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PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE SESSION

Addendum

List of documents per agenda item and annotations

1. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/193 (Secretariat) Provisional agenda ECE/TRANS/WP.15/193/Add.1 (Secretariat) List of documents

Background documents

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/192, -/Add.1 and Report of the Working Party on its eighty--/Corr.1 (Secretariat) second session (Geneva, 7-10 May 2007)

2. STATUS OF THE EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR) AND RELATED ISSUES

The Working Party will be informed 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 (43 Contracting Parties) nor to that of the Protocol of amendment of 1993 (29 Contracting States) since the last session.

3. INTERPRETATION OF ADR

No document has been submitted under this agenda item.

4. WORK OF THE RID/ADR/ADN JOINT MEETING

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/AC.1/106/Add.2 (Secretariat)

Texts adopted by the Joint Meeting (26 to 30 March 2007)

The texts adopted by the Joint Meeting at its Autumn 2007 session (11-21 September 2007) will be made available for endorsement by the Working Party.

5. PROPOSALS FOR AMENDMENTS TO ANNEXES A AND B OF ADR

(a) Miscellaneous proposals

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/15 (Sweden) Chapter 8.6 – Road tunnel restrictions ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/16 (PIARC) Safety in road tunnels ECE/ TRANS/WP.15/2007/24 (France) ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/18 (AISE) Tunnel restriction codes in dangerous goods sequence -5.4.1.1.1ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/19 (FEA) Tunnel restriction codes for some articles of Class 2 ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/20 (United Supervision of vehicles Kingdom) ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/22 (Austria) Dangerous goods in fixed receptacles serving for the admixture of additives to fuels in tanks or the insertion of agents for cleaning devices of tanks Carriage of substances and articles of ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/23 (FIATA) Class 1 – Special training for drivers

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/25 and informal Instructions in writing document INF.3 (Germany)

(b) Construction and approval of vehicles

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/17 (Belgium) Section 8.3.8 – Use of cables

6. PROGRAMME OF WORK

ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/14 (Secretariat) Programme of work for 2008-2012 ECE/TRANS/WP.15/2007/21 (Secretariat) Biennial evaluations

7. 50th ANNIVERSARY OF ADR

A round table on the theme of the transport of dangerous goods is scheduled the afternoon of 8 November 2007. The programme will be circulated as an informal document.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

An informal working group session on "Mobile Explosives Manufacturing Units (MEMUs)" was held in Bonn in August 2007 at the invitation of the Government of Germany. The report may be submitted as an informal document.

The Working Party will also be reminded that draft amendments to ADR have already been adopted at its 80th, 81st and 82nd sessions for entry into force on 1 January 2009 (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/188, annex 3, ECE/TRANS/WP.15/190, annex 1, and ECE/TRANS/WP.15/192/Add.1).

9. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

In accordance with Chapter V of the Rules of 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 2008.

10. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT
