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**Harmonisation with the UN Recommendations
on the Transport of Dangerous Goods**

 Provisions concerning temperature control in chapter 7.1

 Transmitted by the Government of Germany

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|  *Summary* |
| **Executive summary**: Consequential amendments as a result of the transfer of the provisions concerning temperature control to the new section 7.1.7 of ADR/ADN. |
| **Action to be taken**: Make consequential amendments in special provisions CV20 and CV21 in section 7.5.11 as well as in section 9.6.2 of ADR. |
| **Reference document**: OTIF/RID/RC/2017/26 (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2017/26), section 34 and OTIF/RID/RC/2017/26/Add.1 (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2017/26/Add.1) |
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 Introduction

1. The provisions governing temperature control are to be transferred from special provision V8 in section 7.2.4 ADR to the new section 7.1.7 ADR/ADN. Special provision V8 is reworded and will now only make reference to the new section 7.1.7.

2. This makes consequential amendments in special provisions CV20 and CV21 in sections 7.5.11 and 9.6.2 of ADR necessary where reference is made to certain paragraphs of special provision V8 which, in the future, can be found in section 7.1.7. The document OTIF/RID/RC/2017/26/Add.1 (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2017/26/Add.1) does not yet contain these consequential amendments.

 Proposal

3. Germany proposes the following amendments:

In section 7.5.11, special provision CV20:

Replace “… and special provisions V 1 and V 8(5) and (6) of Chapter 7.2 shall not apply …” with

“… and 7.1.7.4.7 and 7.1.7.4.8 as well as special provision V1 of Chapter 7.2 shall not apply …”

(ADR only)

In section 7.5.11, special provision CV21:

Replace “In the case of temperature control in accordance with methods R2 or R4 of special provision V8(3) of Chapter 7.2” with

„In the case of temperature control in accordance with the methods described in 7.1.7.4.5 (b) or (d) …”

(ADR only)

In section 9.6.2, first sentence:

Replace “Suitable methods (see V8(3)) to prevent the control temperature from being exceeded are listed in Chapter 7.2 (R1 to R5).” with

“Suitable methods to prevent the control temperature from being exceeded are listed in 7.1.7.4.5.”

(ADR only)