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Proposals for amendments to Annexes A and B of ADR:
pending issues

Special packing provision L3

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Introduction

1. Reference is made to the draft amendments to annexes A and B of ADR in document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/213.

2. For Table A of Chapter 3.2 the following amendment appears:
"For UN Nos. 2208 and 3486, add "L3" against "LP02" in column (9a)."

3. However, the corresponding amendment to add a special packing provision "L3" to packing instruction LP02 is missing. This is perhaps due to the fact that special packing provision "L3" of the UN Model Regulations is addressed to sea transport only ("L3: For UN Nos. 2208 and 3486, transport by sea in large packagings is prohibited.").

Proposal

4. Add the following new amendment:

4.1.4.3
LP02
Add the following new special packing provision L3:
"L3 Note: For UN Nos. 2208 and 3486, transport by sea in large packagings is prohibited."

Justification

5. Even if this restriction only applies to carriages by sea a reference could also be made in RID/ADR. This should be done in form of a Note as in special packing provision B13 to packing instruction IBC08.