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Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (Eighteenth session, 3-14 July 2000, agenda item 5 (j))

### MISCELLANEOUS DRAFT AMENDMENTS TO THE MODEL REGULATIONS ON THE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

#### **Miscellaneous**

# **UN Recommendations and the Model Regulations**

## **Transmitted by the expert from Argentina**

- 1.1. Since the Committee of Expert decided to transform the UN Recommendations in a Model Regulations some time have passed. And nowadays we have the 11th edition with the title Recommendations on the TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS Model Regulations.
- 1.2. We think that Recommendations and Regulations are contradictory; regulations are mandatory.

**Proposal**: change the titles as follows:

#### UN MODEL REGULATION FOR THE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS

UN Model Regulations MANUAL OF TEST AND CRITERIA

- 1.3. In the Model Regulations, page 2, point 7, delete "recommended" in the sentence "The objetive of the recommended definitions.."
- 1.4 In point 8. Delete "The Recommendations ..." and replace by "The Model Regulations...", and idem in the last paragraph, page 11.

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