



**WORKING PAPER**

**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 2015-2016 Edition**

**2.1: Part 1 — General**

**TRAINING NOMENCLATURE**

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**SUMMARY**

This paper proposes the standardization of training nomenclature for different categories of staff.

Action by the DGP-WG is in paragraph 2.

**1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 In Part 1;4.2 of the Technical Instructions, Table 1-4 and Table 1-5 identify what subject matter different categories of staff should be familiar with. Descriptions of the different categories are provided below each table under headings called “KEY”.

1.2 In Part 1;4.3.1, there are some requirements for dangerous goods instructors. One of them is having successfully completed a dangerous goods training programme in the applicable “CATEGORY”, or “CATEGORY” 6.

1.3 Since the Technical Instructions have two different words meaning the same, it is proposed to adopt just one of them in the whole Instructions.

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

2.1 The DGP-WG is invited to choose one of the options proposed in the appendix to this working paper in order to standardize the nomenclature for different sorts of training.

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**APPENDIX**

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE TECHNICAL INSTRUCTIONS**

**PROPOSAL 1**

**Part 1**

**GENERAL**

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**Chapter 4**

**TRAINING**

*Parts of this Chapter are affected by State Variations AE 2, BR 7, CA 18, HK 1;  
see Table A-1*

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**4.3 INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATIONS**

4.3.1 Unless otherwise provided for by the appropriate national authority, instructors of initial and recurrent dangerous goods training programmes must have adequate instructional skills and have successfully completed a dangerous goods training programme in the applicable ~~category~~ **Key**, or ~~Category~~ **Key** 6, prior to delivering such a dangerous goods training programme.

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**PROPOSAL 2**

**Part 1**

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**Chapter 4**

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**4.2 TRAINING CURRICULA**

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**Table 1-4. Content of training courses**

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| **KEY**CATEGORY

1 — Shippers and persons undertaking the responsibilities of shippers

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**Table 1-5. Content of training courses for operators not carrying dangerous goods as cargo or mail**

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| **KEY**CATEGORY

7 — Operator's and ground handling agent's staff accepting cargo or mail (other than dangerous goods)

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