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Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

Forty-second session Geneva, 3-11 December 2012 Item 1 of the provisional agenda **Adoption of the agenda**

Provisional agenda for the forty-second session^{1 2 3}

To be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, 3 December 2012

- 1. Adoption of the agenda.
- 2. Recommendations made by the Sub-Committee on its thirty-ninth, fortieth and forty-first sessions and pending issues:
 - (a) Explosives and related matters;
 - (b) Listing, classification and packing;
 - (c) Electric storage systems;

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¹ Annotations to the agenda will be circulated as document ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/83/Add.1. The deadline for submission of documents is 7 September 2012.

² For reasons of economy, delegates are requested to bring copies of all relevant documents to the session. There will be no documentation available in the conference room. Before the session, documents may be downloaded from the UNECE Transport Division's website (http://www.unece.org/trans/main/dgdb/dgsubc3/c3age.html). During the session, official documents may be obtained from the UNOG Documents Distribution Section (Room C.337, third floor, Palais des Nations).

- (d) Miscellaneous proposals for amendments to the Model Regulations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods.
- 3. Electronic data interchange for documentation purposes.
- 4. Cooperation with the International Atomic Energy Agency.
- 5. Global harmonization of transport of dangerous goods regulations with the Model Regulations.
- 6. Guiding principles for the Model Regulations.
- 7. New proposals for amendments to the Model Regulations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods.⁴
- 8. Issues relating to the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals:
 - (a) Corrosivity criteria;
 - (b) Criteria for water-reactivity;
 - (c) Tests and criteria for oxidizing solids;
 - (d) Known experience;
 - (e) Miscellaneous.
- 9. Programme or work for the biennium 2013–2014.
- 10. Draft resolution 2013/... of the Economic and Social Council.
- 11. Election of officers for the biennium 2013–2014.
- 12. Other business.
- 13. Adoption of the report.

⁴ Documents relating to issues not previously raised in the Sub-Committee during the biennium 2011–2012.