



RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting

From 20 to 24 March 2023, the Joint Meeting of the RID Committee of Experts and the UNECE Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods will be held in Berne, Switzerland.

As OTIF has agreed to maintain the organisational arrangements that had been proposed for the 2022 sessions, this spring session will be held under the hybrid arrangements, so that participation in person or remotely will be possible.

The Joint Meeting will consider, among other things, the possible exemption of home deliveries by online supermarkets.

Also on the agenda are several proposals to simplify the rules on waste containing dangerous goods.

Lastly, the detailed requirements for vats carrying molten aluminium will be discussed. Following several accidents, international rules will replace national regulations for these containers.

The RID/ADR/ADN Joint Meeting is jointly organised twice a year by the Secretariat of OTIF and the UNECE Transport Division. Its aim is to harmonise the dangerous goods provisions for land transport (rail, road, inland waterways). In order to achieve this, experts examine amendments emanating in particular from the UN Model Regulations and amendments that are specific to land transport.

