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## Carriage of pressure receptacles approved by the Department of Transportation of the United States of America (DOT)

### Transmitted by the European Industrial Gases Association

1. Following the discussions on paper ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2019/37 and informal papers 35 and 42, experts from Germany, Netherlands, the United States and EIGA met and amended the text in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2019/37 to reflect the comments received during plenary.
2. The changes are to delete the headings to 1.1.4.6.1 and 1.1.4.6.2 as these were considered superfluous and as well removes reference to “import” and “export”. In 1.1.4.6.2 in the first paragraph “for the purpose of exporting” was deleted as this was considered to be superfluous and again removes a reference to “export”. ADN was removed from 1.1.4.6.2 (c) as there was no intention to include ADN.
3. In 1.1.4.6.1, “Carriage in accordance with 1.1.4.6” was amended to “Carriage in accordance in 1.1.4.6.1” and similarly in 1.1.4.6 “Carriage in accordance with 1.1.4.6” was amended to read “Carriage in accordance with 1.1.4.6.2”. The purpose of these changes was to differentiate in the transport document if the carriage was to, or from, a contracting state.
4. At the request of the secretariat 1.1.4.6 has been changed to 1.1.4.7

### Proposal

**“1.1.4.7 Refillable pressure receptacles authorized by the United States of America Department of Transportation**

- 1.1.4.7.1 *Refillable pressure receptacles authorized by the United States of America Department of Transportation and constructed and tested in accordance with Part 178, Specifications for Packagings of Title 49, Transportation, of the Code of Federal Regulations accepted for carriage in a transport chain in accordance with 1.1.4.2 may be carried from the location of the temporary storage at the end point of the transport chain to the end user.*

*The consignor for the RID/ADR carriage shall include the following entry in the transport document:*

*“Carriage in accordance with 1.1.4.7.1”*

- 1.1.4.7.2 *Refillable pressure receptacles authorized by the United States of America Department of Transportation and constructed in accordance with standards listed in Part 178, Specifications for Packagings of Title 49, Transportation, of the Code of Federal Regulations may be carried to countries which are not Contracting States/Parties of RID/ADR provided the following provisions are met:*

- (a) *The filling of the pressure receptacle is in accordance with the relevant requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations of the United States of America.*
- (b) *The pressure receptacles shall be marked and labelled in accordance with Chapter 5.2 of RID/ADR.*
- (c) *The consignor for the RID/ADR carriage shall include the following entry in the transport document:*

*“Carriage in accordance with 1.1.4.7.2”*

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