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Inland Transport Committee

**Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods**

**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)**

**Forty-second session**

Geneva, 21-25 August 2023

Item 1 of the provisional agenda

**Adoption of the agenda**

Provisional agenda for the forty-second session [[1]](#footnote-2)\*, [[2]](#footnote-3)\*\*, [[3]](#footnote-4)\*\*\*

To be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva,   
from Monday 21 August 2023, 10 a.m. to Friday 25 August 2023, 12.00 p.m.

1. Adoption of the agenda.

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

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

(a) Status of ADN;

(b) Special authorizations, derogations and equivalents;

(c) Interpretation of the Regulations annexed to ADN;

(d) Training of experts;

(e) Matters related to classification societies.

4. Proposals for amendments to the Regulations annexed to ADN:

(a) Work of the RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting;

(b) Other proposals.

5. Reports of informal working groups.

6. 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. (Circular economy, sustainable use of natural resources and Sustainable Development Goals).

7. Programme of work and calendar of meetings.

8. Any other business.

9. Adoption of the report.

1. \* The annotations to the agenda and a list of documents will be issued as document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/85/Add.1. Any amendment proposals or other documents should be submitted in English, French or Russian to the UNECE secretariat or in German to the Central Commission for the Navigation of the Rhine before 29 May 2023. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. \*\* For reasons of economy, delegates are requested to bring copies of all relevant documents to the session. There will be no documentation available in the conference room. Before the session, documents may be downloaded from the UNECE Sustainable Transport Division's website: <https://unece.org/info/Transport/Dangerous-Goods/events/376780>. On an exceptional basis, documents may also be obtained by e-mail (nadiya.dzyubynska@un.org). During the session, official documents may be obtained from the UNOG Documents Distribution Section (Door 40, second floor, E building, Palais des Nations). [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. \*\*\* Delegates are requested to register online using the registration system Indico (https://indico.un.org/event/1002191/). Upon arrival at the Palais des Nations, delegates should obtain an identification badge at the UNOG Security and Safety Section, located at the Pregny Gate (14, Avenue de la Paix). If the construction work has not finished registration will take place at the Villa Les Feuillantines, Avenue de la Paix 13, 1211 Genève 10. In case of difficulty, please contact the secretariat by telephone (ext. 71469). For a map of the Palais des Nations and other useful information, see the website (www.unece.org/practical-information-delegates). [↑](#footnote-ref-4)