Multilateral Agreement M320

under paragraph 1.5.1 of Annex A of ADR

concerning the carriage of UN 1965 in fixed tanks (tank-vehicles)

1. By derogation from the requirements of section 4.3.3.2.5 in ADR, in countries where the ambient temperature is such that the temperature reached in the tank as a function of the ambient temperature will not exceed 50 °C, UN 1965 HYDROCARBON GAS MIXTURE, LIQUIFIED, N.O.S (Mixture C), may also be carried in tanks without thermal insulation with a test pressure of at least 2.3 MPa.

2. When using reference temperature 50 °C for developed pressure, the calculated test pressure for the tank, using 50 °C instead of 65 °C in 4.3.3.2.3 (b), must not exceed 2.3 MPa.

3. The tanks shall have safety valves according to 6.8.3.2.9 in ADR.

4. All other relevant provisions of ADR shall be complied with.

5. This derogation shall not be applicable to tanks without thermal insulation with a test pressure of less than 2.7 MPa, constructed after 1 January 2014.

6. This agreement shall be valid from 1 June 2019 until 31 May 2024 for the carriage on the territories of those ADR Contracting Parties signatory to this agreement. If it is revoked before then by one of the signatories, it shall remain valid until the above mentioned date only for carriage on the territories of those ADR Contracting Parties signatory to this Agreement which have not revoked it.

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