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Sub-Committee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

Tenth session Geneva, 7 (p.m) - 9 December 2005

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE TENTH SESSION

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 14:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 7 December 2005

NOTE: Annotations to the agenda and a provisional timetable will be circulated as document ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/19/Add.1.

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- 2. Updating of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)
 - (a) Physical hazards
 - (b) Health hazards
 - (c) Environmental hazards
 - (d) Others

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- 3. Hazard communication issues
 - (a) Hierarchy of labelling elements
 - (b) Building block approach: guidance and implementation
 - (c) Miscellaneous proposals
- 4. Implementation of the GHS
 - (a) Reports from Governments or organizations
 - (b) Cooperation with other international organizations
 - (c) Miscellaneous proposals
- 5. Capacity building
- 6. Coordination and work programme
- 7. Other business
- 8. Adoption of the report

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- **Note 1:** At its eighth session, the Sub-Committee of Experts elected Ms. Kim Headrick (Canada) as Chairperson, and Mr. Roque Puiatti (Brazil) and Mr. Gregory Moore (Sweden) as Vice-chairpersons for the biennium 2005-2006 (ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/16, para. 75).
- **Note 2:** The deadline for submission of documents is **14 September 2005**. The secretariat will accept proposals until 21 September provided that it has been informed of the title and expected length of the document before 14 September 2005.
- **Note 3**: For reasons of economy, delegations are invited to keep their own copies of documents and to bring them to the meeting.
- **Note 4:** Documents may be consulted on the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe web site : <u>http://www.unece.org/trans/main/dgdb/dgsubc4/c4age.html</u>
- **Note 5:** In view of the security arrangements for access to the Palais des Nations, delegations are asked to inform the secretariat (UNECE Transport Division) of their exact composition. Access to the Palais des Nations will only be granted to those in possession of an identity card issued by the Safety and Security Section, Villa les Feuillantines, 13, Avenue de la Paix (see map on last page).

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