



**Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods
and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification
and Labelling of Chemicals****Sub-Committee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized
System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals****Nineteenth session**

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Item 1 of the provisional agenda

Adoption of the agenda**Provisional agenda for the nineteenth session****Addendum****List of documents and annotations****1. Adoption of the agenda**

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/37 (Secretariat)	Provisional agenda for the nineteenth session
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Background documents (Secretariat)

ST/SG/AC.10/30/Rev.3	Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS), 3rd revised edition
ST/SG/AC.10/1/Rev.16	Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Model Regulations, 16th revised edition
ST/SG/AC.10/11/Rev.5	Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria, 5th revised edition
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/36	Report of the Sub-Committee of Experts on its eighteenth session
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/34	Report of the Committee on its seventeenth session

2. Updating of the third revised edition of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

(a) Physical hazards

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

The expert from the United States of America may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about the outcome of the analysis of existing practices and regulations addressing dust explosion hazards in the workplace, as requested by the Sub-Committee at its seventeenth session (refer to ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/34, paras. 9–13).

In accordance with established practice, the Sub-Committee will also be informed about the outcome of the work of the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG Sub-Committee) on any matters of concern to the GHS Sub-Committee related to physical hazards.

(b) Health hazards

Informal document INF.5 (Germany/AISE)	Skin corrosion/irritation and serious eye damage/eye irritation: Guidance on evaluation of data from studies conducted with more than three animals
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The Sub-Committee will be informed about the progress of the work of the informal correspondence groups dealing with matters related to health hazards.

(c) Environmental hazards

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

(d) Annexes

The expert from the United Kingdom may wish to provide an update on the work of the correspondence group on the improvement of annexes 1, 2 and 3 of the GHS.

(e) Miscellaneous proposals

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/1 (Secretariat)	Corrections to the third revised edition of the GHS
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3. Hazard communication issues

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/2 (Germany)	Terms of reference for the revision of Annex 4 "Guidance on the preparation of Safety Data Sheets (SDS)"
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/3 (United Kingdom/FEA)	Hazard communication for supply and use of aerosols

The representative of the European Chemical Industry Council (CEFIC) may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about the progress of the work of the informal working group on labelling of small packagings.

4. Implementation of the GHS

(a) Implementation issues

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/5 (Australia)	Proposals from the informal working group on GHS implementation issues
Informal document INF.4 (Australia)	Consolidated comments on the survey for existing international classification lists of chemicals
Informal document INF.7 (Secretariat)	GHS classification of dangerous goods most commonly carried: comparison between transport classification and EU CLP Regulation (Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008)

(b) Reports on the status of implementation

Experts, observers and organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about progress in the GHS implementation in their respective countries or areas of work.

(c) Cooperation with other bodies or international organizations

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/4 (IMO)	Consideration of issues relevant to Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) by the IMO Sub-Committee on Bulk Liquids and Gases at its fourteenth session (BLG 14)
Informal document INF.3 (OECD)	Outcome of the analysis of classification of selected chemicals listed in Annex III of the Rotterdam Convention

The Sub-Committee may also wish to note that a revised proposal of amendment to Chapter 2.8 of the UN Model Regulations for further alignment of the corrosivity criteria in transport regulations with the GHS has been submitted by the Netherlands to the thirty-seventh session of the TDG Sub-Committee. The related documents are listed under item 10 of the agenda for that session (ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/73/Add.1).

(d) Miscellaneous

Informal document INF.6 (OECD)	Dissemination of national GHS classification results via the OECD eChemPortal
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5. Development of guidance on the application of GHS criteria

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

6. Capacity building

Experts, observers and international organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee of any capacity-building activities or projects undertaken in relation to the GHS.

7. Other business

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

8. Adoption of the report

In accordance with established practice, the Sub-Committee may wish to adopt the report on its nineteenth session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.
