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Proposal and Note :

Special provision XXX to chapter 3.3

« XXX A trailer fitted with equipment, powered by a liquid or gaseous fuel or a battery, that is intended for use during a carriage operated by this trailer as a part of a transport unit, shall be subject to the same conditions as specified for vehicles assigned to UN 3166 or 3171, when carried as a load on a vehicle/wagon/vessel. Provided that the total capacity of the tanks containing liquid fuel does not exceed 500 litres »

NOTE to 1.1.3.2 a) and 1.1.3.3

a container fitted with equipment for use during carriage, fixed on a vehicle, is considered as an integral part of the vehicle and benefits from the same exemptions as regards to the fuel necessary to operate the equipment.