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MISCELLANEOUS PROPOSALS OF AMENDMENTS TO THE MODEL REGULATIONS ON THE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

Addendum to ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2009/1 (Marking of large packagings)

Transmitted by the expert from Sweden

Transitional provisions

1. In document ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2009/1, the expert from Sweden proposes to insert a requirement for minimum size of the primary marking on large packagings in 6.6.3.1 in the UN Model Regulations. This would be in line with the requirements for packagings and IBCs in Chapter 6.1, 6.3 and 6.5. However, the proposal does not include provisions for a transitional period. Sweden believes such provisions may be needed and that the requirement only should apply to new packagings.

Proposal

2. The expert from Sweden would like to propose that the following transitional measures be inserted as a note under 6.6.3.1:

“**NOTE:** The size requirement for the primary marking shall apply for large packagings manufactured as from [1 January 2013].”
