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Geneva, 9-13 May 2022 Item 1 of the provisional agenda **Adoption of the agenda**

Provisional agenda for the 111th session

Addendum

Annotations and list of documents

1. Adoption of the agenda

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/257 Provisional agenda for the 111th session ECE/TRANS/WP.15/257/Add.1 Annotations and list of documents

Background documents

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/190/Add.1 Terms of Reference and Rules of Procedure of

the Working Party

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/255 Report of the Working Party on its 110th session

(Geneva, 8-12 November 2021)

ECE/TRANS/300 and Corr.1-3 Agreement concerning the International Carriage

of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) applicable

as from 1 January 2021

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/256 Draft amendments to annexes A and B of ADR

2. Eighty-fourth session of the Inland Transport Committee

A member of secretariat will inform the Working Party of the decisions of the Inland Transport Committee at its eighty-fourth session (Geneva, 23-24 February 2022) which require follow-up action by subsidiary bodies.

3. Status of the Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) and related issues

A member of the secretariat will inform the Working Party of the status of ADR, the Protocol of amendment of 1993, special agreements and notifications in accordance with Chapter 1.9.

At the time of drafting this document, there were no changes to the status of ADR (52 Contracting Parties).

With the accession of Georgia (29 December 2021) the number of Contracting Parties to the Protocol of amendment of 1993 is now 40.

4. Work of the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/255,

paragraph 33

+ ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2022/2

(OTIF secretariat)

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/162,

paragraph 15

+ ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2022/12

(Liquid Gas Europe)

Report of the Working Party on its 110th session (pending issue: draft amendment to 6.8.2.2.4 and corresponding transitional measure)

Report of the Joint Meeting on its autumn 2021 session (pending issue: mark for tanks equipped with safety valves)

The secretariat will inform the Working Party of additional texts adopted by the Joint Meeting on its spring 2022 session for entry into force on 1 January 2023.

Report of the Working Party on its 110th

session (pending issue: referenced standards)

5. Proposals for amendments to annexes A and B of ADR

(a) Construction and approval of vehicles

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/255, paragraph 32

and annex III

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2022/4 Standards for automotive electrical cable (Netherlands on behalf of the informal working group on electrified vehicles)

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2022/5 Battery electric vehicles (Netherlands on behalf of the informal working group on electrified vehicles)

(b) Miscellaneous proposals

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2022/2 (Germany) Chapters 8.4/8.5 – Requirements concerning the supervision of vehicles

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2022/3 (Norway and Sweden) Requirements on security for dangerous goods carried in accordance with 1.1.3.6

6. Interpretation of ADR

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2022/1 (Sweden) Section 8.2.2 – Remote ADR training

7. Programme of work

No document has been submitted under this agenda item.

8. Any other business

(a) Circular economy and sustainable use of natural resources

Delegations wishing to present information on this subject at the 111th session of the Working Party are invited to inform the secretariat as soon as possible before the session.

(b) Miscellaneous issues

No document has been submitted under this agenda item.

If time permits, the secretary of the Working Party on Transport Trends and Economics (WP.5) will present the Sustainable Inland Transport Connectivity Indicators (SITCIN) (which include a cluster of indicators related to ADR). See https://unece.org/transport/documents/2021/07/working-documents/sustainable-inland-transport-connectivity-0.

9. Adoption of the report

In accordance with established practice, the Working Party will adopt the report of the session on the basis of a draft established by the secretariat.