



Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

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Item 1 of the provisional agenda

Adoption of the agenda

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Addendum

List of documents and annotations

1. Adoption of the agenda

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/39 (Secretariat)	Provisional agenda for the twentieth session
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/39/Add.1 (Secretariat)	List of documents and annotations

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.4/38	Report of the Sub-Committee of Experts on its nineteenth session
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 of Experts 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

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/9 (Germany)	Classification of chemically unstable gases and gas mixtures
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/10 (Germany)	Determination of chemical instability of gases
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/16 (United States of America)	Proposal to address simple asphyxiants in the GHS

(b) Health hazards

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

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/12 (United Kingdom)	Revision of annexes 1, 2 and 3 of the GHS: Precautionary statements
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(e) Miscellaneous proposals

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/6 (Secretariat)	Draft amendments to the GHS adopted in principle by the Sub-Committee at its nineteenth session
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3. Hazard communication issues

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/13 (United Kingdom/FEA)	Hazard communication for supply and use of aerosols
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/14 (RPMASA)	Proposal for revision of P410 for gases in transportable gas cylinders under pressure
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/18 (EIGA)	Hazard communication for gases under pressure: proposal resulting from ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/9
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/19 (Australia)	Information relating to nanomaterials for inclusion on the guidance on the preparation of Safety Data Sheets (SDS)

4. Implementation of the GHS

(a) Implementation issues

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/7 (AISE, SDA, IPPIC, CEFIC)	Proposal to address potential issues associated with the adoption of “corrosive to metals” for supply/use situations
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/15 (United States of America)	Proposals to address issues from the programme of work for the practical classification issues correspondence group
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/20 (Australia)	Proposals from the informal working group on GHS implementation issues: Global list of GHS classified chemicals

(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

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

(d) Miscellaneous

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

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. Programme of work for the biennium 2011–2012

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/8 (United States of America)	Proposed terms of reference for the dust explosion hazards correspondence group
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/11 (Netherlands)	Alignment with GHS, corrosivity criteria in Chapter 2.8
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2010/17 (Secretariat)	Draft terms of reference for the work on corrosivity criteria

The Sub-Committee may wish to consider any other proposal for inclusion in its programme of work for the biennium 2011–2012.

8. Draft resolution 2011/... of the Economic and Social Council

The Sub-Committee may wish to consider a draft resolution to be submitted to the Economic and Social Council for adoption at its 2011 substantive session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.

9. Election of officers for the biennium 2011–2012

In accordance with the established practice, the Sub-Committee will be invited to elect officers for the biennium 2011–2012 among the representatives of its member countries.

10. Other business

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

11. Adoption of the report

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