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Deletion of 8.3.4 from the list of exceptions in 1.1.3.6.2

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I. Background

1. The exemptions related to quantities carried per transport unit are given in 1.1.3.6.2. Included in the list is Part 8 (except for some sub sections of Part 8 - which could be called the "exceptions to the exemption").

2. Citing 8.3.4 within these "exceptions to the exemption" is unnecessary, because the 1.1.3.6.2 exemption includes "8.1.5.2 – equipment to be carried on board the transport unit" which is the requirement to carry portable lighting apparatus conforming to 8.3.4.

3. 8.3.4 states that "The portable lighting apparatus used shall not exhibit any metal surface liable to produce sparks" – but since no portable lighting apparatus is required (because of the exemption of equipment to be carried on the transport unit), citing 8.3.4 is not needed.

II. Proposal

4. Amend the list of exceptions to Part 8 in the list of 1.1.3.6.2 by **deleting 8.3.4.**



^{*} A/78/6 (Sect. 20), table 20.5.