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**ANNEX**

In Annex III to Directive 2011/65/EU, point 34 is replaced by the following:

"34	Lead in cermet-based trimmer potentiometer elements	Applies to all categories; expires on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– 21 July 2021 for categories 1-7 and 10;</li><li>– 21 July 2021 for categories 8 and 9 other than in vitro diagnostic medical devices and industrial monitoring and control instruments;</li><li>– 21 July 2023 for category 8 in vitro diagnostic medical devices;</li><li>– 21 July 2024 for category 9 industrial monitoring and control instruments, and for category 11."</li></ul>
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