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**Proposals for amendments to the Regulations annexed to ADN:
Amendments for entry into force on 1 January 2013**

Amendments adopted by the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting

Note by the secretariat^{1 2}

Introduction

The Safety Committee is invited to examine the proposed amendments listed below adopted by the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting at its Spring session (Bern, 22-26 March 2010) for entry into force on 1 January 2013 (see Annex III of report ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/118).

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Proposed amendments

Part 1

Chapter 1.4

1.4.2.1.1 (b) After "furnish the carrier with information and data", insert "in a traceable form".

1.4.3.3 (f) Amend to read as follows:

"(f) He shall, after filling the tank, ensure that all closures are in a closed position and that there is no leakage;"

Chapter 1.8

1.8.5.1 Amend the end to read as follows ", shall ascertain that a report conforming to the model prescribed in 1.8.5.4 is made to the competent authority of the Contracting Party concerned at the latest one month after the occurrence."

Part 2

Chapter 2.1

2.1.3.5.5 At the end of the third paragraph, add the following sentence: "However, if it is known that the waste possesses only environmentally hazardous properties, it may be assigned to packing group III under UN Nos. 3077 or 3082."

Part 3

Chapter 3.2

3.2.1, Table A For UN Nos. 1072, 1956 and 3156, insert "655" in column (6).

Replace the row for the entry UN 3256 with the following two rows:

(1)	(2)	(6)
"3256	ELEVATED TEMPERATURE LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S. with flash-point above 60 °C, at or above its flash-point and below 100 °C	274 560
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The indications in columns (3a), (3b), (4), (5) and (7a) to (13) remain identical and unchanged for both cases.

Chapter 3.3

3.3.1 **SP 560** Amend to read as follows:

"**560** An elevated temperature liquid, n.o.s. at or above 100 °C (including molten metals and molten salts) or, for a substance having a flash-point, at a temperature below its flash-point, is a substance of Class 9 (UN No. 3257)."

- SP 584** Replace the two first indents with the following new indent:
"– it contains not more than 0.5% air in the gaseous state;".

Part 5

Chapter 5.1

- 5.1.2.1 (a) Amend sub-paragraph (ii) and the subsequent paragraph to read as follows:
- (ii) marked with the UN number preceded by the letters "UN", labelled as required for packages in 5.2.2 and marked with the environmentally hazardous substance mark if required for packages in 5.2.1.8, for each item of dangerous goods contained in the overpack;
- unless the UN numbers, the labels and the environmentally hazardous substance mark representative of all dangerous goods contained in the overpack are visible, except as required in 5.2.2.1.11. If the same UN number, the same label or the environmentally hazardous substance mark is required for different packages, it only needs to be applied once."
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