



Department
for Transport

MULTILATERAL AGREEMENT M273

Under paragraph 1.5.1 of Annex A of ADR, concerning the marking of gas cylinders

- (1) By derogation from the provisions of subsection 5.2.1.1 ADR gas cylinders marked with a UN number in accordance with the provisions of ADR applicable up to 31 December 2012 and which do not confirm to the requirements of 5.2.1.1 regarding the size of the UN number and of the letters "UN" applicable as from 1 January 2013 may continue to be used until the next periodic inspection.
- (2) This agreement shall be valid until 30 June 2018 for carriage on the territories of the ADR Contracting Parties signatory to this Agreement. If it is revoked before that date by one of the signatories, it shall remain valid until the above mentioned date only for carriage on the territories of those ADR Contracting Parties signatory to this Agreement which have not revoked it.

Done in London on

15th July 2014

The competent authority for ADR in the United Kingdom

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