



**WORKING PAPER**

**DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL (DGP)**

**TWENTIETH MEETING**

**Montréal, 24 October to 04 November 2005**

**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 2007-2008 Edition**

**PACKING INSTRUCTIONS 911 AND 914**

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**1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 The Technical Instructions appear to be at variance with the other modes of transport in relation to the packing instructions for UN 3077 and UN 3082 (**Environmentally hazardous substances**). These substances pose no direct hazard to the aircraft, passengers or crew as was discussed at the meeting in April 2005. An alignment would assist consignors in having standard multimodal packaging as all other conditions (approved packaging applies).

1.2 During the work on the packing instructions this anomaly was identified but it was felt that this should be proposed as a separate document. In Table 3-1, there is no limit on the quantity per package but there is a limit on inner packagings of combination packagings which is less than that permitted in the other modes of transport. Single packagings can be up to the limits set down in Part 6 (400kg net/450L). The outer packagings of combination packagings can be up to 400kg net mass.

**2. PROPOSAL**

2.1 It is proposed to amend Packing Instruction 911 as follows, which would align the quantities with those applied in the UN Model Regulations:

*INNER:*

Glass or earthenware (IP.1)	<del>5 kg</del> 10 kg
Plastic (IP.2)	<del>40 kg</del> 50 kg

Metal (IP.3, IP.3A)	<del>10 kg</del> 50 kg
Paper (IP.4)	<del>5 kg</del> 50 kg
Plastic bag (IP.5)	<del>5 kg</del> 50 kg
Fibre (IP.6)	<del>5 kg</del> 50 kg
Glass ampoule (IP.8)	0.5 kg
Paper, plastic/aluminium (IP.10)	5 kg

2.2 It is further proposed to amend Packing Instruction 914 as follows:

*INNER:*

Glass or earthenware (IP.1)	<del>5 L</del> 10 L
Plastic (IP.2)	<del>5 L</del> 30 L
Metal (IP.3, IP.3A)	<del>40 L</del> 40 L
Glass ampoule (IP.8)	0.5 L

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