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Proposals for amendments to RID/ADR/ADN: new proposals

References to 3.4.6

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Introduction

1. It was detected in the French and English versions of the ADR and RID that there are two references to 3.4.6. This paragraph appears currently as follows:

“3.4.5 and 3.4.6 (*Reserved*)”

2. The first reference is in Table A, in column (7a), below the text that says “Limited and excepted quantities”, the column refers to 3.4.6. Here is an example:

UN No.	Name and description	Class	Classification code	Packing group	Labels	Special provisions	Limited and excepted quantities		Packaging			Portable tanks and bulk containers	
							3.4.6	3.5.1.2	Packing instructions	Special packing provisions	Mixed packing provisions	Instructions	Special provisions
(1)	(2)	(3a)	(3b)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7a)	(7b)	(8)	(9a)	(9b)	(10)	(11)
0004	AMMONIUM PICRATE dry or wetted with less than 10% water, by mass	1	1.1D		1		0	E0	P112(a) P112(b) P112(c)	PP26	MP20		

3. The second reference is in 4.1.3.8.2, in the NOTE, that says:

“**NOTE:** A large and robust article may include flexible fuel containment systems, military equipment, machinery or equipment containing dangerous goods above the limited quantities according to 3.4.6.”

Proposal 1

4. Amend the reference in Table A by using the one that the Joint Meeting considers appropriate.

Proposal 2

5. Amend the NOTE in 4.1.3.8.2 by substituting “3.4.6” with “3.4”, for 3.4 refers to limited quantities in general.