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Miscellaneous proposals for amendments to the Model Regulations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods: marking and labelling

Deletion of a transitional measure in special provision 204

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Introduction

1. Special provision 204 in 3.3.1 includes a transitional measure for articles containing smoke producing-substance(s), toxic by inhalation, manufactured before 31 December 2016. Those articles may be transported without a “TOXIC” subsidiary hazard label until 1 January 2019.
2. Since this transitional measure has expired, Germany suggests deleting it by amending special provision 204 as proposed below.

Proposal

3. Amend the second sentence of special provision 204 in 3.3.1 as follows (deleted text in ~~strike through~~):

“Articles containing smoke-producing substance(s) toxic by inhalation according to the criteria for Division 6.1 shall be labelled with a “TOXIC” subsidiary hazard label (Model No. 6.1, see 5.2.2.2.2), ~~except that those manufactured before 31 December 2016 may be transported until 1 January 2019 without a “TOXIC” subsidiary hazard label.~~”

* A/75/6 (Sect.20), para. 20.51