



WORKING PAPER

DANGEROUS GOODS PANEL (DGP)

TWENTIETH MEETING

Montréal, 24 October to 4 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 131 AND 133

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 WP/7 page 5 proposes to change the Particular Packing Requirements in Packing Instruction 131 and in Packing Instruction 133 as follows:

Packing Instruction 131:

Reels ~~should~~ must only be used as inner packagings for UN 0030, 0255, 0360, 0361, 0456 and 0500.

1.2 This might be understood as if only reels are allowed as inner packagings for the above mentioned UN numbers which is, according to the UN Recommendations, not the intention.

Packing Instruction 133:

Trays ~~should~~ must only be used as inner packagings for UN 0044, 0073, 0319, 0320, 0364, 0365, 0366, 0376, 0377 and 0378.

1.3 This might be understood as if only trays are allowed as inner packagings for the above mentioned UN numbers which is, according to the UN Recommendations, not the intention.

2. PROPOSAL

2.1 Align the Particular Packing Requirements with the UN text.

Packing Instruction 131:

PARTICULAR PACKING REQUIREMENTS OR EXCEPTIONS:

- For UN 0029, 0267 and 0455, bags and reels must not be used as inner packagings.
- ~~— Reels should only be used as inner packagings for UN 0030, 0255, 0360, 0361, 0456 and 0500.~~

Note. — You might consider to delete UN 0029 as this substance is forbidden for air transport.

Packing Instruction 133:

PARTICULAR PACKING REQUIREMENTS OR EXCEPTIONS:

- ~~— Trays should only be used as inner packagings for UN 0044, 0073, 0319, 0320, 0364, 0365, 0366, 0376, 0377 and 0378.~~
- ~~— For UN [0043, 0212, 0225, 0268] and 0306, trays must not be used as inner packagings.~~

Note. — You might consider to delete UN 0043, 0212, 0225 and 0268 as these substances are forbidden for air transport.

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