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## **A revised proposal on bowzers from the United Kingdom**

Insert a new paragraph in Chapter 7.2:-

7.2.3 Receptacles generally referred to as 'bowzers' may be considered as IBCs if they meet the following conditions, otherwise they shall be considered as tanks:

- receptacles shall meet all the requirements for IBCs of type 31A as set out in ADR, other than 8.3.3;
- receptacles shall only be used for the carriage of liquid substances assigned an IBC Packing Instruction in Table A of Chapter 3.2, permitting the use of type 31A IBCs;
- the receptacles shall not be fastened to a motor vehicle or trailer, other than temporarily for safety during carriage. Such temporary fastenings include purpose designed retention devices with or without screw fasteners. If the receptacle is permanently fitted to a motor vehicle or trailer, for example by welding, the receptacle will no longer meet the definition of an IBC.
- driver training prescribed in 8.2.2.3.2 shall also address knowledge of appropriate filling and discharge systems