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Sub-Committee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

Thirtieth session

Geneva, 9–11 December 2015 Item 1 of the provisional agenda **Adoption of the agenda**

Provisional agenda for the thirtieth session^{1 2 3}

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, starting at 14:30⁴ on Wednesday 9 December 2015

- 1. Adoption of the agenda.
- 2. Joint work with the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG Sub-Committee).

⁴ Documents under agenda item 2 will be discussed jointly with the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG Sub-Committee). The discussion may start during the session of the TDG Sub-Committee on 9 December at 9:30. See the report of the Committee of Experts on its seventh session (ST/SG/AC.10/42 paragraph 17) and the report of the Sub-Committee of Experts on its twenty-ninth session (ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/58, paragraphs 29-30). Additional information in this respect will be provided after 4 September 2015.



Annotations to the agenda will be circulated as document ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/59/Add.1. The deadline for submission of documents is 4 September 2015 for those submitted under agenda item 2 and 16 September 2015 for all other documents.

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/dgsubc4/c4age.html). During the session, official documents may be obtained from the UNOG Documents Distribution Section (Room C.337, third floor, Palais des Nations).

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- 3. Classification criteria and related hazard communication:
 - (a) Dust explosion hazards;
 - (b) Practical classification issues;
 - (c) Aspiration hazard: viscosity criterion for classification of mixtures;
 - (d) Nanomaterials;
 - (e) Miscellaneous.
- 4. Hazard communication issues:
 - (a) Labelling of small packagings;
 - (b) Improvement of annexes 1 to 3 and further rationalization of precautionary statements;
 - (c) Miscellaneous.
- 5. Implementation of the GHS:
 - (a) Development of a list of chemicals classified in accordance with the GHS;
 - (b) Reports on the status of implementation;
 - (c) Cooperation with other bodies or international organizations;
 - (d) Miscellaneous.
- 6. Development of guidance on the application of GHS criteria.
- 7. Capacity building.
- 8. Other business.
- 9. Adoption of the report.