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Joint Meeting of the RID Safety Committee
and the Working Party on the Transport
of Dangerous Goods
(Geneva, 10-14 September 2001)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SESSION*

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva,
starting at 10.30 a.m. on Monday, 10 September 2001

IMPORTANT

In view of the new security measures concerning access to the Palais des Nations, delegations are requested to inform the secretariat (ECE Transport Division) of their exact composition. Access to the Palais des Nations will be restricted to the bearers of an identity card which will be issued by the Security and Safety Section, Villa Les Feuillantines, 13 avenue de la Paix (please see the plan on the last page).

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* See letter A 82-01/502.2001 from the Central Office for International Carriage by Rail (OCTI).

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Harmonization with the United Nations Model Regulations (Twelfth revised edition of the United Nations Recommendations)
3. Implementation of the restructured RID/ADR
4. Proposals pending and new proposals
5. Tanks
6. Miscellaneous
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8. Future work
9. Adoption of the report

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2. An ad hoc working group is scheduled to meet from 10 to 12 September to study the documents concerning tanks.

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Provisional timetable

Monday	a.m.:	Items 1 and 2
	p.m.:	Item 2
Tuesday	a.m.:	Item 2
Wednesday	a.m.:	Items 2, 3 and 4
	p.m.:	Item 4
Thursday	a.m.:	Item 4
	p.m.:	Items 4 to 8
Friday	p.m.:	Item 9 (without interpretation)

1. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The first item on the provisional agenda is its adoption.

The Joint Meeting will also have before it the report on the spring 2001 session (TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/84) and a consolidated list of the amendments adopted at the session (TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/84/Add.1 and Add.2).

2. HARMONIZATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS MODEL REGULATIONS (TWELFTH REVISED EDITION OF THE UNITED NATIONS RECOMMENDATIONS)

Chapter 4.1

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/23
(ECE secretariat)

Part 4

Informal document INF.9 (Germany, Austria, Switzerland) submitted at the previous session

Observations concerning documents -/2001/20, 21, 22 and 23

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/53 (France)

Harmonization with the United Nations Model Regulations, Chapter 4.1

Part 5

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/24
(ECE secretariat)

Part 5

Informal document INF.11 (OCTI)
submitted at the previous session

Observations concerning documents
-/2001/24, 25 and 26

Chapters 6.1, 6.3, 6.5 and 6.6

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/25
(ECE secretariat)

Part 6

Informal document INF.11 (OCTI)
submitted at the previous session

Observations concerning documents
-/2001/24, 25 and 26

Parts 7, 8 and 9

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/26
(ECE secretariat)

Parts 7 and 9

Informal document INF.11 (OCTI)
submitted at the previous session

Observations concerning documents
-/2001/24, 25 and 26

Chapters 4.3, 6.7 and 6.8

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/34 (EIGA)

Amendments to Chapters 4.3, 6.7 and 6.8
to accommodate the provisions adopted for
Class 2 MEGCs in the United Nations
Model Regulations

Chapter 6.2

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/49 (EIGA)

Marking

Miscellaneous

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/41 (EIGA)

Substantive amendments

3. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESTRUCTURED RID/ADR

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/28 (Germany)	Packing instruction P200
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/43 (CEFIC)	Special provisions B1 and B2 (IBCs)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/44 (France)	Special provision 640

4. PROPOSALS PENDING AND NEW PROPOSALS

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/1998/43 (France)	Checks on filling (gases)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/1999/16 (FIATA)	Chapter 7.1 (Separation of explosives)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2000/19 (Austria)	Carriage of IBCs after the date of expiry of the deadline for the periodic test
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/4 (Germany)	Chapter 7.2 (UN Nos. 1211 and 3314)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/9 (FIATA)	General information required in the transport document (5.4.1.1)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/11 (CEN)	6.8.5.2*
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/38 (Austria)	Quantity ratios between inner and outer packagings for limited quantities of solids
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/39 (OCTI)	5.4.1.1.6
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/40 (CEFIC/CPIV)	UN No. 2790
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/42 (United Kingdom)	Mixed packing
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/45 (France)	Orange-coloured plate marking (radioactive material)
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/47 (Austria)	Classification of radioactive material
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/48 (Belgium)	Chapter 4.4
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/50 (Netherlands)	Fireworks
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/52 (UIP)	Application of TU 11 to UN No. 1361

* Document discussed at the previous session (see TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/84, para. 107) and put back on the agenda at the request of CEN.

5. TANKS

TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/34 (EIGA)	Amendments to Chapters 4.3, 6.7 and 6.8 to accommodate the provisions adopted for Class 2 MEGCs in the United Nations Model Regulations
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/46 (United Kingdom)	Tanks with recessed valve chest
TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2001/51 (Netherlands)	Safety valves for L4BH or SGAH tanks

These documents will be considered initially by the ad hoc working group which will meet from 10 to 12 September 2001.

6. MISCELLANEOUS

No proposal has been submitted under this item.

7. ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2002

8. FUTURE WORK

During the session, the secretariat will put forward proposals concerning this agenda item.

9. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT

In accordance with established practice, the Joint Meeting may wish to adopt the report of the session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.



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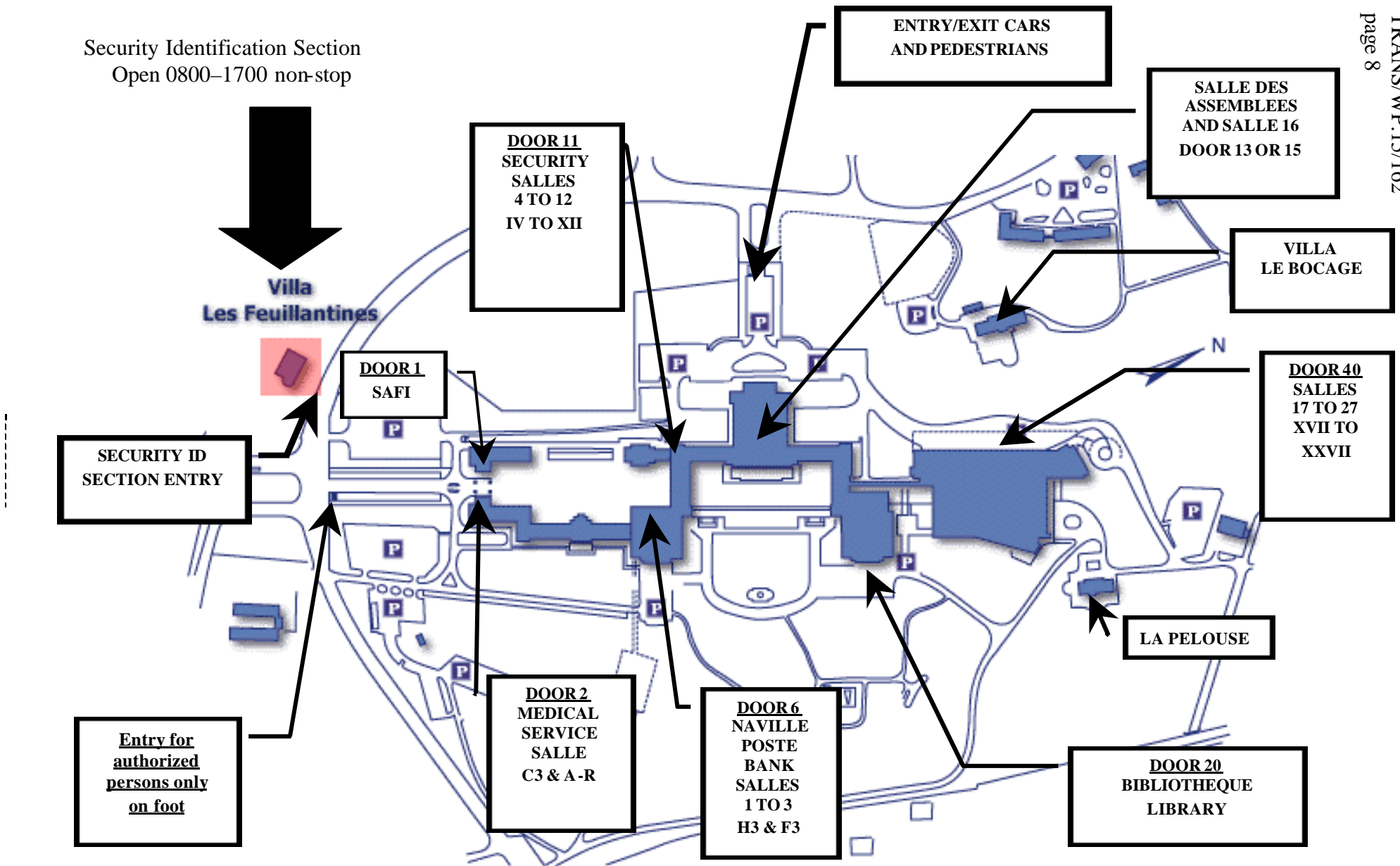
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