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The Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine presents its compliments to the ADN Administrative Committee of the UN Economic Commission for Europe and has the honor to address with the following.

According to the Subsection 1.15.2.3. of the Regulations annexed to the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN), which form its integral part, the Administrative Committee has established a list of classification societies recommended for recognition by the Contracting Parties to the ADN, to which the Shipping Register of Ukraine is also included.

Moreover, following the Subsection 1.15.2.4 of the Regulations annexed to the ADN, each Contracting Party may decide to recognize the recommended classification society. In accordance with this provision the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine took a decision to recognize the Shipping Register of Ukraine, which is as stated above included to the list of recommended ADN classification societies.

The Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine takes this opportunity to renew to the ADN Administrative Committee of the UN Economic Commission for Europe the assurances of its highest consideration.

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