



DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL (DGP)

TWENTY-SECOND MEETING

Montréal, 5 to 16 October 2009

Agenda Item 5: Resolution, where possible, of the non-recurrent work items identified by the Air Navigation Commission or the panel:

5.3: Review of provisions for dangerous goods relating to batteries:

- a) **lithium batteries**
- b) **battery-powered devices**
- c) **battery-powered mobility aids**

VIDEO OF LITHIUM BATTERY FIRES

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ADDENDUM NO. 1

SUMMARY

This paper provides a link to a video that demonstrates the types of lithium battery fires that can happen aboard an aircraft.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 The FAA Technical Center developed a video to assist in cabin crew training that demonstrates how dangerous lithium battery fires can be. Emergency procedures on how to deal with fires when they occur in the cabin are not fully described in the emergencies response guides. This has caused concern among cabin crews. The United States hopes that this video can help other States to demonstrate the dangerous that may occur from lithium batteries aboard an aircraft.

1.2 We encourage States to use this video in their own cabin crew training or any training where this might be useful to the airline crew. This video may be used freely by downloading it or copying it from the link below.

2. THE LINK TO THE VIDEO

2.1 The link to the video is located in the lower right hand corner of the chart located on the screen, it is titled Training Videos.

<http://www.fire.tc.faa.gov/2007conference/proceedings.asp>

