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# INTERPRETATION OF THE EUROPEAN AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIAGE OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD (ADR

#### Question on the definition of the closed vehicle

### **Transmitted by the Government of Finland**

In the chapter 1.2 the definition of the "closed vehicle" means a vehicle having a body capable of being closed. The definition of the "closed container" means a totally enclosed container having a rigid roof, rigid side walls, rigid end and a floor. The term includes containers with an opening roof where the roof can be closed during transport.

Does it mean that the "closed vehicle" should have a rigid roof and rigid side walls as in the "closed container"? If it is so, should the definition of "closed vehicle" be clarified?