU (ecological criteria for the award of the EU Ecolabel to all-purpose cleaners and sanitary cleaners)

- Decision No 202/2012 amending Annex XX (Environment) to the EEA Agreement – EP & Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 (substances that deplete the ozone layer (recast)), Commission Regulation (EU) No 744/2010 (substances that deplete the ozone layer, with regard to the critical uses of halons), Commission Regulation (EU) No 291/2011 (essential uses of controlled substances other than hydrochlorofluorocarbons for laboratory and analytical purposes in the Union under Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council on substances that deplete the ozone layer)
- Decision No 203/2012 amending Annex XX (Environment) to the EEA Agreement – Commission Decision 2009/10/EC (major accident report form pursuant to Council Directive 96/82/EC on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substance)
- Decision No 204/2012 amending Protocol 10 on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods to the EEA Agreement – Customs security measures

5. Presentation by the European Commission on the Single Market Act II
6. Monitoring of outstanding legal acts
7. Calendar for the drafting of the JC Progress Report and the JC Annual Report
8. Appointment of EEA Joint Committee Secretaries
9. Other business
  - EEA EFTA Comment on the Commission's proposal for a Regulation on a Common European Sales Law
  - EEA EFTA Comment to the Consultation on the review of the auction time profile for the EU Emissions Trading System
  - Corrigenda