

Joint Meeting of the RID Safety Committee and the  
 Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

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 Item 3 of the agenda

STANDARDS

**Report of the Standards Working Group  
 (10<sup>th</sup> meeting)**

The Standards Working Group (WG) met outside the plenary sessions of the Joint Meeting under the chairmanship of Mr K. Wieser. The WG was tasked by the Plenary Meeting to consider

- the consolidated comments on the standards submitted to the delegates of the Joint Meeting as distributed by **INF.7/rev**;
- the outcome of the discussion by the Tank working group on **INF.’s 14, 16 and 18** dealing with the transition periods and
- **INF.’s 14, and 16** with respect to the transition period for pressure receptacles.

The proposals to adopt the reference to standards that are at stage 3 (Formal vote) are summarised below. These proposals are related to RID/ADR/ADN 2009 and RID/ADR/ADN 2011. Included are also recommendations on the transition clauses to be considered.

The WG found that **INF.16** has no impact on the proposed amendments with respect to pressure receptacle standards. The RID/ADR/ADN paragraphs addressed in INF.16 are not declared as “applicable subsections and paragraphs” as far as the standards on pressure receptacles listed below concerns.

The WG became aware of the result of the discussion by the tank working group, which couldn’ find an agreed solution for the transition regulations on tanks adressed in **INF. 14 and 18**. This is why there are blanks in the table under 1.2 below.

The reaction of the WG on the comments compiled in INF.7/rev. will be made available as **INF.7/rev2**.

**Proposals to amend RID/ADR/ADN**

**1 Amendment of RID/ADR/ADN 2009**

**1.1 Proposal:** modify the existing reference to the indicated standard in the table to **6.2.4** when the amendment is published:

Reference	Title of document	Appl. sub-sections and paragraphs	Mandatory application for press. rec. constructed	Application authorized for press. rec. constructed
<i>for closures</i>				
Replace: <b>EN 13152:2001</b> by : <b>EN 13152:2001+A1:2003</b>	<b>Specification and testing of LPG cylinder valves - Self closing</b>	<b>4.1.6.8 and 6.2.3.3</b>	As from <b>1 January 2009</b>	Before <b>1 January 2009</b>
Replace: <b>EN 13153:2001</b> by : <b>EN 13152:2001+A1:2003</b>	<b>Specification and testing of LPG cylinder valves – Manually operated</b>	<b>4.1.6.8 and 6.2.3.3</b>	As from <b>1 January 2009</b>	Before <b>1 January 2009</b>

**1.2 Proposal:** modify the existing reference to the indicated standard in the table to **6.8.2.6** when the amendments are published:

Reference	Title of document	Appl. sub-sections and paragraphs	Mandatory application for press. rec. constructed	Application authorized for press. rec. constructed
<i>ADR: for tanks for gases of Class 2</i>				
Replace : EN 14025:2003 by : EN 14025 :2008	Tanks for the transport of dangerous goods – Metallic pressure tanks – Design and construction	6.8.2.1		
<i>For tanks intended for the carriage of liquid petroleum products....</i>				
Replace : EN 13094 :2004 by : EN 13094 :2008	Tanks for the transport of dangerous goods – Metallic tanks with a working pressure not exceeding 0,5 bar – Design and construction	6.8.2.1		

## 2 Amendment of RID/ADR/ADN 2011

**2.1 Proposal:** modify the existing reference to the indicated standard in the table to 4.1.6.14 when the amendment is published:

Reference	Title of document	Appl. sub-sections a. paras	Mandatory application for press. rec. constructed	Application authorized for press. rec. constructed
<i>for design and construction</i>				
Replace: EN ISO 11117:1998 by : EN ISO 11117:2008	Gas cylinders – Valve caps and valve guards – Design, construction and tests	4.1.6.8 <sup>1)</sup>	As from 1 January 2011	Before 1 January 2011

<sup>1)</sup> It was noted that in UN/RID/ADR/AND 4.1.6.8 (e-f) the term “packaging” is used. In order to avoid any misunderstanding of the term packaging (which could be the receptacle or the outer box) and a possible conflict between standard and regulations, the text of (f) is suggested to be amended to: “For UN pressure receptacles the ~~packaging~~ package as prepared for carriage shall be capable of meeting the drop test specified in 6.1.5.3 at the packing group I performance level.”

**2.2 Proposal:** modify the existing reference to the indicated standard in the table to 6.8.2.6 when the amendment is published:

Reference	Title of document	Appl. sub-sections a. paras	Mandatory application for press. rec. constructed	Application authorized for press. rec. constructed
<i>For tanks intended for the carriage of liquid petroleum products....</i>				
Replace: EN 13082 :2000 by EN 13082:2008	Tanks for transport of dangerous goods — Service equipment for tanks — Vapour transfer valve	6.8.2.2 and 6.8.2.4.1	As from 1 January 2011	Before 1 January 2011