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ADR Contracting Party

Dear ADR Contracting Party,

Multilateral Agreement M280: concerning the carriage of UN 3077 and UN 3082 when transported in receptacles not exceeding 5 kg or 5 litres

This multilateral agreement is seeking an exemption of ADR except for the general packaging provisions of 4.1.1.1, 4.1.1.2, and 4.1.1.4 to 4.1.1.8 concerning Environmentally Hazardous Substances of Class 9 under UN3077 or UN3082, when transported in single or combination packagings containing a net quantity per single or inner packagings of 5 litres or less for liquids or having a net mass of 5 kg or less for solids.

This derogation is needed to introduce earlier than 1/1/2015 the effect of UN Model Regulations Special Provision 375 that has been agreed for introduction in the 2015 Edition of ADR from 1st June 2015.

The United Kingdom has signed Multilateral Agreement M280 (attached).

Yours faithfully

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