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AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS**

Sub-Committee of Experts on the Globally
Harmonized System of Classification
and Labelling of Chemicals

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Item 2 (a) of the provisional agenda

**UPDATING OF THE SECOND REVISED EDITION OF THE GLOBALLY HARMONIZED
SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS (GHS)**

Physical hazards

Procedure for the classification of ammonium nitrate emulsions, suspensions or gels
(Chapter 2.1, Figure 2.1.4)

Note by the secretariat

1. At the request of the Sub-Committee (ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/30, para. 17) the secretariat reproduces hereafter the proposal for amendment to figure 2.1.4 in Chapter 2.1 of the GHS, initially submitted by the expert from the United Kingdom simultaneously to the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG Sub-Committee) (informal document UN/SCETDG/33INF.42) and to the GHS Sub-Committee (informal document UN/SCEGHS/15/INF.12).
2. The TDG Sub-Committee adopted the proposals of amendments (see ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/66 para. 26), and this was brought to the attention of the GHS Sub-Committee in informal document UN/SCEGHS/15/INF.40.
3. The GHS Sub-Committee agreed in principle to the proposed amendments and requested the secretariat to submit them in an official document for the next session (ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/30, para. 17).

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Proposal

4. In figure 2.1.4 of Chapter 2.1:
 - (a) Amend the title to read as follows: "Procedure for the classification of ammonium nitrate emulsion, suspension or gel (ANE)"
 - (b) Amend the text in the last box on the left hand side to read as follows:
"ANE substance/mixture shall be classified as a Category 2 oxidizing liquid or a Category 2 oxidizing solid; (Chapters 2.13 and 2.14)"
