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

ECE Regulations in RID/ADR/ADN

Note by the secretariat

Introduction

1. In RID and ADR 2017, regulations annexed to the Agreement concerning the adoption of uniform technical prescriptions for wheeled vehicles equipment and parts which can be fitted and or used on wheeled vehicles and the conditions for reciprocal recognition of approvals granted on the basis of these prescriptions (1958 Agreement, as amended) are defined as "*ECE Regulations*" ("*Règlement ECE*" in French/"*Правила ЕЭК*" in Russian).
2. This term is used in special provision 660 of RID/ADR/ADN 2017 but not in the text as amended for 2019.
3. This term will be used in the next edition of RID/ADR/ADN in new special provision 392 (a).
4. The secretariat of the World Forum for the Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations (WP.29) informed us that in Revision 3 of the 1958 Agreement the Regulations annexed to the 1958 Agreement are designated as UN Regulations. Revision 3 entered into force on 14 September 2017.
5. The Joint Meeting may wish to amend the term used in the definitions in 1.2.1 and in new special provision 392 (a) accordingly.
6. The same modification will also be needed in other parts of ADR:
 - 1.6.5.7, 1.6.5.13, 1.6.5.16 and related footnotes;
 - 7.5.7.6.1 and related footnote 2;
 - 9.1.1, 9.1.2.1 and 9.1.2.2 (twice) and footnotes 2 and 3 in Chapter 9.1;
 - 9.2.1.1 (twice), 9.2.2.6.2, 9.2.3.1.1, 9.2.3.1.2, 9.2.4.3 (b) (3 times), 9.2.4.4 (4 times), 9.2.4.7.1, 9.2.5, 9.2.6 and footnotes 2, 4, 5-9 in Chapter 9.2;
 - 9.7.5.2 and related footnote 1.

Proposal

In RID/ADR:

In 1.2.1, for the definition of “ECE Regulation” replace “ECE Regulation” by “UN Regulation”.

Remplacer “Règlement ECE” par “Règlement de l’ONU”.

Заменить «Правила ЕЭК» на «Правила ООН».

In RID/ADR/ADN:

In new special provision 392 (b), in the table, replace “ECE Regulation” by “UN Regulation” (4 times).

Remplacer “Règlement ECE” par “Règlement de l’ONU”.

Заменить «Правила ЕЭК» на «Правила ООН».
