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Fortieth session

Geneva, 28 November – 7 December 2011 Item 1 of the provisional agenda **Adoption of the agenda** 

## Provisional agenda for the fortieth session<sup>1 2 3</sup>

To be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, 28 November 2011

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- 2. Listing, classification and packing
  - (a) Proposals of amendments to the list of dangerous goods of Chapter 3.2
  - (b) Classification of Class 3 viscous liquids in Packing Group III
  - (c) Miscellaneous

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For reasons of economy, delegates are requested to bring copies of all relevant documents to the session. There will be no documentation available in the conference room. Before the session, documents may be downloaded from the UNECE Transport Division's website (http://www.unece.org/trans/main/dgdb/dgsubc3/c3age.html). During the session, official documents may be obtained from the UNOG Documents Distribution Section (Room C.337, third floor, Palais des Nations).

- 3. Electric storage systems
  - (a) Testing of lithium batteries
  - (b) Lithium-ion capacitors
  - (c) Waste or damaged/defective lithium batteries
  - (d) Packagings for large batteries
  - (e) Miscellaneous
- 4. Miscellaneous proposals of amendments to the Model Regulations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods
  - (a) Packagings
  - (b) Portable tanks
  - (c) Marking and labelling
  - (d) Miscellaneous
- 5. Electronic data interchange for documentation purposes
- 6. Cooperation with the International Atomic Energy Agency
- 7. Global harmonization of transport of dangerous goods regulations with the Model Regulations
- 8. Guiding principles for the Model Regulations
- 9. Issues relating to the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
  - (a) Corrosivity criteria
  - (b) Criteria for water-reactivity
  - (c) Tests and criteria for oxidizing solids
  - (d) Known experience
  - (e) Miscellaneous
- 10. Other business
- 11. Adoption of the report

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