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NEW PROPOSALS OF AMENDMENTS TO RID/ADR/ADN

Chapter 6.2; Stampmarking

Reinstatement of the note in paragraph 6.2.1.7.6

Transmitted by the European Industrial Gases Association (EIGA) */

Introduction

Editions of the ADR/RID prior to 2005 contained a note which allowed pressure receptacles containing gases whose periods between inspections were 10 years or more to be stamped with the year of the periodic inspection only. In the process of harmonizing the 2005 ADR/RID with the 13th Revision of the UN Model Regulations, this note has been lost.

Proposal

The Joint Meeting is requested to insert the following note at the end of paragraph 6.2.1.7.6. This note was in previous editions of the ADR/RID and is reproduced below as it appeared in 2003, but with the P200 paragraph references updated to reflect the changes made to the 2005 edition.

***NOTE:** The month need not be indicated for gases for which the interval between periodic inspection is ten years or more (see 4.1.4.1 packing instructions P200 (9) and P203 (9)).*

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Furthermore, EIGA requests that, since this change was due to an omission rather than as a result of a conscious decision of the Joint Meeting, the note should be published in a corrigendum to the 2005 editions of the ADR and RID.
