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**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 2011/2012 Edition

2.4: Part 4 — Packing Instructions

PACKING INSTRUCTION 916

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SUMMARY

This paper proposes amendment to Packing Instruction 916.

Action by the DGP-WG is in paragraph 2.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 At DGP/21, Packing Instruction 916 was amended to state that 'For other than fuel system components, machinery or apparatus may only contain:

- 1) dangerous goods permitted under 3;4.1.2; **or**
- 2) dangerous goods permitted under 3;4.1.2 and magnetized material meeting the requirements of Packing Instruction 902; **or**
- 3) gases of Division 2.2 without subsidiary risk but excluding refrigerated liquefied gases.'

1.2 There are occasions when apparatus or machinery will contain gases of Division 2.2 **and** dangerous goods permitted under 3;4.1.2 and/or magnetized material. However, the word 'or' at the end of 1) and 2) implies that equipment or apparatus must not contain combinations of Division 2.2 gases and the other dangerous goods. It is suggested that this was not the intention of the wording.

2. ACTION BY THE DGP-WG

2.1 The DGP-WG is invited to amend Packing Instruction 916 as follows:

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The general packing requirements of Part 4, Chapter 1 must be met except that the requirements of 4;1.1.2, 4;1.1.8, 4;1.1.10, 4;1.1.13 and 4;1.1.16 do not apply.		
a)	For other than fuel system components, machinery or apparatus may only contain:	
1)	dangerous goods permitted under 3;4.1.2 <u>and/or gases of Division 2.2 without subsidiary risk but excluding refrigerated liquefied gases</u> ; or	
2)	dangerous goods permitted under 3;4.1.2 <u>and/or gases of Division 2.2 without subsidiary risk but excluding refrigerated liquefied gases</u> and magnetized material meeting the requirements of Packing Instruction 902; or	
3)	gases of Division 2.2 without subsidiary risk but excluding refrigerated liquefied gases.	
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