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Proposals for amendments to RID/ADR/ADN:

Pending issues

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### UN 3170 Aluminium smelting by-products or aluminium remelting by-products, comments on doc 21

#### Transmitted by the Governments of Spain and Norway

A new proposal, taking up the different issues that showed up during the discussion in the plenary is submitted. Changes to the original proposal are marked **in italics or striken out**.

Into the proposal C, it has been taken up that sheeted containers shall be waterproof. Also, the same provisions for labeling than stated in AP5 have been introduced, but adapted to the situation that the vehicles and containers are ventilated, as it is possible that a certain amount of gas is still inside, and it would therefore be prudent to open it with caution.

Proposal B and E have been modified taking into account that effectively in 7.3.3. it is stated that the additional conditions listed here are only applicable if they are referenced in table A.

#### Proposal

23. The following proposals are made:

A. Change in table A, for UN 3170:

column (17)

PGIII: VC1VC2 ~~{AP3}AP4AP5~~AP2

PG II: VC1VC2 ~~{AP3}AP4AP5~~-AP2

B. Modify AP2 in 7.3.3.2.1 and 7.3.3.2.7, **and include it into 7.3.3.2.3**:

“~~Closed~~ vehicles/wagons and ~~closed~~ containers shall have adequate ventilation”

C. Including a special provision XXX, assigned to UN 3170 ALUMINIUM SMELTING BY-PRODUCTS or ALUMINIM REMELTING BY-PRODUCTS (column 18):

CV XX: Before transport, aluminium smelting by-products or aluminium remelting by-products ~~shall have to~~ be cooled till ambient temperature **when loaded**. ***Sheeted vehicles or sheeted containers shall be waterproof. The cargo doors of the closed vehicles or closed containers shall be marked with the following in letters not less than 25 mm high, in a language considered appropriate by the consignor: "WARNING. CLOSED MEANS OF CONTAINMENT. OPEN WITH CAUTION."***

D. For 7.3.2.4, delete “code BK2”:

“These goods shall be carried in bulk containers (~~code BK2~~) which are waterproof.”

**E. For the new point 7.3.3.2.3 Goods of class 4.3, introduce the following sentence at the beginning:**

**“Unless stated otherwise in these regulations, the following provisions shall apply:”**