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Flow Charts for Testing Lithium Batteries in Accordance with Section 38.3 of UN Manual of Tests and Criteria

Transmitted by PRBA – The Rechargeable Battery Association and RECHARGE

1. During the lithium battery informal working group meeting in Bordeaux, it was generally agreed that incorporating flow charts into Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria that show testing requirements for lithium cells and batteries would be beneficial.

2. PRBA and RECHARGE are providing two examples of lithium battery flow charts. We welcome comments from members of the Sub-Committee on the idea of incorporating flow charts into Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria.



