

Transmittal Note

SUPPLEMENT TO

ANNEX 18 — THE SAFE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY AIR

(Third Edition)

- 1. The attached Supplement supersedes all previous Supplements to Annex 18 and includes differences notified by Contracting States up to 31 December 2002, with respect to all amendments up to and including Amendment 6.
- 2. This Supplement should be inserted at the end of Annex 18, Third Edition. Additional differences and revised comments received from Contracting States will be issued at intervals as amendments to this Supplement.

SUPPLEMENT TO ANNEX 18 — THIRD EDITION

THE SAFE TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS BY AIR

Differences notified to ICAO in accordance with Article 38 of the *Convention on International Civil Aviation* and the Council's resolution of 21 November 1950 between the national regulations and practices of States and the corresponding International Standards and Recommended Practices contained in Annex 18.

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RECORD OF AMENDMENTS TO SUPPLEMENT

No.	Date	Entered by	No.	Date	Entered by

AMENDMENTS TO ANNEX 18 ADOPTED OR APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL SUBSEQUENT TO THIRD EDITION ISSUED JULY 2001

No.	Date of adoption or approval	Date applicable	No.	Date of adoption or approval	Date applicable

1. Contracting States which have notified ICAO of differences

The Contracting States listed below have notified ICAO of differences which exist between their national regulations and practices and the International Standards and Recommended Practices of Annex 18 (Third Edition), up to and including Amendment 6, or have commented on implementation.

The page numbers shown for each State and the dates of publication of those pages correspond to the actual pages in this Supplement.

State	Date of Notification	Pages in Supplement	Date of publication
Argentina	2/8/01	1	8/1/03
Australia	16/8/02	1	8/1/03
Belarus	20/9/01	1	8/1/03
Cameroon	16/7/01	1	8/1/03
Chile	19/7/01	1	8/1/03
Egypt	6/4/01	1	8/1/03
France	15/10/01	1	8/1/03
Papua New Guinea	15/1/02	1	8/1/03
Slovakia	26/9/01	1	8/1/03
United Kingdom	10/10/01	1	8/1/03

2. Contracting States which have notified ICAO that no differences exist

State	Date of Notification	State	Date of notification
Bahrain	17/7/01	Lebanon	15/9/01
Barbados	19/6/01	Netherlands	29/8/01
Canada	22/10/01	New Zealand	20/5/02
China (Hong Kong SAR)	28/9/01	Republic of Moldova	24/9/01
Cook Islands	13/10/02	Romania	9/10/01
Czech Republic	20/8/01	Russian Federation	7/6/01
Denmark	11/7/01	Sweden	21/9/01
El Salvador	9/7/01	Turkmenistan	12/6/01
Finland	1/6/01	Uganda	28/5/01
Germany	4/7/01	United Arab Emirates	19/8/01
Ghana	11/6/01	United Republic of Tanzania	31/5/01
Greece	26/2/02	Zambia	30/7/01
Jordan	30/5/01		

3. Contracting States from which no information has been received

Afghanistan Guatemala Norway Albania Guinea Oman Algeria Guinea-Bissau Pakistan Palau Andorra Guyana Angola Haiti Panama Antigua and Barbuda Honduras Paraguay Armenia Peru Hungary Iceland Austria Philippines Poland Azerbaijan India Bahamas Indonesia Portugal Bangladesh Iran (Islamic Republic of) Qatar

Belgium Iraq Republic of Korea

Belize Ireland Rwanda

Benin Israel Saint Kitts and Nevis

Bhutan Italy Saint Lucia

Bolivia Jamaica Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Bosnia and Herzegovina Japan Samoa Botswana Kazakhstan San Marino

Brazil Kenya Sao Tome and Principe

Brunei Darussalam Kiribati Saudi Arabia Kuwait Senegal Bulgaria Burkina Faso Kyrgyzstan Seychelles Burundi Lao People's Democratic Republic Sierra Leone Cambodia Latvia Singapore Cape Verde Lesotho Slovenia

Central African RepublicLiberiaSolomon IslandsChadLibyan Arab JamahiriyaSomaliaChinaLithuaniaSouth AfricaColombiaLuxembourgSpain

Colombia Luxembourg Spain
Comoros Madagascar Sri Lanka
Congo Malawi Sudan
Costa Rica Malaysia Suriname
Côte d'Ivoire Maldives Swaziland
Croatia Mali Switzerland

Cuba Malta Syrian Arab Republic

Cyprus Marshall Islands Tajikistan
Democratic People's Republic of Mauritania Thailand

Korea Mauritius The former Yugoslav Republic of

Democratic Republic of the Congo Mexico Macedonia
Djibouti Micronesia (Federated States of) Togo
Dominican Republic Monaco Tonga

Ecuador Mongolia Trinidad and Tobago

Equatorial Guinea Morocco Tunisia Eritrea Mozambique Turkev Estonia Myanmar Ukraine Ethiopia Namibia United States Nauru Uruguay Fiji Uzbekistan Gabon Nepal Gambia Nicaragua Vanuatu Georgia Niger Venezuela Grenada Nigeria Viet Nam

Yemen Yugoslavia Zimbabwe

4. Paragraphs with respect to which differences have been notified

Paragraph	Differences notified by	Paragraph	Differences notified by	
Definitions	Argentina	7.3	Slovakia	
	Belarus			
	Chile	8.3	Cameroon	
	Egypt	8.7.1	Cameroon	
	United Kingdom	8.7.2	Cameroon	
		8.7.3	Cameroon	
2.1	Cameroon			
2.4.2	Cameroon	9.5	Cameroon	
2.5.2	France	9.6.1	Cameroon	
2.6	Papua New Guinea	9.6.2	Cameroon	
1.3	Papua New Guinea	Chapter 10	Australia	
5.2.7	Cameroon	11.2	Cameroon	
5.2.8	Cameroon	11.3.1	Cameroon	
		11.3.2	Cameroon	
5.3	Slovakia			

Definitions

Pilot-in-command. Pilot responsible for the operation and safety of the aircraft during the flight time, regardless of whether the aircraft commander is operating the controls of the aircraft or not.

Australian regulations require training for regular shippers only. Australian legislation under development will propose compliance.

Definitions

Pilot-in-command. The pilot-in-command of an aircraft may be a person holding a pilot certificate (licence) as provided under the legislation of the Republic of Belarus, who also has the training and experience necessary to operate a given type of aircraft independently.

The pilot-in-command directs the work of the aircraft crew, is responsible for maintaining discipline and order on board the aircraft, and takes such measures as are necessary to ensure the safety of the aircraft and the persons and property on board.

The procedure for designating a pilot-in-command and the scope of his/her authority is established in the aeronautical regulations.

2.1 No comment.

2.4.2

CHAPTER 5

5.2.7 No comment.

5.2.8

CHAPTER 8

8.3 No comment.

8.7.1

8.7.2

8.7.3

CHAPTER 9

9.5 No comment.

9.6.1

9.6.2

CHAPTER 11

11.2* Not implemented. Will be added.

11.3.1 11.3.2*

^{*} Recommended Practice

Definitions

Flight crew member. A person charged with the operation, control and functioning of the aircraft or its parts, who performs essential duties during the flight duty period.

Pilot-in-command. The pilot designated by the operator in each air operation to be in command of the aircraft and to be responsible for the safe operation of a flight or part thereof.

Definitions

Pilot-in-command. The pilot designated by the operator, or in case of general aviation, by the owner, as being in command of the aircraft and charged with the safe conduct of a flight.

2.5.2* France has no particular requirements in this matter and considers that this comes under the responsibility of the operator.

* Recommended Practice

2.6* Surface transport interface not required in PNG.

CHAPTER 4

4.3 CAO.33 sub part 1.12 stressed forbidden items not be carried in domestic flights only.

^{*} Recommended Practice

6.3* In addition to the languages required by the State of Origin, English shall be used for the markings related to dangerous goods.

CHAPTER 7

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^{*} Recommended Practice

Definitions

Pilot-in-command in relation to an aircraft means a person who for the time being is in charge of the piloting of the aircraft without being under the direction of any other pilot in the aircraft.