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**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 Transport of Dangerous Goods****Fifty-fourth session**

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Item 2 (f) of the provisional agenda

**Recommendations made by the Sub-Committee on its fifty-first,  
fifty-second and fifty-third sessions and pending issues:  
miscellaneous pending issues****Informal working group on fibre-reinforced plastics (FRP)  
portable tanks****Transmitted by the chairman of the informal working group\*****Background**

1. The Sub-Committee is invited to note that the working group on FRP portable tanks will be meeting in parallel to the plenary session on Monday and Tuesday 26-27 November in Room IV (Palais des Nations) to continue work on developing requirements for FRP portable tanks.
2. The work to be discussed during this working group will continue based on progress made by correspondence prior to the meeting. It is expected that the group will focus primarily on general design and construction provisions.
3. The working group will report on its work to the plenary as scheduling allows.
4. Delegates interested in participating in the meeting of the informal working group are invited to announce themselves to the chairman of the working group (steven.webb[at]dot.gov) and to register online for the 54th session of the Sub-Committee. Participants in the work of the informal working group should register either as part of a national delegation represented at the Sub-Committee or a non-governmental organisation in consultative status with the Sub-Committee.

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\* In accordance with the programme of work of the Sub-Committee for 2017–2018 approved by the Committee at its eighth session (see ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/100, paragraph 98 and ST/SG/AC.10/44, para. 14).

5. The Sub-Committee is invited to review the FRP working group project plan in informal document INF.10 for the projected project timeline. Please note that the timeline is an estimate and may change based on the progress of the working group.

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