DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL

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Agenda Item 2: Development of recommendations for amendments to the Technical Instructions for incorporation in the 2005/2006 edition

EDITORIAL: ICAO TI'S FIGURE 5-25 - RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL, CLASS 7, PLACARD FOR LARGE FREIGHT CONTAINERS

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1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 There is a difference between the requirements of Part 5;3.5.1.2 and Figure 5-25 in the 2001/2002 edition of the ICAO Technical Instructions. One text requires the black line, which is to appear at the edge of the Class 7 placard for freight containers, to be 5mm from the edge the other, requires it to be 12.5 mm from the edge.
- 1.2 This inconsistency between the two requirements is carried over to the 2003/2004 ICAO Technical Instructions.

It was noted that Section 5.3.1.2.2 of the 12 th edition UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods – Model Regulations indicates that 5mm is the distance this line must be from the edge of the placard.

2. **PROPOSAL**

2.1 Issue a corrigendum to the ICAO Technical Instructions, 2003/2004 edition amending the appropriate text in Figure 5-25 - Radioactive material, Class 7, placard for large freight containers to correspond to the narrative text of Part 5;3.5.1.2 of the ICAO TI's, 2003/2004.

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