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Comment on ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/73 – editorial correction to SP 172 (d)

Transmitted by the International Air Transport Association (IATA)

- 1. In document ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/73 the Expert from Germany proposes an editorial correction to special provision 172 (d) to replace "subsidiary class" with "subsidiary hazard" on the basis that the term "subsidiary class" is not used in the Model Regulations.
- 2. While that is true, IATA believes that a better change would be to restructure the wording of special provision 172 (d) to more clearly set out the condition. As such IATA proposes that subparagraph (d) of special provision 172 be revised to read as follows:
 - (d) The dangerous goods transport document shall indicate the subsidiary class or division of the subsidiary hazard and, where assigned the packing group as required by 5.4.1.4.1(d) and (e).