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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

2.4: Part 4 — Packing Instructions

UN 3091

(Presented by the Secretary)

SUMMARY

This paper proposes that quantity limits be established for lithium batteries contained in equipment.

Action proposed is in paragraph 2.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Two proper shipping names are assigned to UN 3091.

1.2 **Lithium batteries packed with equipment** is assigned to packing instruction 918 for both passenger and cargo aircraft; quantity limitations of 5 kg gross mass for passenger aircraft and 35 kg gross mass for cargo aircraft are contained in the packing instruction. **Lithium batteries contained in equipment** is assigned to packing instruction 912. No quantity limit is given, other than “not more than 5 kg of lithium batteries may be contain in any piece of equipment”.

2. ACTION PROPOSED

2.1 It is suggested that quantity limits be established for lithium batteries contained in equipment.

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