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Proposals for amendments to RID/ADR/ADN

Transmitted by the Government of Finland

1. Reference is made to documents ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2007/30/Add.1 (Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Harmonization of RID/ADR/ADN with the UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods) and ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/108/Add.2 (Texts adopted by the Joint Meeting, Geneva, 11-21 September 2007).

For the RID/ADR 2009 the following change has been adopted:

Chapter 1.10, Table 1.10.5:

Add a new fourth line for Class 1, Division 1.4, to read as follows:

Class	Division	Substance or article	Quantity		
			Tank	Bulk	Packages
			(l)	(kg)	(kg)
1		Explosives of UN Nos. 0104, 0237, 0255, 0267, 0289, 0361, 0365, 0366, 0440, 0441, 0455, 0456 and 0500	a	a	0

2. UN Nos. 0366, 0441, 0455, 0456 and 0500 are 1.4S explosives. It seems that there are no implications in transport whether those are included in Table 1.10.5 or not.

For these entries, in accordance with provisions of 1.1.3.6 and 1.10.4, the security provisions do not apply since quantities of 1.1.3.6.3 will never be exceeded (these are "unlimited" in 1.1.3.6.3).

3. Finland would like to ask whether there is need to add UN Nos. 0366, 0441, 0455, 0456 and 0500 to Table 1.10.5.

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