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DANGEROUS GOODS AND ON THE GLOBALLY  
HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION  
AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS**

Sub-Committee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized  
System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

Eighteenth session  
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PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE EIGHTEENTH SESSION

Addendum

List of documents and annotations

**1. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/35      Provisional agenda for the eighteenth session  
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/35/Add.1      List of documents and annotations

Background documents (Secretariat)

ST/SG/AC.10/30/Rev.3      Globally Harmonized System of Classification and  
Labelling of Chemicals (GHS), 3rd revised edition  
ST/SG/AC.10/1/Rev.16      Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods,  
Model Regulations, 16th revised edition  
ST/SG/AC.10/11/Rev.5      Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods,  
Manual of Tests and Criteria, 5th revised edition  
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/34      Report of the Sub-Committee of Experts on its  
17th session

ST/SG/AC.10/36 and Corr.1	Report of the Committee on its 4th session
ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.1	Amendments to the 15th revised edition of the UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Model Regulations
ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.2	Amendments to the 4th revised edition of the UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Tests and Criteria
ST/SG/AC.10/36/Add.3	Amendments to the 2nd revised edition of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

## 2. **UPDATING OF THE THIRD REVISED EDITION OF THE GLOBALLY HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS (GHS)**

### **(a) Physical hazards**

The Sub-Committee will be informed about the outcome of the work of the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG Sub-Committee) on any matters of concern to the GHS Sub-Committee related to physical hazards.

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2009/8 (EIGA)	Correction to the criterion for flammability of gas mixtures in 2.2.5
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### **(b) Health hazards**

The expert from Germany may wish to provide an update on the progress of the work of the correspondence group on the editorial review of Chapters 3.2 and 3.3 of the GHS.

### **(c) Environmental hazards**

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

### **(d) Annexes**

The expert from the United Kingdom may wish to provide an update on the work of the correspondence group on the improvement of annexes 1, 2 and 3 of the GHS.

### **(e) Miscellaneous proposals**

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

## 3. **HAZARD COMMUNICATION ISSUES**

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2009/9 (Germany/United Kingdom/EIGA)	Pictogram for gases under pressure
ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2009/11 (Australia)	Additional information on physical and chemical properties for inclusion on the guidance on the preparation of Safety Data Sheets (SDS)

The Sub-Committee will be informed about the progress of the work of the informal working group on labelling of small packagings.

**4. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE GHS**

**(a) Implementation issues**

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

**(b) Reports on the status of implementation**

Experts, observers and organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee about progress in the GHS implementation in their respective countries or areas of work.

**(c) Cooperation with other bodies or international organizations**

The Sub-Committee may wish to note that several documents have been submitted to the TDG Sub-Committee in relation to the proposal made by the Netherlands for further alignment of the transport criteria for corrosivity and the GHS. The related documents are listed under item 10 of the agenda for the 36th session of the TDG Sub-Committee (ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/71/Add.1).

**(d) Miscellaneous**

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

**5. DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDANCE ON THE APPLICATION OF GHS CRITERIA**

At the time of writing no document has been submitted under this agenda item.

**6. CAPACITY BUILDING**

Experts, observers and international organizations may wish to inform the Sub-Committee of any capacity-building activities or projects undertaken in relation to the GHS.

**7. OTHER BUSINESS**

ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2009/10 (Chairperson/ Secretariat)	Publication of sector-specific guidance for the application of the GHS
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**8. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT**

In accordance with established practice, the Sub-Committee may wish to adopt the report on its eighteenth session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.

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