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Pursuant to Article 89 of the Constitution of the Republic of Croatia, I hereby pass the

## DECISION

### PROMULGATING THE ACT ON AMENDMENTS TO THE ACCREDITATION ACT

I hereby promulgate the Act on Amendments to the Accreditation Act, adopted by the Croatian Parliament at its session on 26 April 2013.

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Zagreb, 2 May 2013

President of the Republic of Croatia **Ivo Josipović,** m. p.

ACT

## ON AMENDMENTS TO THE ACCREDITATION ACT

Article 1

In the Accreditation Act (Official Gazette 158/03 and 75/09) in Article 1, after paragraph 1, paragraphs 2 and 3 are added to read:

"(2) The provisions of this Act relating to conformity assessment regulations shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to regulations on assessment and verification of constancy of performance and on regulations on technical assessment of construction products, unless otherwise stipulated by a special Act.

(3) This Act establishes the framework for implementation of Regulation (EC) No 765/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 July 2008 setting out the requirements for accreditation and market surveillance relating to the marketing of products and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 339/93 (Text with EEA relevance) (SL L 218, 13. 8. 2008) in the segment relating to accreditation (hereinafter: Regulation (EC) No 765/2008).".

Article 2 is amended to read:

"The competent authority for the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 765/2008 and this Act shall be the Accreditation Body.".

#### Article 3

Article 3 is amended to read:

"The terms used for the purposes of this Act shall have the same meanings as the terms used in Regulation (EC) No 765/2008, and the term "standard" shall have the same meaning as the term defined in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1025/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on European standardisation, amending Council Directives 89/686/EEC and 93/15/EEC and Directives 94/9/EC, 94/25/EC, 95/16/EC, 97/23/EC, 98/34/EC, 2004/22/EC, 2007/23/EC, 2009/23/EC and 2009/105/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Decision 87/95/EEC and Decision No 1673/2006/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council (SL L 316, 14. 11. 2012).".

#### Article 4

In Article 4, paragraph 5 is amended to read:

"(5) The tasks referred to in paragraph 2, subparagraphs 1, 2 and 3 and paragraph 3 of this Article shall be performed only by the Accreditation Body.".

Article 5

This Act shall be published in the Official Gazette, and shall enter into force on the day of accession of the Republic of Croatia to the European Union.

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Zagreb, 26 April 2013

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President of the Croatian Parliament **Josip Leko,** m. p.