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<u>Diplomatic Conference for</u> <u>the adoption of a European Agreement</u> <u>concerning the International Carriage of</u> <u>Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN)</u> */ (Geneva, 22-26 May 2000, agenda item 3)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE CONFERENCE **/
to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva,
starting at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 22 May 2000

- 1. Opening of the Conference
- 2. Election of the President
- 3. Adoption of the agenda
- 4. Adoption of the rules of procedures
- 5. Election of the Vice-Presidents
- 6. Organization of work
- 7. Report on credentials
- 8. Consideration of
 - (a) a draft european agreement concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by inland waterways (ADN);
 - (b) draft conference resolution(s).

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- 9. Adoption of the Final Act, the Agreement and resolutions resulting from the work of the Conference
- 10. Signature of the Final Act of the Conference
- 11. Signature of the Agreement.

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NOTE 1: Annotations to the agenda will be circulated as an addendum to this document.

NOTE 2: The reports of the <u>Ad hoc</u> Working Group on the Elaboration of a draft European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways were circulated under the symbols:

TRANS/AC.6/2, TRANS/AC.6/4 and -/Add.1, TRANS/AC.6/6 and -/Add.1, TRANS/AC.6/8 and -/Add.1, TRANS/AC.6/10, TRANS/AC.6/12, TRANS/AC.6/14 and -/Add.1, TRANS/AC.6/16 and -/Add.1 and -/Add.2, TRANS/AC.6/18 and -/Add.1 and -/Add.2, TRANS/AC.6/20 and -/Add.1 and -/Add.2.

NOTE 3: Preliminary texts of the draft Agreement and of its annexes have already been circulated as follows:

Draft Agreement: TRANS/AC.6/20/Add.1; Annexes A. B.1 and B.2: TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/5;

Annex C: TRANS/AC.6/20/Add.2;

Draft annexes D.1 and D.2 have not yet been issued.

Editorially revised documents will be issued for the Conference under the symbols:

ECE/TRANS/ADN/CONF/. (for ECE Member States) and CCNR/MD/ADN/CONF/. (for CCNR Member States) except for Annexes A, B.1 and B.2 in English, French and Russian for which only a corrigendum to document TRANS/WP.15/AC.2/5 will be issued.

NOTE 4: Documentation for the Conference will also be made available on the ECE Web site (http://www.unece.org/trans/danger/danger.htm) and the CCNR web site (http://www.ccr-zkr.org)