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Proposals for amendments to the Regulations annexed to ADN: other proposals

Use of terms "residual cargo" and "cargo residues"

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Introduction

1. The CCNR Secretariat would like to draw the ADN Safety Committees attention to a difference in the use of the terms "residual cargo" and "cargo residues" in the French, English and German version of ADN and proposes amendments to harmonize the use of the terms.

Background

2. Germany informed the CCNR Secretariat in 2016 about a difference in use of the terms "residual cargo" and "cargo residues" in the French, English and German version of ADN 2015. For harmonization of the different versions, ADN 2017 was subsequently amended and "Ladungsreste" was deleted from the German version.

3. Germany subsequently draw the attention of the CCNR Secretariat to the fact that the German counterpart to the French "restes de cargaison" was not deleted from ADN 2017 and that further harmonization is necessary.

4. The CCNR Secretariat identified all findings of the terms "residual cargo" and "cargo residues" in the French, English and German version of ADN:

<i>German definitions</i>	<i>English definitions</i>	<i>French definitions</i>
Restladung: Flüssige Ladung, die nach dem Löschen ohne Einsatz eines Nachlenzsystems als	Residual cargo means liquid cargo remaining in the cargo tank or cargo piping after	Cargaison restante : cargaison liquide restant dans la citerne à cargaison ou les tuyauteries après le déchargement sans que le système d'assèchement ait été utilisé
Rückstand im Ladetank oder im Leitungssystem verbleibt.	Unloading without the use of the stripping system	

<i>German definitions</i>	<i>English definitions</i>	<i>French definitions</i>
		Restes de cargaison : matières liquides qui subsistent dans la citerne à cargaison ou les tuyauteries à cargaison après le déchargement et l'assèchement ;
Ladungsrückstände: Flüssige Ladung, die nicht durch das Nachlenzsystem aus den Ladetanks oder den Leitungssystemen entfernt werden kann.	Cargo residues means liquid cargo which cannot be pumped out of the cargo tanks or piping by means of the stripping system	Résidus de cargaison : cargaison liquide qui ne peut être évacuée des citernes à cargaison ou des tuyauteries par le système d'assèchement;

Findings of terms in ADN 2017

<i>No.</i>	<i>Definition/ chapter</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>English</i>	<i>French</i>
1.2 Definitions				
1	Hold (discharged)	Reste der Trockenladung	Dry cargo remains	Restes de cargaison sèche
2	Hold (empty)	Reste der Trockenladung	Dry cargo remains	Restes de cargaison sèche
3	Stripping system (efficient)	Ladungsrückstände	Cargo residues	Résidus de cargaison
4	Receptacle for residual products	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaisons restantes
5	Receptacle for residual products	Ladungsrückstände	Cargo residues	Résidus de cargaison
6	Tank for residual products	Restladung,	Residual cargo	Cargaisons restantes
7	Tank for residual products	Ladungsrückstände	Cargo residues	Résidus de cargaison
8	Slops	Ladungsrückständen	Cargo residues	Résidus de cargaison
9	Cargo tank (discharged)	Restladung	residual cargo	Cargaison restante
10	Cargo tank (empty)	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaison restante
11	Cargo tank (gas free)	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaison restante
12	3.2.3.1 column (20) note 33 i	Allen Resten früherer Ladung	All traces of previous cargoes	Tous restes de cargaisons antérieures
13	7.2.4.1.1	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaison restante
14	7.2.4.1.1	Ladungsrückstände	Cargo residues	Résidus de cargaison

<i>No.</i>	<i>Definition/ chapter</i>	<i>German</i>	<i>English</i>	<i>French</i>
15	7.2.4.15.1	Restladungen	Residual cargo	Cargaison restantes
16	7.2.4.13.1 par. 1	Rückstände der vorhergehenden Ladung	Residues of the previous cargo	Reste de la cargaison précédente
17	7.2.4.13.1 par. 3	Reste von einem Stoff	cargo residues <u>Residues of previous substances</u>	Reste de cargaison <u>Reste des matières précédentes</u>
18	7.2.4.15.1	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaison restante
19	8.1.6.2	Restladung	Residual cargo	Restes de cargaison <u>Cargaison restantes</u>
20	8.2.2.3.3.2	Restladung	Residual cargo	Cargaison restante

Proposals

5. Proposed amendments to the French version of ADN 2017
 - (a) In 1.2 Definitions, delete the definition for "Restes de cargaison";
 - (b) In 7.2.4.13.1, paragraph 3, replace "Reste de cargaison" by "Reste des matières précédentes";
 - (c) In 8.1.6.2 replace the term "restes de cargaison" by "cargaison restante".
6. Proposed amendments to the English version of ADN 2017
 - (a) In 7.2.4.13.1, paragraph 3, replace "cargo residues" by "Residues of previous substances".