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## **RID/ADR/ADN**

Joint Meeting of the RID Committee of Experts and the Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (Berne, 14 - 18 March 2016)

Agenda item 6: Reports of informal working groups

<u>Invitation to the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the informal working group on the transport of waste electrical and electronic equipment on 27 and 28 April 2016</u>

## **Transmitted by the Government of Germany**

## Introduction

- At it session in September 2015, the Joint Meeting noted the results of the informal working group on the transport of waste electrical and electronic equipment and adopted the programme for the continuation of its work. In addition, the Joint Meeting provisionally accepted the proposals drawn up by the working group for the amendment of special provision 636, see also paragraph 72 of the report of the last Joint Meeting (document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/ AC.1/140).
- 2. In the meantime, the industry associations and the delegations of the Joint Meeting have been asked to submit by the end of February 2016 further information concerning lithium batteries in waste electrical and electronic equipment based on the questionnaire in accordance with Annex II of informal document INF.13 of the last Joint Meeting. The information submitted will serve as the basis for the further discussions of the working group.

## Invitation

3. Germany will host the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the informal working group on the transport of waste electrical and electronic equipment:

Start: 27 April 2016, 10:00 hrs

End: 28 April 2016, approx. 15:00 hrs

Venue: Bundesministerium für Verkehr und digitale Infrastruktur (BMVI)

Robert-Schuman-Platz 1

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Persons interested in participating are asked to register with the Federal Ministry of Transport and Digital Infrastructure **by 11 April 2016** by sending an email to the following address: <a href="mailto:ref-q24@bmvi.bund.de">ref-q24@bmvi.bund.de</a>.

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