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Note by the secretariat

The secretariat reproduces hereafter the amendments and corrections to RID/ADR/ADN for entry into force on 1 January 2013 as adopted by the Joint Meeting at its March 2012 session (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/126, annexes II and IV).

The amendments already included in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/213 or not applicable to ADR are not reproduced.

The corrections to the French text of 3.4.7 and 3.4.8 are already included in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/213. They will be made accordingly in the 2013 version, but the Joint Meeting requested the competent authorities to take it into account and to inform the control authorities accordingly.

I. Draft amendments to RID, ADR, ADN for entry into force on 1 January 2013

A. Corrections to document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/213

Part 1

Chapter 1.6

1.6.1.25 At the beginning, after "Packages" insert "and overpacks".

Part 3

Chapter 3.3

SP207 The amendment to the English text should read:

"SP 207 Before "moulding compounds", insert "plastics".

Part 4

Chapter 4.1

4.1.4.1 P200 Amend the amendment concerning the Note to paragraph (3) (d) to read as follows:

"P200 In paragraph (3) (d), in the Note, at the end, replace "which approved the receptacles" by "or body designated by this authority which issued the type approval".

4.1.4.1 P200 In the text of the new paragraph (7) (b) replace "ISO 9162" by "ISO 9162:1989".

4.1.4.1 P200 (9) Amend the amendment concerning paragraph (9) to read as follows:

"P200 (9) At the end of the last paragraph, replace "by the competent authority of the Contracting Party to ADR which has approved the technical code for the design and construction" by "by the competent authority or body designated by this authority which issued the type approval".

4.1.4.1 P200 In the amendment to paragraph (12) 2.5 replace "ISO 9162" by "ISO 9162:1989".

Part 5

Chapter 5.1

5.1.2.1 (a) (ii) After "marked with the UN number preceded by the letters "UN"", insert "as required for packages in 5.2.1.1 and 5.2.1.2".

Part 6

Chapter 6.2

6.2.4.1 In the amendments for standards "EN 1975:1999 + A1:2003", "EN 12245:2002" and "EN 13769:2003 + A1:2005", replace "Before 1 January 2015" by "Until 31 December 2014".

6.2.4.1 The amendment concerning the introduction of standard "EN ISO 7866:2011" is put in square brackets.

6.2.4.1 In the amendment concerning the introduction of standard "EN 14638-3:2010", replace "EN 14638-3:2010" by "EN 14638-3:2010/AC".

6.2.4.2 In the new standards to be introduced, delete standard "EN 15888:2011".

Chapter 6.8

6.8.2.6.1 For the new standard to be introduced "EN 12493:2008 + A1:2012", in column (3), delete "1.2.1, 6.8.1".

B. New amendments

Part 1

Chapter 1.4

1.4.3.3 (h) Amend "the orange plates and placards or labels prescribed" to read "the orange plates, labels or placards as well as marks for elevated temperature substances and environmentally hazardous substances prescribed".

Chapter 1.6

1.6.2.2 Amend to read as follows "1.6.2.2 (Deleted)".

1.6.3 Insert the following new transitional provision:

"1.6.3.43 Fixed tanks (tank-vehicles) and demountable tanks constructed before 1 January 2012 in accordance with the requirements in force up to 31 December 2012, but which do not however conform to the requirements of 6.8.2.6 relating to standards EN 14432:2006 and EN 14433:2006 applicable as from 1 January 2011, may still be used."

1.6.4 Insert the following new transitional provision:

"1.6.4.46 Tank-containers constructed before 1 January 2012 in accordance with the requirements in force up to 31 December 2012, but which do not however conform to the requirements of 6.8.2.6 relating to standards EN 14432:2006 and EN 14433:2006 applicable as from 1 January 2011, may still be used."

Part 3

Chapter 3.2

Table A For UN Nos. 3090, 3091, 3480 and 3481, in column (6) insert "661".

Chapter 3.3

Add the following new special provision:

"661 Carriage of damaged lithium batteries if not collected and presented for carriage for disposal according to special provision 636 is permitted only under additional conditions defined by the competent authority of any Contracting Party to ADR who may also recognise an approval granted by the competent authority of a country which is not a Contracting Party to ADR, provided that this approval has been granted in accordance with the procedures applicable according to RID and ADR.

Only packing methods which are approved for these goods by the competent authority may be used.

The competent authority may define a more restrictive transport category or tunnel restriction code, which shall be included in the competent authority approval.

A copy of the competent authority approval shall accompany each consignment or the transport document shall include a reference to the competent authority approval.

The competent authority of the Contracting Party to ADR granting an approval in accordance with this special provision shall notify the secretariat of the UNECE for the purpose of circulation of this information through its website.

NOTE: Any recommendations made by the United Nations for technical requirements for the carriage of damaged lithium batteries shall be considered when granting the approval.

Damaged lithium batteries means in particular:

- Batteries identified by the manufacturer as being defective for safety reasons;
- Batteries with damaged or considerably deformed cases;
- Leaking or venting batteries; or
- Batteries with faults that cannot be diagnosed prior to carriage to a place of analysis."

Part 6

6.2.4.1 In the Table, under "for design and construction", make the following amendments:

- In column (4), replace "Before 1 July 2003" by "Until 30 June 2003" (once).
- In column (4), replace "Before 1 July 2005" by "Until 30 June 2005" (once).
- In column (4), replace "Before 1 July 2007" by "Until 30 June 2007" (five times).
- In the row for standard "EN 13110:2002", amend the text in column (4) to read "Until 31 December 2014".
- After the entry for standard "EN 13110:2002", insert the following standard:

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
EN 13110:[2012] except clause 9	Transportable refillable welded aluminium cylinders for liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) – Design and construction	6.2.3.1 and 6.2.3.4	Until further notice	

6.2.4.2 In the Table, make the following amendments:

- In the row for standard "EN 14189:2003", amend the text in column (3) to read: "Until 31 December 2014".
- After the entry for standard "EN 14189:2003", insert the following new standard:

Reference	Title of document	applicable
(1)	(2)	(3)
EN ISO 22434:2012	Transportable gas cylinders – Inspection and maintenance of cylinder valves (ISO 22434:2006)	Mandatorily from 1 January 2015

Chapter 6.8

6.8.2.3.1 At the end, add the following sub-paragraph:

"The competent authority or a body designated by that authority may carry out a separate type approval of valves and other service equipment for which a standard is listed in the table in 6.8.2.6.1, in accordance with that standard. This separate type approval shall be taken into account when issuing the certificate for the tank, if the test results are presented and the valves and other service equipment are fit for the intended use."

6.8.2.6.1 For standard "EN 12493:2008", in column (3), delete "1.2.1, 6.8.1,".

6.8.2.6.2 Replace the title of column (4) of the table by "Applicable".

Part 9*Chapter 9.2*

9.2.2.5.1 (a) In footnote 2, delete "EN 50015,".

II. Corrections to RID, ADR and ADN**Chapter 3.4**

3.4.7 [The amendment in the French version does not apply to the English text.]

3.4.8 [The amendment in the French version does not apply to the English text.]
