

Council Decision (EU) 2020/2023 of 4 December 2020 on the position to be adopted,  
on behalf of the European Union, within the EEA Joint Committee concerning an  
amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement (Text with EEA relevance)

COUNCIL DECISION (EU) 2020/2023

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Committee concerning an amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement

(Text with EEA relevance)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article  
194 in conjunction with Article 218(9) thereof,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 2894/94 of 28 November 1994 concerning  
arrangements for implementing the Agreement on the European Economic Area<sup>(1)</sup>, and in  
particular Article 1(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

Whereas:

- (1) The Agreement on the European Economic Area<sup>(2)</sup> ('the EEA Agreement') entered into  
force on 1 January 1994.
- (2) Pursuant to Article 98 of the EEA Agreement, the EEA Joint Committee may decide  
to amend Annex IV to the EEA Agreement.
- (3) Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485<sup>(3)</sup> is to be incorporated into the EEA  
Agreement.
- (4) Annex IV to the EEA Agreement should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (5) The position of the Union within the EEA Joint Committee should therefore be based  
on the draft decision of the EEA Joint Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

*Article 1*

The position to be adopted, on behalf of the Union, within the EEA Joint Committee on  
the proposed amendment to Annex IV (Energy) to the EEA Agreement, shall be based  
on the draft decision of the EEA Joint Committee<sup>(4)</sup>.

*Article 2*

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

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for the Council Decision (EU) 2020/2023. (See end of Document for details)

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Done at Brussels, 4 December 2020.

*For the Council*

*The President*

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- (1) [OJ L 305, 30.11.1994, p. 6.](#)
- (2) [OJ L 1, 3.1.1994, p. 3.](#)
- (3) Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 of 2 August 2017 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation ([OJ L 220, 25.8.2017, p. 1.](#)).
- (4) See document ST 12933/20 at <http://register.consilium.europa.eu>

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