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Agenda Item 2: Development of recommendations for amendments to the *Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air* (Doc 9284) for incorporation in the 2009/2010 Edition

Agenda Item 2.3: Part 3 — Dangerous Goods List and Limited Quantities Exceptions

SPECIAL PROVISION A66

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SUMMARY

This paper proposes a revision to SP A66 to align with that in the UN Model Regulations.

Action by the DGP-WG is in paragraph 2.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Special Provision A66 applies to UN 3269 – **Polyester resin kit**. Part of the content of the special provisions restricts the organic peroxides permitted in these kits to those authorized for transport on passenger aircraft.

1.2 The basis for SP A66 is UN Model Regulations Special Provision 236. However UN SP 236 restricts organic peroxides in polyester resin kits to those of Type D, E or F. Those authorized for transport on passenger aircraft include Type C organic peroxides, which the UN does not permit.

2. ACTION BY THE DGP-WG

2.1 The DGP-WG is invited to:

a) revise SP A66 to read as follows:

A66 Polyester resin kits consist of two components: a base material (Class 3, Packing Group II or III) and an activator (Division 5.2). ~~Only~~**The** organic peroxides **must be type D, E or F** ~~that are authorized for transport on passenger aircraft are permitted in the kits.~~ Those requiring temperature control are forbidden. Packing Group II or III is assigned according to the criteria for Class 3, applied to the base material.

- b) Alternatively, the wording of SP A66 could be amended to align exactly with the wording of SP 236 in the UN Model Regulations, and would then read as follows:

A66 Polyester resin kits consist of two components: a base material (Class 3, Packing Group II or III) and an activator ~~(Division 5.2). Only organic peroxides that are authorized for transport on passenger aircraft are permitted in the kits. Those~~ (organic peroxide). The organic peroxide must be type D, E or F not requiring temperature control ~~are forbidden~~. Packing Group must be II or III ~~is assigned~~ according to the criteria for Class 3, applied to the base material.

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