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and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS): Health hazards

## Corrections to the proposal in ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2011/4

### Transmitted by the expert from Germany on behalf of the informal correspondence group on the editorial revision of Chapters 3.2 and 3.3

1. This paper is an amendment to working document ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/2011/4. This is due to an imprecise wording in the proposal.

### Corrected proposal

2. In 3.2.3.1.2, *replace*

“If consideration of alkali/acid reserve suggests the substance or mixture may not be corrosive despite the low or high pH value, then further testing needs to be carried out to confirm this, preferably by use of an appropriate validated in vitro test.”

*with*

“However, if consideration of acid/alkaline reserve suggests the substance or mixture may not be corrosive despite the low or high pH value, this needs to be confirmed by other data, preferably data from an appropriate validated in vitro test.”

3. In 3.3.3.1, *replace*

“If consideration of alkali/acid reserve suggests the substance or mixture may not have the potential to cause serious eye damage despite the low or high pH value, then further testing needs to be carried out to confirm this, preferably by use of an appropriate validated in vitro test.”

*with*

“However, if consideration of acid/alkaline reserve suggests the substance or mixture may not have the potential to cause serious eye damage despite the low or high pH value, this needs to be confirmed by other data, preferably data from an appropriate validated in vitro test.”