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Amendments

to Annexes 2, 6 and 7 of the Customs Convention
on the International Transport of Goods Under
Cover of TIR Carnets (TIR Convention)

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TO ANNEXES 2, 6 AND 7 OF THE CUSTOMS CONVENTION ON THE
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT OF GOODS UNDER COVER OF
TIR CARNETS (TIR CONVENTION)²

Annex 6

Annex 6, explanatory note 0.1 (e)

For the existing text *substitute*:

“The term ‘demountable body’ means a load compartment which has no means of locomotion and which is designed in particular to be transported upon a road vehicle, the chassis of which, together with the underframing of the body is especially adapted for this purpose. It covers also a swap body which is a load compartment designed especially for combined road and rail transport.”

Annex 6, explanatory note 2.2.1 (c)-1, subparagraph (b)

Replace the existing text by the following wording:

- “(b) Apertures permitting direct access to the load compartment, must be obstructed
- (i) by means of wire gauze or perforated metal screens (maximum dimension of holes 3 mm in both cases) and protected by welded metal lattice-work (maximum dimension of holes: 10 mm); or
 - (ii) by means of a single perforated metal screen of sufficient strength (maximum dimension of holes: 3 mm; thickness of the screen: at least 1 mm).”

Annex 6, explanatory note 2.2.1 (c)-1, subparagraph (c)

Replace the existing text by the following wording:

- “(c) Apertures not permitting direct access to the load compartments (e.g. because of elbow or baffle-plate systems) must be provided with devices referred to in subparagraph (b), in which, however, the dimensions of the holes may be as much as 10 mm (for the wire gauze or metal screen) and 20 mm (for the metal lattice-work).”

Annexes 2 and 7

Annex 2, article 3, paragraph 11 (b)

Annex 7, article 4, paragraph 11 (b)

Insert after the existing text, the following wording:

“... the rings shall be manufactured of metal;”

¹ Amendments were adopted by Administrative Committee at its Twelfth Session held in Geneva 13–14 September 1989 in accordance with Article 59(1) and (2) of the Convention and circulated by the Secretary-General of the United Nations 26 March 1990. They entered into force for all Contracting Parties on 1 August 1990 in accordance with the provisions of Article 59(2) of the Convention.

² Treaty Series No. 56 (1983) Cmnd. 9032.

