1. By derogation from subsection 3.2.3.1, Column (16) and Chapter 9.3 of the Regulations annexed to ADN, tank vessels, whose substance list includes substances assigned to explosion group II B but which are equipped with flame arresters for explosion group II B3, may continue to be equipped with flame arresters for explosion group II B3 for the carriage of those dangerous goods of their substance list that are assigned to explosion group II B, until the renewal of the Certificate of Approval after 31 December 2018.

2. This Agreement shall be valid until 31 December 2021 for the carriage on the territories of those ADN Contracting Parties signatory to this Agreement.

If it is revoked in whole or in part before that date by one of the signatories, it shall remain valid until the above mentioned date only for carriage on the territories of those ADN Contracting Parties signatory to this Agreement which have not revoked it.