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Proposals for amendments to annexes A and B of ADR:

Construction and approval of vehicles

Correction of the reference to standard IEC 529

Transmitted by the Government of the Netherlands

1. In subsection 9.2.2.3.3 and 9.2.2.6.3 of ADR 2011 a reference is made to standard IEC 529 for the protection degree of electrical equipment. This standard however is no longer available at the International Electrotechnical Commission. It is assumed that the standard has been replaced by standard EN-IEC 60529.
 2. Because of the reference in ADR the standard IEC 529 is still obligatory. The non availability of this standard results in problems with feasibility and enforceability.
 3. We would like to ask WP.15 how to proceed.
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