Transitional measures for tanks

Note by the secretariat

1.6.4.31

1. Transitional measure 1.6.4.31 is valid until 31 December 2014. The Tank Working Group may wish to consider its deletion in RID/ADR 2015.

“1.6.4.31 For substances where TP35 is assigned in column (11) of Table A of Chapter 3.2, portable tank instruction T14 prescribed in ADR applicable up to 31 December 2008 may continue to be applied until 31 December 2014.”.

1.6.4.15 and 1.6.3.25

2. The representative of France informed the secretariat that while 1.6.3.25 was deleted in the 2013 Edition, the corresponding transitional measure for tank containers, portable tanks and MEGCs 1.6.4.15 was kept.

“1.6.3.25 The type of the test ("P" or "L") required by 6.8.2.5.1 need not be added to the tank plate until the first test after 1 January 2007 is performed.”.

(Deleted in RID/ADR 2013)

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3. The deletion of 1.6.3.25 was discussed and adopted at the 91st session of WP.15 (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/212) and subsequently at the 50th session of the RID Committee of Experts (OTIF/RID/CE/2011-A).

4. As, at least an intermediate inspection in accordance with 6.8.2.4.3 was performed since 1 January 2007 (even for tanks intended for the carriage of refrigerated liquefied gases), the Tank Working Group may wish to consider the deletion of 1.6.4.15.