# DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL (DGP) MEETING OF THE WORKING GROUP OF THE WHOLE

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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 2013-2014 Edition

2.6: Part 6 — Packaging Nomenclature, Marking, Requirements and Tests

### REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO 5H1 PACKAGINGS

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#### **SUMMARY**

This paper proposes amendment to Table 6-2 to provide a cross reference to 5H1 packagings in 6;3.1.15.

Action by the DGP-WG is in paragraph 2.

#### 1. **INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 Table 6-2 provides an index of packagings other than inner packagings and when checking these by code the reader is directed to a relevant paragraph in Part 6.
- 1.2 In relation to 5H1, the reference states "specialized use only" and a paragraph number is not listed.
- 1.3 The relevant paragraph number for 5H1 should be indicated as 3.1.15 and the maximum net mass should be shown as 50 kg in accordance with 6;3.1.15.
- 1.4 Part 6;3.1.15 is identical text as shown in the UN Model Regulations 6.1.4.16.
- 1.5 It is not proposed to remove the words "Specialized use only" as the only packing instruction referencing 5H1 is Packing Instruction 116 in the Supplement to the Technical Instructions.
- 1.6 The use of 5H1 for Packing Instruction 116 relates to Explosive, blasting of various types including B-C-D and E variants and is therefore a specialized use in the context of air transport.

## 2. **ACTION BY THE DGP-WG**

## 2.1 The DGP-WG is invited to:

a) Consider amending Table 6-2 for the 5H1 entry as follows.

Proposed change for consideration:

Table 6-2. Index of packagings other than inner packagings

Kind	Code and, where applicable, category	Paragraph	Maximum capacity (L)	Maximum net mass (kg)
•••				
Woven plastic bags	5H1	<u>3.1.15</u>	Specialized use only	<u>50</u>
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