



## **HAZCHEM SOLUTIONS**

**CONVEY DANGEROUS GOODS BY ROAD** 



## PART ONE



# INTRODUCTION TO DANGEROUS GOODS

## WHAT ARE 'DANGEROUS GOODS'?

#### GOODS POSING A SIGNIFICANT RISK TO:







**SAFETY** 



**PROPERTY** 



**DURING TRANSPORT** 

# OTHER NAMES FOR DANGEROUS GOODS

HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES

**HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES** 

**HAZARDOUS MATERIALS** 

**HAZCHEM** 

**HAZMAT** 

# HOW ARE THEY IDENTIFIED?

BY A DIAMOND-SHAPED LABEL ON
AN ITEM
A CONTAINER
A BUILDING





**DUE TO THE RISK TO** HEALTH, **SAFETY, PROPERTY &** ENVIRONMENT, **DANGEROUS GOODS MUST BE** REGULATED

# DANGEROUS GOODS ARE REGULATED BY:

THE NATIONAL **ROAD TRAFFIC** ACT(NRTA) **OTHER ACTS** NATIONAL **STANDARDS** AND MUNICIPAL

# THE NATIONAL ROAD TRAFFIC ACT SECTION 54

No person must, except as prescribed, offer for transportation in a vehicle, or transport in a vehicle, or accept after transportation in, on or by a vehicle, any prescribed Dangerous Goods.

## WHO MUST IDENTIFY DANGEROUS GOODS?

THE CONSIGNOR
(THE PERSON WHO OFFERS
DANGEROUS GOODS FOR
TRANSPORT IN A VEHICLE)

## HOW ARE THEY IDENTIFIED?

SANS 10228: 2012

THIS STANDARD COVERS THE IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORT BY ROAD OR RAIL MODES

## **DANGEROUS GOODS ARE CLASSIFIED BY:**

UN NUMBER
PROPER SHIPPING NAME
HAZARD CLASS/CLASSES
SUBSIDIARY RISK CLASS
PACKING GROUP

#### WHAT IS A UN NUMBER?

SERIAL NUMBER CONSISTING OF
4 DIGITS THAT IS ASSIGNED TO
DANGEROUS GOODS BY THE
UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE OF
EXPERTS (UNECE) ON THE
TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS
GOODS

RANGE FROM 0001 TO 3506
SINGLE SUBSTANCES HAVE
THEIR OWN NUMBER
GROUPS OF CHEMICALS
HAVE A COMMON NUMBER

A CHEMICAL IN ITS SOLID-STATE MAY RECEIVE A DIFFERENT UN NUMBER THAN THE LIQUID PHASE IF THEIR HAZARDOUS PROPERTIES DIFFER.





## PROPER SHIPPING NAME

DESCRIPTION USED FOR DANGEROUS GOODS IN TRANSPORT DOCUMENTATION IN THE MARKING OF PACKAGES AND IN THE PLACARDING OF CONTAINERS AND VEHICLES TO ENSURE THAT GOODS CAN BE READILY IDENTIFIED DURING TRANSPORT.

#### **ENAMEL PAINT?**



SHIPPING NAME? "PAINT, FLAMMABLE"

## HAZARD CLASS

DANGEROUS GOODS ARE CLASSIFIED(PLACED IN A CLASS/DIVISION) ACCORDING TO THEIR PRIMARY DANGER OR RISK AND ARE ASSIGNED STANDARDISED WARNING SYMBOLS/LABELS TO IDENTIFY THE RELEVANT CLASS.

#### **OXYGEN**



WHAT IS THE PRIMARY HAZARD?

"High Pressure / Cold"

## SUBSIDIARY CLASS

A CLASS ASSIGNED TO A SUBSTANCE WITH MORE THAN ONE DANGER/RISK, WHERE THE SECONDARY (SUBSIDIARY) DANGER/S IS/ARE SIGNIFICANT ENOUGH TO WARRANT **FURTHER RECOGNITION OF THE ADDITIONAL HAZARD/S** 

**EXAMPLES** 











**CHLORINE GAS PLACARD WITH** S/RISK



**HYDRAZINE HYDRATE** 

**SUBSIDIARY** RISK?

**OXIDIZER** 

## PACKING GROUP (PG)

GROUP SYMBOL THAT INDICATES THE DEGREE OF DANGER/HAZARD OF THE PRIMARY PROPERTY OF A SPECIFIC SUBSTANCE

PG I - EXTREME DANGER
PG II - MEDIUM DANGER
PG III - MINOR/MILD

**EXAMPLES** 



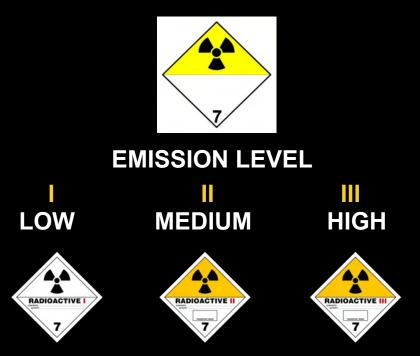


CLASS	CLASS NAME	PG
1	<b>EXPLOSIVES</b>	n/a
2.1	FLAMMABLE GASES	n/a
2.2	<b>COMPRESSED GASES</b>	n/a
2.3	<b>TOXIC GASES</b>	n/a
3	FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS	I — II — III
4.1	FLAMMABLE SOLIDS	I — II — III
4.2	SPONTANEOUSLY COMBUSTIBLE	I — II — III
4.3	DANGEROUS WHEN WET	I — II — III
5.1	OXIDIZERS	I — II — III
5.2	ORGANIC PEROXIDES	l or II
6.1	TOXIC	I — II — III
6.2	INFECTIOUS	n/a
7	RADIOACTIVE	OPPOSITE
8	CORROSIVE	I — II — III
9	MISCELLANEOUS	1 – 11 – 111

### IF WE LOOK AT THE TABLE, WE CAN SEE THAT:

WHERE A SUBSTANCE HAS NOT APPLICABLE (N/A) THEN THAT CLASS IS TREATED AS PG I- EXTREME DANGER, FOR PURPOSES OF TRANSPORT, STORAGE, PACKAGING, LABELLING & HANDLING.

RADIOACTIVES ARE LABELLED ACCORDING TO EMISSION LEVELS, WHERE THE LEVELS WORK THE OPPOSITE OF PACKING GROUPS.





## PART TWO



## THE 9 HAZARD CLASSES



## CLASS 1: EXPLOSIVES

MATERIALS OR ITEMS WHICH HAVE THE ABILITY TO DETONATE AS A CONSEQUENCE OF CHEMICAL REACTION



PRODUCING GASES AT TEMPERATURES, PRESSURES AND SPEEDS AS TO CAUSE CATASTROPHIC DAMAGE THROUGH FORCE AND/OR OF PRODUCING OTHERWISE HAZARDOUS AMOUNTS OF HEAT, LIGHT, SOUND, GAS OR SMOKE.







**FLARES** 

## **CLASS 2: GASES**

SUBSTANCES WHICH HAVE A VAPOUR PRESSURE OF 300 KPA OR GREATER AT 50 DEGREES OR WHICH ARE COMPLETELY GASEOUS AT 20 DEGREES AT STANDARD ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE AND ITEMS CONTAINING THESE SUBSTANCES.

#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**

GASES ARE CAPABLE OF POSING SERIOUS HAZARDS DUE TO THEIR FLAMMABILITY, POTENTIAL ASPHYXIANTS, ABILITY TO OXIDIZE AND THEIR TOXICITY TO HUMANS













## CLASS 3: FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

LIQUIDS, MIXTURES OF LIQUIDS CONTAINING SOLIDS IN SOLUTION WHICH GIVE OFF FLAMMABLE VAPOUR AT TEMPERATURES OF NOT MORE THAN 60-65 DEGREES



#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**

FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS ARE CAPABLE OF POSING SERIOUS HAZARDS DUE TO THEIR VOLATILITY, COMBUSTIBILITY & POTENTIAL IN CAUSING/PROPAGATING SEVERE CONFLAGRATIONS



## CLASS 4: FLAMMABLE SOLIDS

MATERIALS WHICH UNDER CONDITIONS ENCOUNTERED IN TRANSPORT ARE READILY COMBUSTIBLE/CAUSE/ CONTRIBUTE TO FIRE THROUGH FRICTION, SELF-REACTIVE SUBSTANCES LIABLE TO UNDERGO STRONGLY EXOTHERMIC REACTION. SUBSTANCES LIABLE TO SPONTANEOUS HEATING/ HEATING UP IN CONTACT WITH AIR/SUBSTANCES BECOME SPONTANEOUSLY FLAMMABLE WHEN IN CONTACT WITH WATER.

#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**

FLAMMABLE SOLIDS ARE CAPABLE OF POSING SERIOUS HAZARDS DUE TO THEIR VOLATILITY, COMBUSTIBILITY & POTENTIAL IN CAUSING SERIOUS CONFLAGRATIONS













### **CLASS 5: OXIDIZING SUBSTANCES AND**

**ORGANIC PEROXIDES** 



SUBSTANCES WHICH MAY CAUSE/ CONTRIBUTE TO COMBUSTION, GENERALLY BY YIELDING OXYGEN AS A RESULT OF A REDOX CHEMICAL REACTION





SUBSTANCES WHICH MAY BE
CONSIDERED DERIVATIVES OF
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE WHERE
ONE/BOTH HYDROGEN ATOMS OF
CHEMICAL STRUCTURE HAVE BEEN
REPLACED BY ORGANIC RADICALS





#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**

OXIDIZERS-CAN YIELD OXYGEN AND CAUSE/ CONTRIBUTE TO COMBUSTION OF OTHER MATERIALS.
ORGANIC PEROXIDES- THERMALLY UNSTABLE, MAY EXUDE HEAT WHILST UNDERGOING EXOTHERMIC AUTOCATALYTIC DECOMPOSITION/MAY BE LIABLE TO EXPLOSIVE DECOMPOSITION /CAUSE DAMAGE

# CLASS 6: TOXIC SUBSTANCES & INFECTIOUS DISEASES



SUBSTANCES LIABLE EITHER TO CAUSE DEATH/SERIOUS INJURY OR TO HARM HUMAN HEALTH IF SWALLOWED, INHALED/ BY SKIN CONTACT.







SUBSTANCES KNOWN /CANBE
REASONABLY EXPECTED TO CONTAIN
PATHOGENS(BACTERIA, VIRUSES, FUNG
I OR OTHER AGENTS CAUSING
DISEASE IN HUMANS/ANIMALS

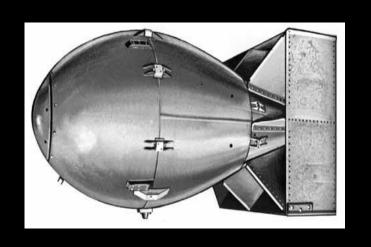




**REASON FOR REGULATION** 

CAN POSE SIGNIFICANT RISKS TO HUMAN & ANIMAL HEALTH UPON CONTACT.

## **CLASS 7: RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES**





RADIONUCLIDE??

ATOM WITH UNSTABLE NUCLEUS, SUBJECT TO RADIOACTIVE DECAY

ANY MATERIAL CONTAINING <u>RADIONUCLIDES</u> WHERE BOTH ACTIVITY CONCENTRATION & TOTAL ACTIVITY EXCEEDS CERTAIN PREDEFINED VALUES

**REASON FOR REGULATION** 

WHISLT UNDERGOING RADIOACTIVE DECAY, RADIO-NUCLIDES EMIT IONIZING RADIATION WHICH PRESENTS POTENTIALLY SEVERE RISKS TO HUMAN HEALTH



## **CLASS 8: CORROSIVES**

#### SUBSTANCES WHICH BY CHEMICAL ACTION DEGRADE/ DISINTEGRATE OTHER MATERIALS UPON CONTACT

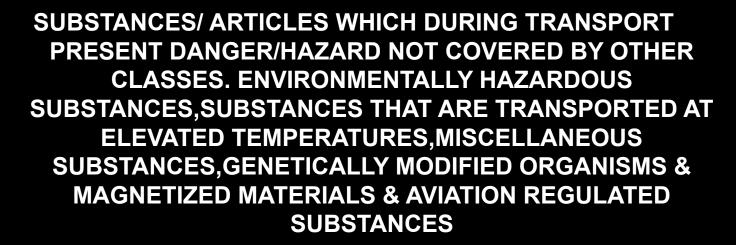
#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**



CAUSE SEVERE DAMAGE WHEN IN CONTACT WITH LIVING TISSUE/IN THE CASE OF LEAKAGE CAN DAMAGE/DESTROY SURROUNDING MATERIALS.



## CLASS 9: MISCELLANEOUS



#### **REASON FOR REGULATION**

PRESENT WIDE ARRAY OF POTENTIAL HAZARDS TO HUMAN HEALTH AND SAFETY, INFRASTRUCTURE OR THEIR MEANS OF TRANSPORT.







## PART THREE



# PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS FOR DANGEROUS GOODS

## OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY ACT-85 OF

1993

DANGEROUS GOODS ARE USUALLY MANUFACTURED, PACKAGED, HANDLED & STORED IN A REGISTERED WORKPLACE IN SOUTH AFRICA.

EMPLOYEES ARE PROTECTED BY VARIOUS SECTIONS AND REGULATIONS & IT IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE WHEN EMPLOYERS FAIL TO APPLY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ACT.

## DUTIES OF THE EMPLOYER:

PROVIDE SAFE WORKPLACES FOR ALL EMPLOYEES, VISITORS/PERSONS WHO MAY BE NEGATIVELY AFFECTED BY ACTIVITIES OF THAT WORKPLACE.

INFORM EMPLOYEES OF HAZARDS/RISKS
ASSOCIATED WITH THE WORK THEY
ARE EXPECTED TO PERFORM ON
BEHALF OF THAT EMPLOYER.



# CONSEQUENCES OF NOT MANAGING DANGEROUS GOODS EFFECTIVELY IN WORKPLACES



CRIMINAL & CIVIL LIABILITY

POSSIBILITY OF INSURANCE CLAIMS FOR LOSS/DAMAGE
SUFFERED FROM INCIDENTS(FIRES) NOT BEING PAID OUT.
INJURIES/LOSS OF MAN HOURS
LOSS OF PRODUCTIVITY
LOSS OF LIFE
BAD PUBLICITY (NEWS)





FINE/ IMPRISONMENT FOR PERIOD NOT EXCEEDING 6 MONTHS.IN THE CASE OF CONTINUOUS OFFENCE AN ADDITIONAL R200 FINE FOR EACH DAY THE OFFENCE CONTINUES/ADDITIONAL IMPRISONMENT OF ONE DAY FOR EACH DAY ON WHICH THE OFFENCE CONTINUES

# REGULATION 14-HAZARDOUS CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES (OHS ACT)

IN ORDER TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CONTAMINATION THE EMPLOYER MUST ENSURE THAT:

THE HCS IN STORAGE /DISTRIBUTED ARE PROPERLY IDENTIFIED, CLASSIFIED AND HANDLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SANS 10228: 2012

A CONTAINER/ VEHICLE IN WHICH HCS IS TRANSPORTED IS CLEARLY IDENTIFIED, CLASSIFIED & PACKED IN UN-APPROVED PACKAGING.

ANY CONTAINER (INTO WHICH HCS IS DECANTED) IS CLEARLY LABELLED WITH REGARD TO THE CONTENT THEREOF.







## PART FOUR



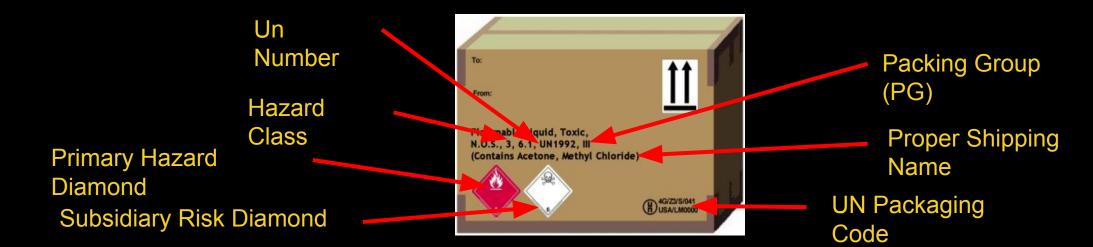
# REGULATION OF DANGEROUS GOODS WHEN CONVEYED ON PUBLIC ROADS

# STEPS REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY AND CLASSIFY LOADS CORRECTLY?

BEFORE LOADING ANY GOODS, WE SHOULD ASK: "ARE THE GOODS 'DANGEROUS' OR NOT? MAKE 100% SURE!!!

#### **STEP 1(ALL LOADS)**

DO THE GOODS HAVE A :UN NUMBER, PROPER SHIPPING NAME, HAZARD CLASS, SUBSIDIARY RISK CLASS OR PACKING GROUP(IF APPLICABLE)
UN INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON LABELS ON PACKAGES, MSDS-SECTION 14, PREVIOUS TRANSPORT DOCUMENTATION(DELIVERY NOTES), BY SEARCHING THE INTERNET OR CONTACTING SUPPLIER/MANUFACTURER.



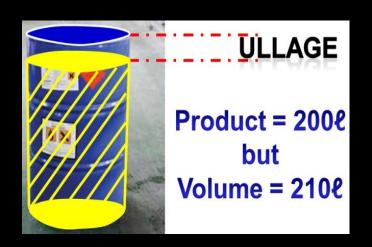
MATERIAL SAFET DATA SHEETS

# STEPS REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY AND CLASSIFY LOADS CORRECTLY?

STEP 2(SINGLE LOADS)ONLY ONE UN NUMBER IS IDENTIFIED

### ESTABLISH THE QUANTITY OF DANGEROUS GOODS THAT MUST BE LOADED

QUANTITY IS MEASURED IN LITRES (LIQUIDS) AND KILOGRAMS(SOLIDS)
WHEN ESTABLISHING LITRES THE RULE IS TO ESTABLISH THE VOLUME OF A CONTAINER NOT THE
ACTUAL QUANTITY OF LIQUID IN THAT CONTAINER. THIS IS BECAUSE LIQUIDS EVAPORATE & EMIT
FURTHER FUMES, VAPOUR, GAS INTO SPACE ABOVE LEVEL OF LIQUID AND FORM PART OF HAZARD.
THIS SPACE IS CALLED ULLAGE.



#### **NOTIONALLY EMPTY**

THE FULL 'WATER CAPACITY' (LITRES) OF CONTAINERS, DRUMS, TANKS & CYLINDERS SHOULD BE APPLIED TO THE MEASUREMENT OF "VOLUME" TAKE NOTE OF THE FACT THAT EVEN SEEMINGLY EMPTY CONTAINERS ARE ACTUALLY NOTIONALLY EMPTY (TREAT NOTIONALLY EMPTY CONTAINERS AS IF THEY WERE FULL) APPLY THE VOLUME RULE

NOTIONALLY EMPTY CONTAINERS ARE IN MANY INSTANCES MORE LIKELY TO EXPLODE IN FIRE SITUATION SINCE THEY DON'T HAVE LIQUID WITHIN TO ABSORB HEAT AWAY FROM THE SURFACE OF THE CONTAINER. THE SURFACE WILL OVERHEAT QUICKLY, WEAKEN & RUPTURE RELEASING VAPOUR UNDER GREAT PRESSURE FROM WITHIN TO OUTSIDE AIR, MIXING WITH OXYGEN AND DETONATING IN AN 'UNCONFINED VAPOUR CLOUD EXPLOSION.

ALWAYS TREAT EMPTY CHEMICAL CONTAINERS WITH THE SAME CAUTION AS IS USUALLY AFFORDED TO FULL CONTAINERS

# STEPS REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY AND CLASSIFY LOADS CORRECTLY?

#### **STEP 3 SINGLE LOAD**

REFER TO LOAD CONSTRAINTS,IN PARTICULAR TABLE C.1 (EXEMPT QUANTITY LIST)FOUND IN SANS 10231:2014



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
UN	Proper shipping name	Class	Pack- ing group	Subs. risk	Ex- empt quan- tities	F	P, B, L and O provisions			
No.							P	В	L	0

### **EXEMPT QUANTITY- SULPHURIC ACID**

IF VOLUME OF CONTAINERS DON'T
EXCEED 50 LITRES-THE LOAD IS
NOT REGULATED- NORMAL
GOODS



IF NET VOLUME EXCEEDS 50 LITRES –LOAD IS
REGULATED AS DANGEROUS GOODSREGULATIONS,BY-LAWS NATIONAL STANDARDS
APPLY







1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
UN No.	Proper shipping name	Class	Pack- ing group	Subs. risk	Ex- empt quan- tities	F	P, B, L and O provisions				
							P	В	L	0	
1830	SULFURIC ACID with >51% acid	8	Ш		50	20					

# STEPS REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY AND CLASSIFY LOADS CORRECTLY?

STEP 3 MIXED LOAD CHECKING COMPATIBILITY OF DIFFERENT CLASSES

ESTABLISH WHETHER UN NUMBERS ARE FROM THE SAME CLASS OR FROM DIFFERENT CLASSES AND SEE WHETHER THEY ARE COMPATIBLE OR NOT

**SAME CLASS** 





**COMPATIBLE** 

**DIFFERENT CLASSES** 





**CHECK WHETHER COMPATIBLE** 

#### **COMPATIBILITY CHART**

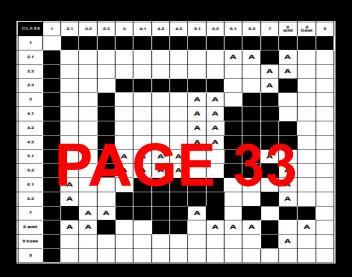
TABLE G.1 PAGE 33 IN SANS 10231
CLASSES CAN BE FOUND ON THE LEFT (1-9) AND THE TOP (1-9)

THE GENERAL SEGREGATION SPACE BETWEEN COMPATIBLE GOODS IS 100mm

YOU NEED TO COMPARE THE PRIMARY CLASS AND THE SUBSIDIARY RISK CLASS AGAINST EACH OTHER ON THE COMPATIBILITY CHART

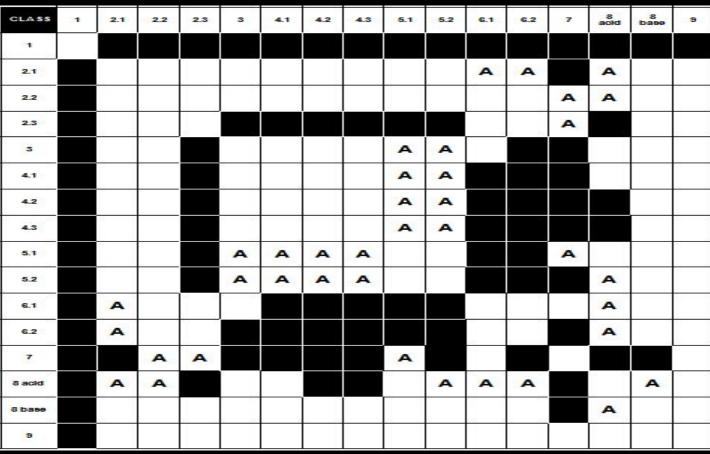
BOTH CLASSES AND SUBSIDIARY RISK CLASSES MUST BE COMPATIBLE

QUANTITY IS MEASURED AS LIQUIDS- LITRES/VOLUME AND AS SOLIDS -KG



WHITE BLOCK =
COMPATIBLE
(100MM
SPACE)

BLACK BLOCK= NOT
COMPATIBLE
(CLASSES NOT
ALLOWED
TOGETHER ON
SAME VEHICLE)



A BLOCK= SEPARATE
BY 1 METER
(CLASSES
ALLOWED
TOGETHER BUT
NEEDS TO HAVE
SPACE OF 1
METRE)



## **MIXED LOAD '1000' FORMULA**

A = Q X F

## A- ANSWER Q- QUANTITY F- FACTOR

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
UN	Proper shipping name	Class	Pack-	Subs.	Ex- empt	_	P, B, L and O provisions			ovisions
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## **EXAMPLE**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
UN	Proper shipping name	Class	Pack- ing	Subs.	Ex- empt	H	Ρ,	P, B, L and O provisions		
No.	Proper shipping hame	Class	group	risk	quan- tities		Р	В	٦	0
1944	MATCHES, SAFETY (book, card or strike on box)	4.1	III		500	2				
1823	SODIUM HYDROXIDE, SOLID	8	=		50	20	11			
1202	GAS OIL or DIESEL FUEL or HEATING OIL, LIGHT, flash point <60,5°C c.c.	3	I		1 000	1				2
	GAS OIL or DIESEL FUEL or HEATING OIL, LIGHT, flash point >60,5°C c.c.	3	III		1 000	1				

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A1	=	Q	X	F	A2	=	<u>u</u>	X	F	А3	=	Q	X	F

		Q	Χ	F			Q	Χ	F			Q	Χ	F
A1	=		X		A2	=		X		А3	=		X	

$$A1 = 150 \times 2 = 300$$

$$A2 = 15 \times 20 = 300$$

$$A3 = 450 \times 1 = 450$$

IF THE SUM IS > 1000 THE LOAD IS A "MIXED LOAD"

$$= 1050$$

IS THIS A REGULATED
SINGLE LOAD
OR A REGULATED
MIXED LOAD?

Remember the "1000" Rule



## POWERS AND DUTIES OF INSPECTORS- D.O.T

DEMAND ANY PRESCRIBED DOCUMENT FROM DRIVER, OPERATOR, CONSIGNOR
INFORMATION ON SUBSTANCES
DEMAND EXPLANATION OF DOCUMENTS
WEIGH, COUNT/ MEASURE GOODS
MARK/SEAL PACKAGES OR VEHICLES
EXAMINE/COPY LOAD DOCUMENTS
INSPECT ANY D/GOODS OPERATION
DEMAND INFORMATION ON OPERATIONS
SEIZE ANY SUBSTANCES/ITEMS THAT MAY BE USED AS EVIDENCE/PROOF









## INSPECTORS AND TRAFFIC OFFICERS

## **MAY NOT**

OPEN DANGEROUS GOODS PACKAGES UNLOAD OR DECANT DANGEROUS GOODS

## **UNLESS**

THE OPERATOR IS DULY NOTED AUTHORISED BY LOCAL AUTHORITY QUALIFIED PERSON SUPERVISES









## PART FIVE



# PLACARDING OF VEHICLES CONVEYING DANGEROUS GOODS

## **TYPES OF PLACARDS**

## DANGEROUS GOODS PLACARD



## DANGER WARNING DIAMOND



**SPLIT PLACARDING** 

ZONE B
ZONE C
ZONE C

## PLACARD ZONES

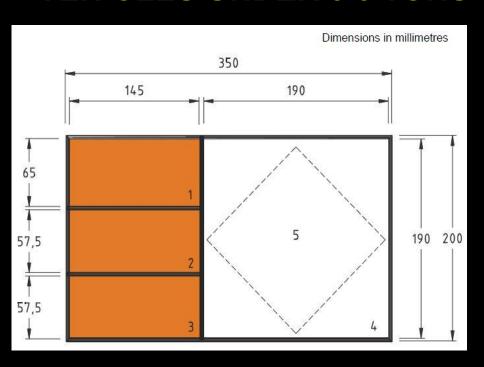
UN NUMBER

OPERATOR
TELEPHONIC
DEVICE ZONE

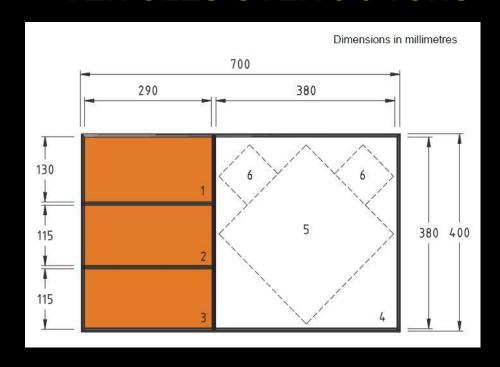
SPECIALIST TELEPHONIC ADVICE ZONE HAZARD CLASS DIAMOND ZONE

## MINIMUM SIZING OF PLACARDS

#### **VEHICLES UNDER 3.5 TONS**



#### **VEHICLES OVER 3.5 TONS**



VERY IMPORTANT METHOD FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES & LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES TO IDENTIFY TYPE OF LOAD CARRIED BY A DANGEROUS GOODS VEHICLE. IT 'S IMPORTANT THAT VEHICLES DISPLAY ACCURATE PLACARDS THAT PROPERLY IDENTIFY THE TYPE OF LOADS OR GOODS IN THE CASE OF AN INCIDENT.

## MIXED LOAD PLACARDS

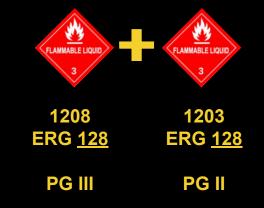
#### **MORE THAN 1 HAZARD CLASS**





## SAME CLASS & ERG,MOST HAZARDOUS





## SAME CLASS, DIFFERENT ERG no.





### PLACARD RULES

CLEAN, LEGIBLE & VISIBLE(BLACK BORDER INCLUDED) NOT DEFACED AT ALL TIMES DIRECTLY FIXED/ SUPPORTED BY PERMANENT FRAME

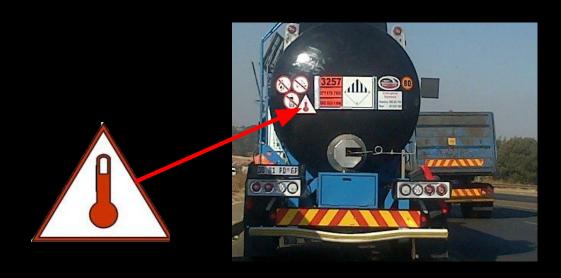
3 REGULAR SIZE DG PLACARDS AFFIXED :1 AT THE REAR,1 ON LEFT AND 1 ON RIGHT.

CLEARLY VISIBLE FROM ROADSIDE.

REGULAR SIZE ORANGE DANGER WARNING DIAMOND AFFIXED TO FRONT OF VEHICLE SEEN CLEARLY FROM THE FRONT.

D/GOODS TRANSPORTED AT TEMP OF 100 DEGREES(LIQUIDS) 240 DEGREES(SOLIDS) MUST HAVE 3 ELEVATED TEMPERATURE WARNING TRIANGLES -1 AT REAR & 1 ON EACH SIDE OF UNIT







### THINGS TO REMEMBER

DO NOT USE MIXED LOAD AS THE ANSWER FOR ALL LOADS OR OLD MULTILOAD PLACARDS AS IT IS ILLEGAL



## DRIVERS MUST DISPLAY PLACARDS WHEN:

LOADED WITH D/GOODS.
SINGLE LOADS EXCEED EXEMPT QUANTITY
MIXED LOADS EXCEED "1000"

## DRIVERS MUST REMOVE PLACARDS WHEN:

ALL GOODS OFFLOADED.
SINGLE LOADS UNDER EXEMPT QUANTITY
MIXED LOADS UNDER "1000"
NOTE: DOES NOT APPLY TO TANKERS!!!

#### **OFFENCES**

FAILING TO DISPLAY ACCURATE PLACARDS THAT MATCH LOADS
FAILING TO DISPLAY PLACARDS IF GOODS ARE OVER THE EXEMPT QUANTIT
FAILING TO DISPLAY ANY PLACARDS

#### **NO PLACARDS!!!**



**R 35,000 FINE** 

## NOTE: DO NOT REMOVE PLACARDS ON THESE DANGEROUS GOODS <u>VEHICLES</u>





## PART SIX



# PRESCRIBED DOCUMENTS FOR DANGEROUS GOODS CONVEYED ON PUBLIC ROADS

## TRANSPORT EMERGENCY CARDS- TEC

CARD THAT LISTS HAZARDS & EMERGENCY
INFORMATION FOR A MATERIAL BEING TRANSPORTED

INTENDED FOR USE BY DRIVER DURING INCIDENT/ BY EMERGENCY SERVICES IF REQUIRED

DRIVERS NEED TO HAVE THIS PRESENT AND IT MUST BE PLACED IN THE DESIGNATED SPACE ONLY WHEN TRANSPORTING THE CORRESPONDING D/GOODS

TEC CARDS ARE VALID FOR 3 YEARS FROM EDITION DATE





#### TRANSPORT EMERGENCY CARD - Road Transport

In accordance with SANS 10232-4

PROPER SHIPPING NAME DIESEL FUEL

#### APPEARANCE

Liquid; Light brown; Strong odour

#### DANGER

. Highly flammable. Easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames. Vapour could form explosive mixture with air . Containers could explode when heated . Vapour explosion hazard indoors, outdoors and in sewers . Vapour could travel to source of ignition and flash back

UN No.

Class

Subsidiary risk

Packing Group ERG No.

1202

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•Protective goggles or face shield •Protective gloves •Protective shoes •Eyewash bottle with clean water

















#### **EMERGENCY RESPONSE EQUIPMENT**

•Dry chemical or CO2 •Shovel •Sand or other absorbent

#### DRIVER FIRST ACTIONS - Only if it can be carried out without personal risk

. No smoking allowed . Warn road users and passers by to keep away from danger area . Keep upwind

#### DRIVER SPECIAL/ADDITIONAL ACTIONS - Only if it can be carried out without personal risk

. Avoid sparks . Warn all persons not to touch damaged packages or spilled material . Warn all persons of explosion hazard . Prevent runoff from entering water courses, sewers and basements

#### DRIVER ACTIONS IN CASE OF FIRE - Only if it can be carried out without personal risk

 Do not attempt to deal with any major fire that involves the load ◆Use fire extinguisher on small fire only if it can be done without personal risk

#### FIRST AID

 Move victim to fresh air ◆Apply artificial respiration if victim is not breathing ◆In case of contact with material, immediately flush skin or eyes (or both) with running water for at least 20 minutes . Remove and isolate contaminated clothing and shoes

#### SPECIAL INFORMATION FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES

 Use water spray, fog or alcohol-resistant foam Do not use straight streams
 Fight fire from maximum distance or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles . Always stay away from ends of tanks

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS (applicable numbers to be printed here)

#### PREPARED BY (Company Name to be printed here)

from the best knowledge currently available; no guarantee is provided that the information is sufficient or correct under all circumstances.

Reference: 182-1202-M0012











### DANGEROUS GOODS DECLARATION- DGD

DOCUMENT THAT DESCRIBES AND QUANTIFIES THE DANGEROUS GOODS BEING TRANSPORTED FROM A CONSIGNEE

CONSIGNOR -KEEPS 1 COPY OPERATOR- DRIVER MUST HAND IN CONSIGNEE- KEEPS 1 AFTER DELIVERY

#### **MUST BE KEPT FOR 90 DAYS MINIMUM**

	S GOODS DECLARATION at Note No: 101 11X		Fe	Express -			
Consignor:	R A Jones, Jones Warehouse, 100 High Rd, Germiston Tel: 011 100 1000		Operator: B Higgins, Higgins Road freight, 200 South Ave, Germiston Tel: 011 200 2000  Reg. no. vehicle: XYZ 200 GP				
Product mar	ufacturer	Cons	300 Ma	hemicals, arine Drive, Durban 1 300 3000			
Product own	er		Additional information on				
Product cust	odian	Thep	<ul> <li>handling/transport/ storage:</li> <li>The package marked with UN XXXX shall be</li> </ul>				
Party contra the operator	•	shade	d from sunlight				

DANGEROUS GOODS Consignment Note No:		ION		Company Logo (optional)						
Consignor: R A Jones Wa Jones Wa 100 High Tel: 011 1	rehouse, Rd, Germist	on		Operator:  B Higgins, Higgins Road freight, 200 South Ave, Germiston Tel: 011 200 2000 Reg. no. vehicle: XYZ 200 GP						
Product manufacturer				Consignee: ABC Chemicals, 300 Marine Drive, Durban Tel: 031 300 3000						
Product owner				Additional informat						
Product custodian				handling/transport/ The package marked	with UN XXXX sh	iall be				
the operator: Jor	A Jones, nes Wareho High Rd, Ge : 011 100 10	ermiston		shaded from sunlight						
Shipping name:	UN No:	Haz Clas s:	PG:	Quantity & type of Packaging:	Gross mass kg:	Net mass/vol kg/L				
Paint	1263	3	III	2 fibreboard boxes, 4 x 5 L each	52	41.5				
DECLARATIONS "I hereby declare that the content of this consignment is fully and accurately described above by the proper shipping name, and is classified, packaged, marked and labeled/placarded and in all respects, in proper condition for transport in accordance with the relevant national legislation." Where the consignor is not the manufacturer, the declaration is based on information received. Consignor: Product manufacturer / Product owner / Product custodian / Contracting Party that contracts the operator: Signed: RA foucs  Date: 2008-03-15 "The consignment described above has been received into my vehicle. My vehicle is correctly placarded and I am in possession of all necessary transport documentation pertaining to the transport of dangerous goods, including information to be followed in case of an emergency."  Driver Signed: J K Williams  Date: 2008-039-15										

## **DESIGNATED SPACE**

ORANGE CONTAINER MARKED WITH THE WORD DOCUMENTS IN BLACK.
PERMANENTLY FIXED IN CLEARLY VISIBLE SPACE NEAR THE CENTRE OF THE
CAB SO AS TO BE EASILY ACCESSIBLE FROM EITHER DOOR OR THROUGH
A BROKEN FRONT WINDOW.

CAN BE METAL/PLASTIC, PVC TUBE OR VINYL/CANVAS BAGS





## PART SEVEN



## **DUTIES OF THE CONSIGNOR**







#### WHAT IS A CONSIGNOR?

#### PERSON WHO OFFERS DANGEROUS GOODS FOR TRANSPORT IN A VEHICLE.

IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOADING OF VEHICLES
PART 4 SANS 10231

MUST LOAD ACCORDING TO ALL RELEVANT NATIONAL LEGISLATION

## THE CONSIGNOR OF D/GOODS FOR TRANSPORT BY ROAD VEHICLE MUST ENSURE THAT

**GOODS ARE CORRECTLY CLASSIFIED (SANS 10228)** 

GOODS ARE PACKAGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SANS 10229-1 & SANS 10233

**LOADING OF D/GOODS IS CARRIED OUT BY QUALIFIED PERSON.** 

DRIVER IS PROVIDED WITH SIGNED DGD
DRIVER IS PROVIDED WITH PLACARDS &TEC CARDS

## **WARNING!!!**

DRIVERS AND OPERATORS SHOULD REFUSE TO LOAD NON-COMPLIANT LOADS OF DANGEROUS GOODS

ACCEPTANCE OF ILLEGAL LOADS TRANSFERS LEGAL LIABILITY TO OPERATORS AND DRIVERS





## PART EIGHT



## DUTIES OF THE QUALIFIED PERSON





## WHAT IS A QUALIFIED PERSON?

A PERSON TRAINED TO PERFORM A SPECIFIC TASK, AND NOMINATED BY OPERATOR, CONSIGNOR OR CONSIGNEE.





#### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**



#### **QUALIFIED PERSON MUST MAKE SURE THAT:**

VEHICLE IS CORRECTLY PARKED FOR LOADING/OFFLOADING
WHEEL CHOCKS ARE IN PLACE FOR HEAVY VEHICLES WITH GVM EQUAL TO/GREATER THAN 3500KG
PLACED APPROPRIATELY UNDER WHEELS ON NON-STEERING AXLES
VEHICLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS TO BE PLACED WHERE NOT PROVIDED BY LOADING/UNLOADING POINT
VEHICLE ENGINE SWITCHED OFF
AREA IS SAFE,WITH BARRICADES,NECESSARY WARNING SIGNS
REQUISITE SAFETY & FIRST AID EQUIPMENT IS PROVIDED
LOAD IS ADEQUATELY SECURED







#### **QUALIFIED PERSON LOADING REQUIREMENTS**



#### **QUALIFIED PERSON MUST MAKE SURE THAT:**

GOODS TO BE LOADED ARE CORRECTLY IDENTIFIED ,PACKAGED,LABELLED VEHICLE IS SUITABLE FOR CURRENT PURPOSE & IS CLEAN/ FIT TO LOAD EXEMPT QUANTITY COMPATIBILITY REQUIREMENTS ARE ADHERED TO CORRECT QUANTITY IS LOADED,COMPLIES WITH RELEVANT NATIONAL LEGISLATION CARGO IS UNDAMAGED PROPERLY SECURED DRIVER HAS CORRECT TEC CARD(S) IN POSSESSION NECESSARY DGDS ARE MADE OUT FOR LOAD AND SUPPLIED TO DRIVER.

SPECIAL P,B,L,O (ANNEX C) PROVISIONS ARE ADHERED TO VEHICLE ISNT ALLOWED TO PROCEED ON JOURNEY WITHOUT CORRECT PLACARDS









#### **QUALIFIED PERSON OFFLOADING REQUIREMENTS**

#### **QUALIFIED PERSON MUST MAKE SURE THAT:**

CARGO IS CORRECT/UNDAMAGED, NO OBVIOUS SPILLAGE
LOAD IS REFUSED IF IN DOUBT AS TO WHETHER GOODS CAN BE OFFLOADED WITHOUT RISK
OFFLOADING OPERATION DOES NOT PROCEED IF CONSIDERED UNSAFE

#### **BULK DELIVERIES:**

SUFFICIENT SPACE IN TANKS/BINS FLOW CAN BE STOPPED IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF LEAKAGE VEHICLE FREE FROM SPILLAGE AFTER OFFLOADING

PART LOADS: REMAINING LOAD IS PROPERLY SECURED

DOCUMENTS REFLECT CHANGE IN LOAD.

NO RESIDUE REMAINS ON VEHICLE

PLACARDS REMAIN ON IF VEHICLE CANNOT BE CERTIFIED CLEAN.









## PART NINE



## **DUTIES OF THE OPERATOR**

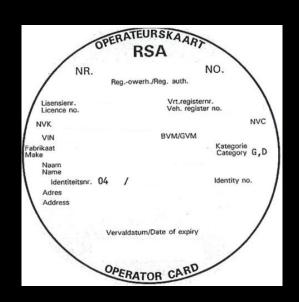


#### THE OPERATOR

PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR USE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE OF ANY CLASS CONTEMPLATED IN CHAPTER VI & BEEN REGISTERED AS THE OPERATOR OF SUCH VEHICLE.

MUST BE REGISTERED AS 'DANGEROUS GOODS OPERATOR' WITH RELEVANT LICENSING AUTHORITY
WHERE VEHICLE IS REGISTERED & LICENSED

MUST MAKE SURE THAT AN OPERATOR CARD IS DISPLAYED ON VEHICLES



#### **DUTIES OF THE OPERATOR**

#### **THE OPERATOR MUST:**

**AGREE ON BASIC ROUTE WITH DRIVER** 

INFORM LOCAL AUTHORITIES ON ROUTE AND PROVIDE FULL INFO ON PRODUCTS IF IT IS REQUESTED

**ENSURE THE DRIVER HAS A PRDP-D** 

NOTIFY EMS &POLICE OF ANY INCIDENT INVOLVING THEIR VEHICLE AND MUST PREPARE INCIDENT REPORT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANNEX D AND SUBMIT TO RELEVANT GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT WITHIN 30 DAYS OF INCIDENT

REPLACE/ REPAIR VEHICLE

TRANSFER OF CARGO AS RESULT OF OVERLOADING/INCIDENT BETWEEN SCHEDULED LOADING & OFFLOADING POINTS MUST BE TREATED AS INCIDENT THAT REQUIRES EMS TO BE NOTIFIED.

#### **DUTIES OF THE OPERATOR**

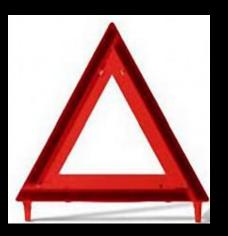
#### **THE OPERATOR MUST:**

SUBMIT VEHICLE FOR FULL ROADWORTHY & COMPLIANCE INSPECTION IF IT IS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENT WITH RISK OF DAMAGE TO CARGO CONTAINMENT AREA.

SUPPLY DRIVER WITH SAFETY EQUIPMENT AS PER TREMCARDS & PROVIDE TRAINING IN USE OF IT

ENSURE INSURANCE IS IN PLACE FOR CIVIL LIABILITY, RECOVERY OF SPILLS & REHABILITATION COSTS

MUST BE NOTIFIED BY DRIVER IN EVENT OF MECHANICAL BREAKDOWN IMMEDIATELY



#### **OPERATOR MUST BE NOTIFIED WHEN:**

## PACKAGES ARE TO BE OPENED UNLOADING OR DECANTING ARE TO OCCUR DUE TO OVERLOADING/ INCOMPATIBILITY ISSUES. MUST ARRANGE QUALIFIED PERSON



#### **VEHICLE INSPECTIONS:**

#### **VEHICLES MUST BE REGISTERED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS**

MUST BE INSPECTED REGULARLY TO ENSURE THEIR SOUND MECHANICAL CONDITION & ABILITY TO OPERATE SAFELY

DETAILED RECORDS MUST BE KEPT.

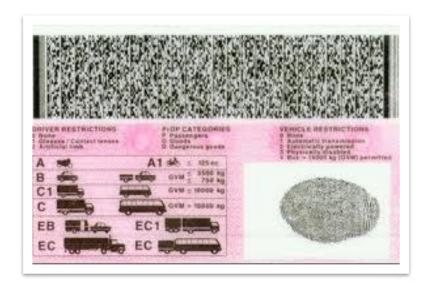
MUST EITHER BE CARRIED OUT AT OPERATOR'S DEPOT BY SUITABLY QUALIFIED STAFF OR SUBCONTRACTED TO COMPETENT WORKSHOP



# PART TEN



# **DUTIES OF THE DRIVER**



#### **DRIVERS MUST:**

**HAVE A PRPD-D (ALL VEHICLES)** 

**BE FIT TO DRIVE (AS PER NRTA)** 

INTERPRET AND IMPLEMENT INSTRUCTIONS OF TREMCARDS

RECEIVE ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE THEORETICAL & PRACTICAL TRAINING RELEVANT
TO TYPE OF VEHICLE & DANGEROUS GOODS ASSIGNED TO HIM INCLUDING
PROCEDURES SPECIFIC TO THE CARGO

#### **DUTIES OF THE DRIVER**

# PRELIMINARY CHECKS BEFORE DRIVING TO LOADING SITE DRIVER NEEDS TO CHECK THAT:

VALID DANGEROUS GOODS OPERATOR CARD IS DISPLAYED

VEHICLE IS ROADWORTHY

VEHICLE IS FIT FOR USE BY GOING THROUGH CHECKLIST AT START OF JOURNEY

VEHICLE IS FREE FROM ANY PRODUCT LIKELY TO CONTAMINATE LOAD OR CREATE A

SAFETY HAZARD

# PRELOADING CHECKS BEFORE LOADING IS COMMENCED DRIVER SHALL ENSURE THAT:

SITE APPEARS SUITABLE FOR OPERATION
VEHICLE IS POSITIONED AS DIRECTED, FOR LOADING
PERMISSION IS GIVEN FOR LOADING TO COMMENCE (BY CONSIGNOR/ QUALIFIED PERSON)

#### **DUTIES OF THE DRIVER**

#### **POST LOADING CHECKS**

#### **DRIVER SHALL ENSURE THAT:**

CORRECT TEC CARDS & DGD STORED IN DESIGNATED SPACE

ONLY DOCUMENTS FOR CURRENT LOAD ARE IN DESIGNATED SPACE, ALL EXTRANEOUS DOCUMENTATION REMOVED

NECESSARY SAFETY EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH TEC CARD IS ONBOARD

**HE/SHE UNDERSTANDS INFORMATION & INSTRUCTIONS ON TEC CARD** 

ORANGE DIAMOND AND PLACARDS ARE IN PLACE

VEHICLE IS NOT OVER/UNDER-LOADED AS TO PRESENT A SAFETY RISK AND LOAD IS SECURED.

#### **EN-ROUTE PROCEDURES**

# FOLLOW AGREED ROUTE NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY OTHER ACTIVITIES NOT RELATED TO LOAD NO UNAUTHORISED PASSENGERS ARE ALLOWED IN THE VEHICLE ONLY STOP AT AGREED PLACES

VEHICLE CARRYING DANGEROUS GOODS SHALL BE UNDER CONSTANT SUPERVISION STOPPED OR PARKED IF:

DANGEROUS GOODS CARRIED HAVE EXEMPT QUANTITY OF 10 KG / 10 LITRES OR LESS ANY ONE OR MORE OF SPECIAL PROVISIONS O14 TO O20 (INCLUSIVE) IN C.5 APPLIES

OPENING OF PACKAGES UNLOADING/ DECANTING OF ANY REASON IS NOT PERMITTED ,EXCEPT IN AUTHORIZED & PROPERLY EQUIPPED AREA UNDER SUPERVISION OF QUALIFIED PERSON,& THE OPERATOR HAS BEEN INFORMED

REGULATORY TRIANGLES TO BE PLACED ON ROAD AND OPERATOR INFORMED IMMEDIATELY.

INSTRUCTIONS ON TEC CARDS MUST BE FOLLOWED & NECESSARY ASSISTANCE MUST BE GIVEN TO EMERGENCY SERVICES. TEC CARDS & DGDS MUST BE HANDED OVER TO EMS WHEN REQUESTED.

#### TIME LIMITS FOR DRIVING PERIODS

# FOR DRIVERS NOT ACCOMPANIED BY PERSON QUALIFIED & AUTHORIZED TO DRIVE SUCH A VEHICLE IS AS FOLLOWS:

#### **DRIVING PERIODS**

MAXIMUM OF 5 HOURS CONTINUOUS DRIVING TIME
MAXIMUM TOTAL 14 HOURS DRIVING TIME IN PERIOD OF 24 HOURS

#### **RESTING PERIODS**

MINIMUM RESTING PERIOD 15 MINS
MINIMUM RESTING PERIOD WITH TOTAL 30 MIN ACCUMULATED DURING PERIOD OF 5,5
HOURS

MINIMUM CONTINUOUS RESTING PERIODS OF 9 HOURS IN PERIOD OF 24 HOURS

### PROFESSIONAL DRIVING PERMIT- PRDP

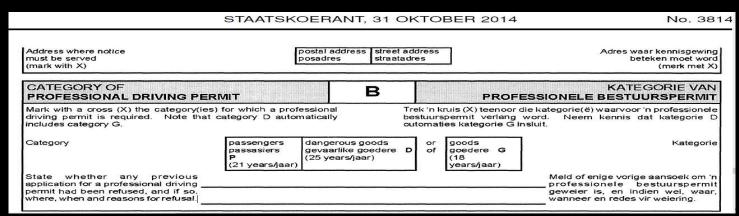
#### **CERTAIN DRIVERS NEED TO HOLD A PRDP AS FOLLOWS:**

GOODS VEHICLE ,GROSS VEHICLE MASS OF WHICH EXCEEDS 3500KG
MOTOR VEHICLE THE GROSS VEHICLE MASS OF WHICH EXCEEDS 3500KG TO WHICH
REGULATIONS 273 TO 283 APPLY AS CONTEMPLATED IN REGULATION 274

TO AVOID DELAYS AND LATE DELIVERIES OF LOADS IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU APPLY FOR PRDP-D IN ANY EVENT.

ALL DRIVERS MUST BE TRAINED IN UNIT STANDARD 123259 (CONVEY DG BY ROAD) & EXPECTED TO CARRY THIS PROOF TO PRESENT SUCH PROOF WHEN REQUESTED TO DO SO BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.

#### YOU MUST BE 25 YEARS OR OLDER TO APPLY FOR THIS CATEGORY



### PRDP DISQUALIFICATION

#### IF YOU ARE UNDER THE AGE OF 25 YEARS OLD

# IF YOU HAVE A CRIMINAL RECORD THAT IS UNDER 5 YEARS OLD- FOR RECKLESS OR NEGLIGENT DRIVING

**VIOLENT CRIMES** 

**DRUNK DRIVING & DRUGS** 

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR DRIVERS

# HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS & TOXIC SUBSTANCES CAN ENTER THE BODY IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS

ABSORPTION- THROUGH SKIN INHALATION- DUST, GAS, FUMES INGESTION-SWALLOWING INJECTION- SHARP OBJECTS

# ONCE WE KNOW POSSIBLE ROUTE OF ENTRY OF SUBSTANCES, WE CAN PREVENT CONTAMINATION IN THE FOLLOWING METHODS:

ELIMINATION- 100% TRANSFER-100% SUBSTITUTION-90% ENGINEERING-80% ADMIN-60% PPE-40%

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR DRIVERS































# PARTELEVEN



# **DUTIES OF THE CONSIGNEE**



## WHAT IS A CONSIGNEE AND WHAT ARE THEY RESPONSIBLE FOR?

# A PERSON WHO ACCEPTS DANGEROUS GOODS WHICH HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED IN A VEHICLE



RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OFFLOADING OF DANGEROUS GOODS
PROVIDE THE QUALIFIED PERSON TO CARRY OUT OFFLOADING PROCEDURES (UNLESS OTHERWISE AGREED UPON AMONGST RESPONSIBLE PARTIES

### **CONSIGNEE DUTIES**

REQUIREMENTS THAT RELATE TO OFFLOADING OPERATIONS (SANS 10231:2014 PART 4.4.4

#### **QUALIFIED PERSON ENSURES THAT:**

CARGO IS CORRECT/UNDAMAGED & NO OBVIOUS SPILLAGE

LOAD IS REFUSED IF IN DOUBT AS TO WHETHER GOODS CAN BE OFFLOADED WITHOUT RISK OFFLOADING OPERATION DOESN'T PROCEED IF CONSIDERED UNSAFE

BULK DELIVERIES: SUFFICIENT SPACE IN TANKS/ FIT TO RECEIVE LOAD FLOW CAN BE STOPPED IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF LEAKAGE

AFTER OFFLOADING, VEHICLE FREE FROM SPILLAGE/ALL VALVES CLOSED PART LOADS PROPERLY SECURED

AFTER OFFLOADING ,DOCUMENTS REFLECT CHANGE IN LOAD (PLACARDING REMOVED IF NECESSARY, DOCUMENTS REMOVED FROM DESIGNATED SPACE.



# PART TWELVE



# VEHICLE COMPLIANCE





### WHAT IS VEHICLE COMPLIANCE?

REQUIRED THAT VEHICLES ARE PROPERLY REGISTERED & LICENSED

MUST BE MAINTAINED IN A 100% ROADWORTHY CONDITION (ALL DANGEROUS GOODS VEHICLES REQUIRE

AN ANNUAL ROADWORTHY CERTIFICATE-BOTH LIGHT/HEAVY GOODS VEHICLES)

MUST BE FITTED WITH PRESCRIBED SIGNAGE AND EQUIPMENT (SANS 1157)

ONCE SIGNAGE & EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN FITTED CORRECTLY, VEHICLES MUST BE REGISTERED AT RELEVANT LOCAL LICENSE DEPARTMENT AS CATEGORY 'D'/ DANGEROUS GOODS CARRIER.

THEN VEHICLES MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR INSPECTION AT DESIGNATED FIRE DEPARTMENT AND IF THE VEHICLE MEETS ALL SANS 1157:2013 REQUIREMENTS THEN A DANGEROUS GOODS TRANSPORT PERMIT (VALID FOR 12 MONTHS) IS ISSUED

IT MUST BE DISPLAYED ON WINDSCREEN OF D/GOODS VEHICLE ON THE LEFT. (OPERATOR REGISTRATION)





## MUNICIPAL PERMITS FOR PANEL VAN & LDV CHECKLIST (PG 89)

IS DRIVER SHIELDED FROM LOAD

**X2 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS (DCP)** 

**X2 QUICK RELEASE BRACKETS** 

ORANGE WARNING DIAMOND

**OPERATOR CARD- CATEGORY 'D'** 

**DOCUMENT HOLDER (DESIGNATED SPACE)** 

**VENTILATION WHERE APPLICABLE** 

**SIDES 600MM HIGH (OPEN VEHICLES)** 

X3 PLACARDS /BRACKETS -350 X 200
X3 NO SMOKING SIGNS
X3 NO NAKED FLAME 150 X 150MM
X3 NO CELLPHONE- BATTERY ISOLATOR















## **MUNICIPAL PERMITS FOR TRUCK TRACTOR CHECKLIST-PG 90**

X1 FIRE EXTINGUISHER (DCP)

X1 QUICK RELEASE BRACKET

ORANGE WARNING DIAMOND

EXHAUST SHIELD -FLAMMABLES/EXPLOSIVES

**OPERATOR CARD- CATEGORY 'D'** 

**DOCUMENT HOLDER (DESIGNATED SPACE)** 

BATTERY COVER -INSULATED -VENTILATED

**BATTERY ISOLATOR SWITCH WITH ON AND OFF POSITIONS MARKED** 

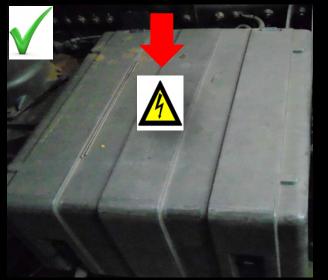














# MUNICIPAL PERMITS FOR SKELETAL/GOODS TRAILERS CHECKLIST-PG 93

**X2 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS (DCP)** 

**X2 QUICK RELEASE BRACKETS** 

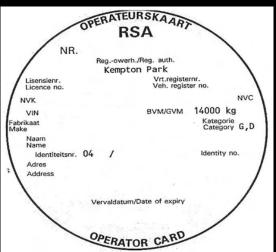
**OPERATOR CARD- CATEGORY 'D'** 

HIGH SIDES OF 600MM FOR GAS/UNSECURED LOADS

X3 PLACARDS/BRACKETS - 700 X 400

X3 NO SMOKING SIGNS
X3 NO NAKED FLAME 290 X 290 MM
X3 NO CELLPHONE SIGNS



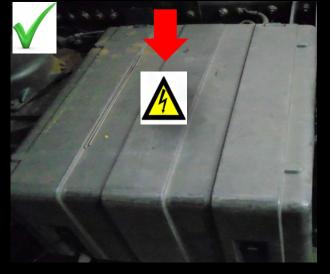








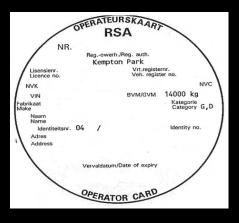




# MUNICIPAL PERMITS FOR RIGID TANK TRUCKS & TANK TRAILERS CHECKLIST-PG 92



X2 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS (DCP) **X2 QUICK RELEASE BRACKETS OPERATOR CARD- CATEGORY 'D'** ORANGE WARNING DIAMOND- TRUCKS **DOCUMENT HOLDER(DESIGNATED SPACE)** X3 PLACARDS/BRACKETS - 700 X 400 X3 NO SMOKING SIGNS X3 NO NAKED FLAME 290 X 290 MM X3 NO CELLPHONE SIGNS PIPE FITTINGS MUST NOT PROJECT MUST HAVE A REAR BUMPER TO PROTECT TANK & PIPES FROM COLLISION X2 WHEEL CHOCKS, HD, NON SPARK BATTERY COVER- INSULATED AND VENTILATED **BATTERY ISOLATOR SWITCH WITH ON & OFF POSITIONS MARKED** 





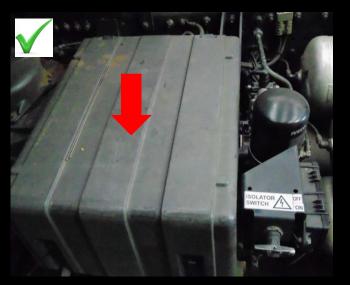
















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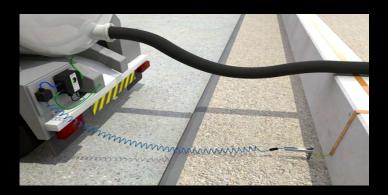


**ELECTRICAL BONDING** 





REAR BUMPER TO PROTECT TANKS/PIPES



EARTHING POINTS ON EACH SIDE OF VEHICLE





















# PARTTHIRTEEN



## FIRE FIGHTING & FIRST AID





## FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

DANGEROUS GOODS VEHICLES MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH PRESCRIBED PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS OF DRY CHEMICAL POWDER TYPE (DCP).

MUST BE SUITABLE FOR CLASS A,B AND C FIRES.







**TRUCK TRACTORS- X1 9 KG EXTERNAL FIRE EXTINGUISHER** 

**TRAILERS- X2 9KG MINIMUM EXTERNAL FIRE EXTINGUISHERS** 

LIGHT MOTOR VEHICLE- (LESS THAN 3500KG GVM)- X2 4.5KG/ X1 9KG FIRE EXTINGUISHER















## FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

MUST BE MOUNTED ON QUICK RELEASE BRACKETS

MUST BE PROTECTED FROM NEGATIVE ENVIRONMENTAL & OPERATIONAL INFLUENCES (E.G.

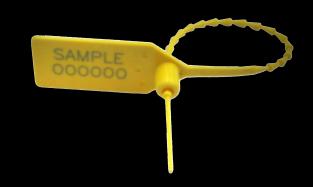
CORROSIVES)

MUST NOT BE MOUNTED 90 DEGREES OR 180 DEGREES, RATHER 45 DEGREES AS THIS ANGLE PREVENTS COMPACTION OF MONO-AMMONIUM PHOSPHATE POWDER.

### **MUST BE PROVIDED WITH**

SEALS- TO VERIFY NON-USAGE GAUGES- PRESSURE CORRECT LABELS- LAST /NEXT DATE SANS 1910 APPROVAL MARK.





FIRE EXTINGUISHER MAINTENANCE RECORD This fire extinguisher is serviced and maintained in accordance with the recommendations and frequencies of British Standard 5306 part 3 and refilled when required to BS6643 part 1 and future amendments						
DATE	CODE	COMMENTS		NSD	WEIGHT	ENG
CODES R - Refilled B - Basic Service E - Extended Service			Next Test Discharge D	ue		
O - Overhaul			Last Test			
		placement rvice Due	Discharged			
		rvice Due juisher or Cartri	dge (Delete a	as app	licable)	

## **FIRE CLASSES**

#### TYPES OF FIRES TYPES OF EXTINGUISHERS

CLASS A ORDINARY COMBUSTIBLES: wood, paper, rubber, fabrics and many plastics



CLASS A







CLASS B FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS & GASES:

gasoline, oils, paint, lacquer and tar



CLASS A:B







CLASS C

FIRES INVOLVING LIVE ELECTRICAL **EQUIPMENT** 



CLASS A:B:C







CLASS D

**COMBUSTIBLE METALS** 



CLASS A:C





**COMBUSTIBLE METAL ALLOYS** 

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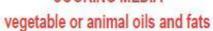
CLASS B:C





CLASS K FIRES IN COOKING APPLIANCES

THAT INVOLVE COMBUSTIBLE **COOKING MEDIA** 





CLASS D

CLASS A:K









### **HOW TO USE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS**

CALL FOR HELP IF FIRE IS SERIOUS/LARGE
CHECK OWN SAFETY BEFORE EXTINGUISHING FIRE
ASSESS THE FIRE
CHECK TYPE OF EXTINGUISHER
READY THE FIRE EXTINGUISHER
AIM FOR BASE OF FIRE

TEND TO AREA AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PUTTING OUT FIRE BUY NEW EXTINGUISHER/ REFILL AND SERVICE OLD FIRE EXTINGUISHER

**USE P.A.S.S. METHOD** 

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**PULL** 

AIM

**SQUEEZE** 

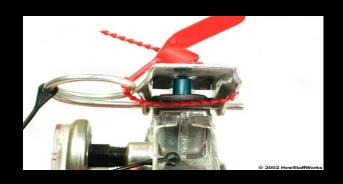
**SWEEP** 

SAFETY PIN FROM HANDLE AT BASE OF FIRE,NOT AT FLAMES HANDLE SLOWLY TO DISCHARGE AGENT SIDE TO SIDE 15CM FROM FIRE

## TIPS FOR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

REPLACE EXTINGUISHER IF IT NEEDS RECHARGING OR IS DAMAGED
SERVICE EXTINGUISHERS EVERY 6 MONTHS
NEEDS TO BE REGULARLY CHECKED
PRESSURE TEST THE EXTINGUISHER AFTER A FEW YEARS TO ENSURE CYLINDER IS SAFE TO USE.

SHAKE DRY CHEMICAL EXTINGUISHERS ONCE A MONTH TO PREVENT POWDER FROM SETTLING/PACKING







### FIRST AID AND CHEMICAL EXPOSURE

IF A CHEMICAL SPLASHES INTO/ONTO YOUR:

### **EYES**

### SKIN

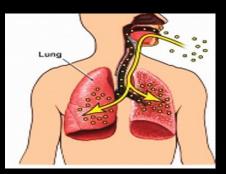


FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15 MIN. GO TO EYE WASH STATION. HOLD EYES OPEN AND FLUSH EYES



IMMEDIATELY WASH AREA WITH SOAP & WATER TO REMOVE CHEMICAL ASAP. REMOVE CLOTHING THAT WAS SPLASHED AS IT CAN CAUSE FURTHER DAMAGE

# INHALATION (LUNGS)



RECOGNISE SIGN:
DIZZINESS, NAUSEA, UPSET
STOMACH
GO TO FRESH AIR QUICKLY
SIT OR LIE DOWN

# SWALLOWING (INGESTION)



REFER TO MSDS/ LABEL IF
AVAILABLE
DRINK MILK/WATER
DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING

## **SEEK MEDICAL HELP IF:**

# A CHEMICAL HAS COME INTO CONTACT WITH EYES, NOSE, MOUTH THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET CALLS CHEMICAL HAZARDOUS/ LIKELY TO CAUSE DAMAGE

CONTAINER LABEL WARNS OF CORROSIVE CONTENTS (CAN WEAR AWAY SKIN)

CHEMICAL CAUSES LARGE BURN

THERE IS DIFFICULTY BREATHING AFTER EXPOSURE.







## WHILE YOU WAIT FOR HELP:

REASSURE CONSCIOUS VICTIM
RESCUE BREATHING/ PERFORM CPR
KEEP AIRWAY OPEN
RECOVERY POSITION-ON SIDE
RECORD DETAILS & SIGNS







# ONLINE ASSESSMENT



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