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**AGREEMENT ON THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF
PERISHABLE FOODSTUFFS AND ON THE SPECIAL
EQUIPMENT TO BE USED FOR SUCH CARRIAGE (ATP)**

Proposed amendment to Annex 1

Additional classification for an inside temperature of -30°C

**Introduction of a new additional temperature class G of -30°C
for the inside temperature of the transport equipment.**

Transmitted by Germany

1- Reasons:

There is a demand by the customers for temperatures lower than -20°C . Deep-frozen foodstuffs, for instance, are more and more often being carried at a temperature of -30°C .

By introducing a new class G of -30°C , it will thus be possible to clearly distinguish between this class and the existing class C of -20°C .

2- Proposal:

Annex 1 (2)

- Add to the list:

...

"At -20°C maximum in the case of class C;

At -30°C *maximum in the case of class G*; and"

...

- Supplement the last sentence by:

... of classes B, C and G shall in every case be equal...

Annex 1 (3)

- Supplement the first indent by:
... – In the case of classes A, B, C and G, any desired practically constant value...
... *Class G. Mechanically refrigerated equipment fitted with a refrigerating appliance such that t_i may be chosen between +12 °C and –30 °C inclusive.*

- Supplement the last sentence by:
... of classes B, C, G, E and F...

Annex 1, Appendix 2 (§36)

- Supplement the first sentence by:
... (A = +7 °C, B = -10 °C, C = -20 °C, G = -30 °C, D = 0 °C)

Annex 1, Appendix 2 (§40)

- Supplement the first indent by:
... in the case of classes A, B, C and G (A = 0 °C, B = -10 °C, C = -20 °C, G = -30 °C)

Annex 1, Appendix 2 (§49(b)):

- Supplement the first indent by:
...in classes A, B, C or G...

Annex 1, Appendix 2 (§55(ii)):

- Amend the text to read:
...three levels of temperature between –30 °C and +12 °C...

Annex 1, Appendix 2 (§56(a)):

- Amend the second sentence to read:
...shall then be lowered to –30 °C (or to the minimum class temperature).

Annex 1, Appendix 4:

- Supplement the table as follows:
Class G refrigerated equipment with heavy insulation; RRG
Class G mechanically refrigerated equipment with heavy insulation; FRG

Test report model no. 8:

- Supplement by:
... 0°C
-10 °C
-20 °C
-30 °C
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