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Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

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Joint Meeting of Experts on the Regulations annexed to the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN) (ADN Safety Committee)**Thirty-eighth session**

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Item 1 of the provisional agenda

Adoption of the agenda

Provisional agenda for the thirty-eighth session**Addendum****List of documents by agenda item and annotations****1. Adoption of the agenda**

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/77 (Secretariat)	Provisional agenda
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/77/Add.1 (Secretariat)	List of documents by agenda item and annotations
Informal document INF.1 (Secretariat)	List of all documents by agenda item
Background documents	
ECE/TRANS/301, Vols. I and II	ADN 2021
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/76	Report of the ADN Safety Committee on its thirty-seventh session

2. Matters arising from the work of United Nations bodies or other organizations

The Safety Committee may wish to be informed of the activities of other bodies and organizations that have a bearing on its work.

Informal document INF.6 (CCNR)	Status on stability booklet requirements
Informal document INF.9 (CCNR)	Documents and other records on board in electronic form
Informal document INF.14 (Danube Commission)	Report from the Danube Commission

3. Implementation of the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN)**(a) Status of ADN**

The Safety Committee will be informed about the status of the ADN.

(b) Special authorizations, derogations and equivalents

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/20 and informal document INF.3 (Netherlands) Special authorization concerning UN 1288 SHALE OIL

Informal document INF.17 (Netherlands) Request for recommendation for Invoxis IX on the basis of 9.1.0.40.2.16 – Fixed fire-extinguishing system for physical protection

(c) Interpretation of the Regulations annexed to ADN

The Safety Committee is invited to discuss the interpretation of any other provisions of the Regulations annexed to ADN which are considered to be ambiguous or unclear.

(d) Training of experts

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/11, ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/12 and ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/13 (CCNR) ADN Catalogue of questions 2021

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/14 (CCNR) Directive of the Administrative Committee on the use of the catalogue of questions for the ADN expert examination (Chapter 8.2 of ADN)

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/15 (Austria) Corrections of the catalogue of questions - general

It is recalled that Contracting Parties are invited to submit their model expert certificates to the UNECE secretariat so that the secretariat can make them available on the website. Countries are also invited to share their statistics on examinations.

(e) Matters related to classification societies

The list of classification societies recognised by ADN Contracting Parties can be found at the following link: <https://unece.org/classification-societies>.

4. Proposals for amendments to the Regulations annexed to ADN**(a) Work of the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting**

The Safety Committee may wish to note that the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting at its autumn 2020 and spring 2021 sessions adopted draft amendments to RID/ADR/ADN. These are reproduced in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/158, annex II and ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/160, annex II. The Safety Committee may also wish to consider these proposed amendments taking into account those adopted by the Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (WP.15) at its 108th and 109th sessions (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/251, annex I and ECE/TRANS/WP.15/253, annex I).

The Safety Committee may wish to note that at its next autumn 2021 session, the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting will consider proposals of harmonization with the twenty-second revised edition of the United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, contained in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2021/24 and Add.1.

(b) Other proposals

The following proposals for amendments have been received:

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/16 (Danube Commission) Proposals for amendments

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/17 (CCNR)	Proposal for amendment of Article 7.2.4.41 regarding electronic cigarette limitations
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/19 (Germany)	Various amendments and corrections to ADN 2021 subject to notification
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/21 (Germany)	Section 8.2.1 ADN - Requirements for the training of experts
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/22 (Germany)	Carriage of fumigated bulk cargoes in cargo holds and fumigated cargo holds of dry-cargo vessels
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/23 (Germany)	Parts 4 and 6 of ADN – derogations due to multilateral agreements in accordance with ADR/RID
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/24 (CCNR)	Proposal of correction to paragraph 9.3.3.60
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/25 (EBU and ESO)	Provisions of cofferdams
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/26 and informal document INF.2 (Netherlands)	Loading and unloading instructions
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/27 (Belgium and the Netherlands)	Certificate of approval for dry cargo vessels
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/28 (Netherlands)	3.2.3.3 Scheme B
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/30 (EBU and ESO)	Construction materials
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/31 (CCNR)	Harmonisation of the terminology used in 8.1.2.2 (f) and 8.1.2.3 (s) of ADN 2021
Informal document INF.4 (CCNR)	Harmonisation of terminology used in 1.9.3 (c) of ADN 2021
Informal document INF.5 (Austria)	Carriage of fumigated bulk cargoes in cargo holds and fumigated cargo holds of dry-cargo vessels
Informal document INF.8 (CCNR)	Use of consistent terminology on damage stability calculations at 9.3.1.15.2, 9.3.2.15.2 and 9.3.3.15.2
Informal document INF.10 (FuelsEurope)	Table C - UN 1202, second entry: GAS OIL complying with standard EN 590:2013 + A1:2017 or DIESEL FUEL or HEATING OIL, LIGHT with flashpoint as specified in EN 590:2013 + A1:2017
Informal document INF.11 (FuelsEurope)	Proposal to correct two UN 3295 entries in Table C
Informal document INF.12 (FuelsEurope)	Request for merging two UN 1202 entries into one
Informal document INF.13 (FuelsEurope)	UN 1972 - Request to correct an inconsistency in Table C, Column (2)

Informal document INF.15
(EBU/ESO)

Minor conflict of allowed location of cooking
and refrigeration appliances between ADN
7.2.3.41.2 and 9.3.x.41.2

5. Reports of informal working groups

The Safety Committee is invited to consider the report of the twenty-first meeting of the Group of Recommended ADN Classification Societies (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/18).

The Safety Committee is invited to consider the report of the fifth meeting of the informal working group “loading on top of barges” (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/29).

Reports of other informal working groups received after the issuance of the present annotated agenda will be presented in informal documents.

Informal document INF.16/Rev.1
(Germany)

Report on the twenty-first Meeting of the ADN
Recommended Classification Societies Group -
ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/2021/18, section III a),
paragraph 9.3.x.53.1 of ADN

6. Programme of work and calendar of meetings

The twenty-sixth session of the ADN Administrative Committee will take place on 27 August 2021 starting at 11.30 a.m. The thirty-ninth session of the ADN Safety Committee is scheduled to be held in Geneva from 24-28 January 2022. The twenty-seventh session of the ADN Administrative Committee is scheduled to take place on 28 January 2022. The deadline for the submission of documents for those sessions is 29 October 2021.

7. Any other business

Informal document INF.7 (Austria, Germany and the Netherlands) Rules of Procedure for the ADN Safety Committee

The Safety Committee is invited to consider any other business to do with its work under this agenda item.

8. Adoption of the report

The Safety Committee may wish to adopt the report on its thirty-eighth session on the basis of a draft prepared by the secretariat.
