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Draft proposal of amendments to Part 5 of RID/ADR/ADN

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NOTE: The proposal is based on ST/SG/AC.10/29/Add.1.
Stricken out text means that the amendment does not seem relevant for RID/ADR/ADN.
Text underlined means alternative wording proposed by the secretariat.
Text in square brackets means that the relevance of the text for RID/ADR/ADN should be discussed by the Working Group of the Joint Meeting.
PART 5

Chapter 5.1

5.1.2.1 (a) Insert "the word "OVERPACK", " after "shall be marked with".

5.1.2.2 Insert the following sentence after "these Regulations, applicable provisions of RID/ADR/ADN": "The "overpack" marking is an indication of compliance with this requirement.".

5.1.5.1.2 (f) Delete "special form" before "approval".

Chapter 5.2

5.2.1.57.4 (a) Replace "an Industrial package Type 1 ", " an Industrial package Type 2" and " an Industrial package Type 3" with " a Type IP-1 package", " a Type IP-2 package" and "a Type IP-3 package" respectively.

(c) Replace "an Industrial package Type 2, an Industrial package Type 3" with " a Type IP-2 package, a Type IP-3 package".

5.2.2.1.6 Amend the beginning of this paragraph to read: "Except as provided in 5.2.2.2.1.2, each label shall:"

5.2.2.1.13 Add a new paragraph to read as follows:

"5.2.2.1.13 [The following orientation label] [Labels conforming to model No. 11] shall be displayed on two opposite sides of cryogenic receptacles intended for the transport carriage of refrigerated liquefied gases. [They shall be rectangular, of standard format A7 (74 × 105 mm). If the size of the package so requires, the dimensions of the labels may be changed, provided that they remain clearly visible.]

Two black or red arrows on white or suitable contrasting background*

5.2.2.2.1.2 Add the following text at the end of the existing paragraph:

"Labels may overlap to the extent provided for by ISO 7225:1994 "Gas cylinders — Precautionary labels”, however, in all cases, the labels representing the primary hazard and the numbers appearing on any label shall remain fully visible and the symbols recognisable."

* Note by the secretariat: Amend the description of label No.11 in 5.2.2.2.2? Note however that the existing model No. 11 of RID/ADR/ADN had been chosen in relation to ISO 780:1983 according to which the symbol need not be framed by border lines and the colour to be used is black.
Chapter 5.3

5.3.1.4 Add "or empty uncleaned bulk containers" after "unpurged tanks" in the first sentence.

5.3.2.1 Insert a new (b) as follows: 
(b) Solids in bulk containers;
and rename existing (b) to (d) accordingly.

Chapter 5.4

[5.4.1.4.3 (b) 5.4.1.1.6 Add ", bulk containers" in the title after "packagings", and in the text between brackets after "IBCs".]

5.4.1.5.7.1 (b) 5.4.1.2.5.1 (k) Amend to read as follows:

"(hk) For consignments of more than one package, the information contained in
5.4.1.4.1 (a) to (c) and 5.4.1.5.7.1 (a) to (g) required in 5.4.1.1.1 and in (a) to (j)
above shall be given for each package. For packages in an overpack, freight
container, or wagon/vehicle/conveyance, a detailed statement of the contents of
each package within the overpack, freight container, or wagon/vehicle/conveyance
and, where appropriate, of each overpack, freight container, or
wagon/vehicle/conveyance shall be included. If packages are to be removed from
the overpack, freight container, or wagon/vehicle/conveyance at a point of
intermediate unloading, appropriate transport documents shall be made
available;".

[5.4.1.5.8 5.4.1.1.17 Add a new paragraph to read as follows:

"5.4.1.5.8 5.4.1.1.17 Transport Special provisions for the carriage of solids in bulk in
containers [conforming to 6.11.4.6]

For bulk containers other than freight containers, When solids substances are
carried in bulk in containers conforming to 6.11.4.6, the following statement shall be
shown on the transport document (see 6.8 11.4.6):

"Bulk container BK(x) approved by the competent authority of…"]

Chapter 5.5

5.5.1.2 Delete the whole paragraph.