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Proposals for amendments to RID/ADR/ADN:
new proposals

Editorial modification in 5.4.1.1.3

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Introduction

1. According to 5.4.1.1.3 of RID/ADR/ADN:

«If the provision for waste as set out in 2.1.3.5.5 is applied, the following shall be added to the proper shipping name:

"WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5" (e.g. "UN 3264, CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., 8, II, (E), WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5").»

2. According to the example hereabove, the words "WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5" should not be added to the proper shipping name, but to the dangerous goods description required in 5.4.1.1.1 a) to d) and k).

3. Otherwise, in the example the words "WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5" would appear just after the proper shipping name « UN 3264, CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S.», which is obviously not the case.

Proposition

4. Modify 5.4.1.1.3 as follows:

« If the provision for waste as set out in 2.1.3.5.5 is applied, the following shall be added to the proper shipping name the dangerous goods description required in 5.4.1.1.1 a) to d) and k):

"WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5" (e.g. "UN 3264, CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S., 8, II, (E), WASTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 2.1.3.5.5").»

5. No consequential amendment needed.