

**Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods  
and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification  
and Labelling of Chemicals**

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Transport of Dangerous Goods**

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Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda

**Recommendations made by the Sub-Committee on  
its fifty-first, fifty-second and fifty-third sessions  
and pending issues: review of draft amendments  
already adopted during the biennium**

**Amendments to 7.1.5.4.5 provisionally adopted by the Sub-  
Committee at its fifty-third session (ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/65)**

**Transmitted by the expert from the Netherlands**

1. During the 53<sup>rd</sup> session of the Sub-Committee, the expert from the Netherlands submitted document ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/39 proposing amendments to 7.1.5.4.5 based on discussions carried out in the Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (WP.15) at its 103<sup>rd</sup> session. The proposal was provisionally adopted with minor amendments (see ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/65) pending further review.
  2. Intersessional discussions after the 53<sup>rd</sup> session and further comparisons of the ADR with the Model Regulations have brought to light that the provisionally adopted text may lead to misinterpretations and that further deliberations may be needed in WP.15 to clarify the text. The expert from the Netherlands intends to bring the findings of the intersessional analysis to the attention of the WP.15 for further clarification. Depending on the outcome of these discussions, this issue may be revisited at a later time, if necessary.
  3. In view of the above, the expert from the Netherlands would like to withdraw the provisionally adopted proposal in ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/39 as shown in ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2018/65.
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