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Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

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Item 1 of the provisional agenda
Adoption of the agenda

Provisional agenda for the 114th session
Addendum

Annotations and list of documents

1. Adoption of the agenda

   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/263 (Secretariat) Provisional agenda for the 114th session
   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/263/Add.1 (Secretariat) Annotations and list of documents

   Background documents

   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/190/Add.1 (Secretariat) Terms of Reference and Rules of Procedure of the Working Party
   ECE/TRANS/326 and Corr.1-3 ADR applicable since 1 January 2023

2. Eighty-fifth session of the Inland Transport Committee

   ECE/TRANS/328 and Add.1 (Inland Transport Committee (ITC) secretariat) Report of the ITC on its eighty-fifth session (Geneva, 21-24 February 2023)
   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/7 (Secretariat) Working Party’s Terms of Reference

GE.23-15938(E)
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 (54 Contracting Parties) nor to the status of the Protocol of amendment of 1993 (40 Contracting Parties).

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

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/2023/23 and Add.1 (Secretariat)  


The texts adopted by the Joint Meeting at its autumn 2023 session (19-27 September 2023) will also be made available for endorsement by the Working Party.

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

(a) **Construction and approval of vehicles**

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/8 (Russian Federation)  
Proposal to amend 9.7.8

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/12 (United Kingdom)  
Section 9.1.3 – Certificate of Approval

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/13 (United Kingdom)  
Rear protection of vehicles

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/14 (Netherlands on behalf of the informal working group on electrified vehicles)  
Battery electric vehicles and hydrogen fuelled vehicles  
and informal document INF.3

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/262 (Secretariat)  
Annex, amendment to 9.2.2.8

*At its 113th session, the Working Party adopted the draft amendments proposed in ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/4. It considered that the wording of the note under 9.2.2.8 could be improved. The note was kept in square brackets to be reviewed in the 114th session.*

(b) **Miscellaneous proposals**

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/9 (Russian Federation)  
Combustion heater

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/10 (IRU)  
Transport documents: draft amendment to 5.4.0.1 adopted at the 113th session

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/11 (Netherlands)  
Transport documents to be carried on the transport unit
6. **Interpretation of ADR**

   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/5/Rev.1 (Secretariat) Scope of ADR

7. **Circular economy, sustainable use of natural resources and Sustainable Development Goals**

   See document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/15, paragraphs 18–20, under agenda item 8.

8. **Programme of work**

   ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2023/15 (Secretariat) Efficiency and methods of work of the Working Party

   The Working Party may wish to adopt its programme of work for its next session (tentatively scheduled 13-17 May 2024) and discuss its meeting schedule for 2024.

9. **Any other business**

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

10. **Election of officers for 2024**

    In accordance with Chapter V of the Rules and Procedures of the Working Party, as contained in document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/190/Add.1, the Working Party will elect a Chairperson and a vice-Chairperson for 2024.

11. **Adoption of the report**

    The Working Party may wish to adopt the report of its 114th session based on a draft prepared by the secretariat.