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Proposals for amendments to annexes A and B of ADR:

Pending issues

Amendments adopted by the Working Party (ECE/TRANS/WP.15/204) – proposal for correction

Note by the secretariat

Packing instructions P003 and P904

- 1. At its thirty-fifth session in June 2009, the Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods adopted corrections to the UN Model Regulations, Rev.16 based on informal document INF.60 by the secretariat.
- 2. These corrections were aimed at clarifying the text of a sentence in packing instructions P003, P904 and P907.
- 3. As concern packing instructions P003 and P904 in the ADR, the secretariat proposes that these corrections be made and incorporated in ADR 2011. Packing instruction P907 is not part of the ADR.
- 4. The proposed corrections read as follows:
- 5. **4.1.4.1, P003, third sentence**

Replace

"Outer packagings constructed of suitable material of adequate strength and design in relation to the packaging capacity and its intended use shall be used."

with

"Outer packagings constructed of suitable material, and of adequate strength and design in relation to the packaging capacity and its intended use, shall be used."

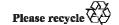
(The French text will read:

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6. 4.1.4.1, P904 (1), second sentence (text of document ECE/TRANS/WP.15/204)

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