DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL (DGP)
WORKING GROUP MEETING (DGP-WG/26)

Centurion, South Africa, 26 to 30 October 2026

DETAILED AGENDA

(Presented by the Secretary)

WP No.	FL No.	IP No.	Title	Presented by	Comments
Agenda Item 1:			**Harmonizing ICAO dangerous goods provisions with UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (REC-A-DGS-2029)**		
1.1:			Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to Annex 18 — *The Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air*		
No papers were submitted under this item.					
1.2:			Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to the *Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air* (Doc 9284) for incorporation in the 2029-2030 Edition		
4			UN 3269 Polyester Resin Kit, Liquid Base Material and Packing Instructions 370 and Y370	D. Sylvestre	
21			Application of Class 1 Classification Procedures to Substances and Articles Assigned a Proper Shipping Name	E. Gillett	
			Update on DGP-WG/UN Harmonization activities	B. Firkins	
1.3:			Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to the *Supplement to the Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air* (Doc 9284SU) for incorporation in the 2029-2030 Edition		
No papers were submitted under this item.					
Agenda Item 2:			**Managing air-specific safety risks and identifying anomalies (REC-A-DGS-2029)**		
2.1:			Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to Annex 18 — *The Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air*		
No papers were submitted under this item.					

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2.2: Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to the Technical Instructions for the *Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air* (Doc 9284) for incorporation in the 2029-2030 Edition					
6			Instructor Qualifications and Competencies	D. Sylvestre	
8			Portable Ground Power Units for Airplanes and Helicopters	D. Sylvestre	
12			Offshore Helicopter Operations Involving Environmentally Affected Wildlife and Regulatory Considerations for Transport	L. Cascardo	
14			Editorial Harmonization of Packing Instruction 603	L. Cascardo	
15			Editorial Correction of References to Incident Reporting Requirements in Packing Instructions 650, 953 and 959	L. Cascardo	
20			Proposal for the Development of an ICAO Dangerous Goods Professional Management Course	E. Gillett	
30			Report of the ICAO DGP Working Group on Training	T. Muller	
31			Identification of Hybrid Vehicles in Transport	B. Firkins	
35			Proposal for Revisions to the Description of Replacement of Markings and Labels	P. Guo	
2.3: Develop proposals, if necessary, for amendments to the *Supplement to the Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air* (Doc 9284SU) for incorporation in the 2029-2030 Edition					
5			Guidance to States on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Post	D. Sylvestre	
32			Update on DGP-WG/Supplement activities	Rapporteur DGP-WG/Supplement	
2.4: Development of proposals, if necessary, for amendments to the *Emergency Response Guidance for Aircraft Incidents Involving Dangerous Goods* (Doc 9481) for incorporation in the 2029-2030 Edition					
Agenda Item 3: Facilitating safe transport of dangerous goods by air *(Ref: REC-A-DGS-2029)*					
3			Controlled Substances Carried under Chain of Custody by Law Enforcement Agencies	S. Bitossi	
16			Amendment of Special Provision A225 and Packing Instruction 222 Assigned to UN 3538 to Allow the Transport of Robust Articles Containing Refrigerated Liquefied Gas	T. Muller	
13			Recognition of Certified Digital Signatures in the Transport Document	L. Cascardo	
24			Amendment to Provisions Relating to Electronic Transmission of Dangerous Goods Information	B. Firkins	

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26			Removal of Requirement for Technical Name for Category A Infectious Substances	B. Firkins	
27			Addition of a Special Provision for Finished Pharmaceutical Products	B. Firkins	
Agenda Item 4:			**Managing safety risks posed by the carriage of energy storage devices by air** ***(Ref: Job Card DGP.003)***		
2			Hazard-Based Classification System for Lithium Batteries Developed by the UN Informal Working Group On Hazard-Based Classification Of Lithium Batteries and Cells	the Secretary	Tuesday
7			Damaged Personal Electronic Devices (PEDs) and Lithium Batteries	D. Sylvestre	Tuesday
9			Including into Packing Instruction 910 of the Supplement Requirements to Reach A Safety Level to Carry Cells and Batteries that have not been Tested to the Requirements in Part III, Subsection 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria (Test T1: Altitude Simulation)	P. Tatin	Tuesday
10			Special Provisions A88 and A99	H. North	Tuesday
17			Limiting the Carriage of Portable Electronic Devices (PEDS) Containing Lithium Batteries in Passenger Checked Baggage	D. Schlichting	Tuesday
18			Exception for Battery Powered Data Loggers / Cargo Tracking Devices	S. Kelley	Tuesday
23			Black Hatching Option for the Battery Mark	B. Firkins	Tuesday
25			IATA Changes to Dangerous Goods Carried by Passengers and Crew in the 68th (2027) Edition of the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations	B. Firkins	Tuesday
28			Adjustable Firmware in a Battery – Regulatory Interpretation	B. Firkins	Tuesday
29			Report of the ICAO DGP Task Force on Battery-Powered Mobility Aids	T. Muller	Tuesday
			FAA research on mobility aid lithium batteries in the cabin	S. Kelley	Tuesday
			Update on FLTOPSP-SCGSWG and FLTOPSP-CSSWG activities		Tuesday
			Updated on DGP-WG/Electronic Storage Devices activities		Tuesday
33			Clarification of the Carry-on Baggage Provision for Battery-Powered Mobility Aids (e.g. Wheelchairs) in Table 8-1	P. Guo	Tuesday

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34			Revision to Packing Instructions 965, 966, 968 and 969	P. Guo	Tuesday
		2	Practices of China's Civil Aviation in the Safety Management of Power Bank Air Transport	P. Guo	Tuesday
Agenda Item 5: **Clarifying State oversight responsibilities in Annex 18** ***(Ref: Job Card DGP.005)***					
1			Proposed amendment to Annexes 6 and 18 to clarify States' responsibilities with respect to the safe transport of dangerous goods by air and associated amendments to the Technical Instructions	the Secretary	Wednesday, first item
11			Proposed Amendment to the Standards in the Draft Amendment to Annex 18 and in the Technical Instructions Regarding Reporting Requirements	D. Schlichting	Wednesday with WP/1
		1	Strengthening State Surveillance of Dangerous Goods in Response to the Global Aviation Safety Plan 2026–2028	H. Almheiri	Wednesday
Agenda Item 6: **Dangerous goods provisions to support RPAS operations** ***(Ref: Job Card DGP.007)***					
19			Proposed Amendments to AC 102-37 - Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Carrying Dangerous Goods	E. Gillett	
Agenda Item 7: **Coordination with other panels**					
22			Proposed Amendment to the Technical Instructions for Additional Persons to be Allowed on Cargo Aircraft	D. Schlichting	
Agenda Item 8: **Harmonization of *Guidance Material for the Dangerous Goods Panel (DGP) to Aid in the Preparation of the Technical Instructions and Supporting Documents* with revised dangerous goods provisions**					
No papers were submitted under this item.					
Agenda Item 9: **Other business**					
No papers were submitted under this item.					

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