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COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS ON THE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS AND ON THE GLOBALLY HARMONIZED SYSTEM OF CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING OF CHEMICALS

Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

Twenty-ninth session Geneva, 3-12 (a.m.) July 2006

PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE TWENTY-NINTH SESSION

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, starting at 10 a.m. on Monday, 3 July 2006

- 1. Adoption of the agenda
- 2. Transport of explosives
- 3. Transport of gases
- 4. Packagings (including IBCs and large packagings)
 - (a) Packaging performance
 - (b) IBCs
 - (c) Miscellaneous proposals
- 5. Limited quantities
- 6. Listing, classification and packing
- 7. Miscellaneous proposals of amendments to the Model Regulations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods

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- 8. Harmonization with the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) Regulations for the Safe Transport of Radioactive Material
- 9. Options to facilitate global harmonization of transport of dangerous goods regulations with the UN Model Regulations
- 10. Improvement of hazard communication
- 11. Guiding principles for the Model Regulations
- 12. Issues relating to the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)
- 13. Other business
- 14. Adoption of the report

- Note 1: At its twenty-sixth session, the Sub-Committee of Experts elected Mr. S. Benassai (Italy) and Mrs. L. Hume-Sastre (Canada) respectively Chairman and Vice-Chairman for the biennium 2005-2006 (ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/52, para. 144).
- A session of the Working Group on Explosives will be convened in parallel to discuss any outstanding or new issues concerning explosives (see ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/54, paras. 17-19). The Working Group should also discuss, on a preliminary basis, GHS issues raised in document ST/SG/AC.10/C.3/2005/36 (Germany). The Sub-Committee and the GHS Sub-Committee considered that, for this GHS discussion, the Working Group should include experts in transport, storage and supply of explosives (ST/G/AC.10/C.3/56, para. 127 and ST/SG/AC.10/C.4/20, paras. 11-13). The exact dates will be announced in the provisional timetable which will be issued when all documents have been received.
- Note 3: The deadline for submission of documents is **7 April 2006**.
- **Note 4:** For reasons of economy, delegations are invited to keep their own copies of documents and to bring them to the meeting.
- **Note 5:** Documents may be consulted on the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe web site: http://www.unece.org/trans/danger/danger.htm
- Note 6: 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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