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Transport of aerosols for disposal

Comments on ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2004/105 (United States of America)

Transmitted by the European Aerosol Federation (FEA)

1. During the 25th session the Sub-Committee agreed on provisions concerning the transport of aerosols for disposal, see ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/50/Add1. Two areas of the text were left in brackets to be considered in December for editorial amendment.

2. However since then five further papers have appeared:
   - ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2004/105 - (USA) Packagings of waste aerosols sent for disposal and recycling
   - UN/SCETDG/26/INF.32 - (Belgium) Comments on ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2004/100 (Secretariat) and on ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2004/105 (USA)

3. The transport of waste aerosols sent for recycling or disposal represents a real problem in the day-by-day work and FEA welcomes the attention paid by the different experts on this issue.

4. Having worked with the different documents FEA came to the conclusion that the UK proposal, see UN/SCETDG/26/INF.31, represents the best approach.