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Introduction

RID 5.4.1.1.3 sets out the information that has also to be included in the transport document for the carriage of wastes. A total of four examples are given which take account of the various possibilities that are prescribed in RID 5.4.1.1.1 in relation to the information concerning the packing group and technical name. At present, the text in 5.4.1.1.3 of both RID and ADR is identical.

In contrast to RID 5.4.1.1.6 (special provisions for empty means of containment, uncleaned), RID 5.4.1.1.3 does not contain any information on whether and where the hazard identification number must be given when carrying wastes in bulk or in tanks.

Proposal

5.4.1.1.3 Add the following sub-paragraph:

"If a marking in accordance with 5.3.2.1 is prescribed, the hazard identification number in accordance with 5.4.1.1.1 (j) shall be preceded by the word "WASTE", e.g.

- "WASTE, 33, UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (toluene and ethyl alcohol), 3, II" or
- "WASTE, 33, UN 1993 FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S. (toluene and ethyl alcohol), 3, PG II".

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