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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 Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

Thirteenth session Geneva, 9-11 July 2007

#### PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE THIRTEENTH SESSION

## Addendum

## List of documents and annotations

## 1. Adoption of the agenda

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/25 Provisional agenda for the thirteenth session

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/25/Add.1 List of documents and annotations

## Background documents (Secretariat)

ST/SG/AC.10/30/Rev.1 Globally Harmonized System of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals (GHS), 1st revised edition

ST/SG/AC.10/30/Rev.1/Corr.1,

-/Corr.2 and -/Corr.3

Corrigenda to the first revised edition of the GHS

ST/SG/AC.10/34 Report of the Committee of Experts on its third

session

ST/SG/AC.10/34/Add.3 and -/Corr.1 List of amendments to the first revised edition of

the GHS.

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ST/SG/AC.10/1/Rev.15 Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous

Goods, Model Regulations, 15th revised edition

ST/SG/AC.10/11/Rev.4 and Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous

-Rev.4/Amend.1 and -Rev.4/Amend.2 Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria, 4th revised edition and related amendments

2. Updating of the second revised edition of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

## (a) Physical hazards

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2007/1 (Germany) Substances having explosive properties and

desensitized explosives

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2007/2 (Germany) Amendments to Chapter 2.6 flammable

liquids

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2007/3 (SAAMI) Amendments to Chapter 2.1 (1.4S explosives)

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2007/4 (FEA) Flammable aerosols

#### (b) Health hazards

The representative of the OECD may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about the on-going work on the development of a proposal for the classification of strong versus weak sensitizers.

#### (c) Environmental hazards

The Sub-committee of experts will be informed about the progress of work on: the development of classification and labelling criteria for chemicals hazardous for the terrestrial environment and for ozone depleting chemicals; the proposal for the revision of Chapter 4.1; and, the validation of the protocol on transformation/dissolution of metals and metal compounds in aqueous media.

#### (d) Annexes

Following the mandate given by the Sub-Committee of experts at its twelfth session (see ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/24, par. 20 and 21), the expert from the United Kingdom will inform the Sub-committee of the preliminary results of the discussions of the correspondence group on the revision of annexes 1, 2 and 3 regarding their scope, contents and the target audiences to whom they should be addressed.

## (e) Miscellaneous proposals

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

#### 3. Hazard communication issues

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2007/5 (CEFIC) Labelling of very small packagings

#### 4. Development of guidance on the application of GHS criteria

The expert from the United States of America may wish to update the Sub-Committee on the progress of the work of the correspondence group on classification of mixtures according to GHS criteria.

## 5. Implementation of the GHS

## (a) Reports from Governments or organizations

Experts, observers and organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about the progress in the implementation of the GHS in their respective countries or areas of work.

# (b) Cooperation with other international organizations

International organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee of recent developments in their field regarding the GHS.

### (c) Other implementation issues

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

## 6. Capacity building

Experts, observers and international organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee of any capacity-building activities or projects undertaken in relation to the GHS.

#### 7. Other business

The Sub-Committee will be informed about the outcome of the OECD workshop on the application of the GHS criteria to high production volume chemicals.

## 8. Adoption of the report

In accordance with established practice, the Sub-Committee may wish to adopt the report on its thirteenth session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.

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