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Order amending the Decrees regarding declarations of the environmental impacts of construction and decoration products and on the environmental declaration of electrical, electronic and HVAC equipment intended for use in works for buildings and on their verification

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No abre el plazo - Nezhajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Não inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - He ce предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Construction products intended for use in works for buildings
Decoration products intended for use in works for buildings
Electrical, electronic and HVAC equipment intended for use in works for buildings

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This draft Order establishes the following:

- Replacement of the requirement of submission to a public database by the requirement of submission to a database run by verification programmes.
- Maintenance of the databases containing the environmental declarations by the verification programmes (these databases already exist as part of the verification process).
- Accessibility of data contained in the aforementioned databases for the public, professionals and public authorities.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Current legislation on environmental declarations provides for a requirement for manufacturers to communicate with public authorities via a website.

This provision has shown to be limited in practice since it appears redundant with the registration of these declarations in the verification programme databases which are regulated by the State.

In order to simplify the procedures as well as the general information on the subject of environmental declarations, a method of modifying the information requirements was chosen, making compulsory the submission of environmental declarations in a verification programme database instead of in a public one.

The new provisions, however, seek to maintain a requirement of openness and data disclosure with the public



and professionals and to guarantee access by public authorities so that they can monitor the proper implementation of this public policy.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference(s) to basic text(s): - Decree of 23 December 2013 regarding declarations of the environmental impacts of construction and decoration products intended for use in works for buildings (NOR: ETLL1331233A)
- Decree of 31 August 2015 on the environmental declaration for electrical, electronic and HVAC equipment intended for use in works for buildings (NOR: ETLL1515422A)
- Decree of 31 August 2015 on the verification of environmental declarations for construction products, decoration products and electrical, electronic and HVAC equipment intended for use in works for buildings by independent third parties (NOR: ETLL1515423A)
The basic texts were forwarded with an earlier notification: 2011/586/F 2014/190/F

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

Yes

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

SPS aspect

No - the draft is neither a sanitary nor phytosanitary measure.

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