



The European Communities (Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment) Regulations 2011 to 2019

Competent Authority Exemption 07/2021 Rev.1

Applicable To National Road Transport Only

Carriage of UN No. 3291 - Exemption from the provisions of ADR 5.4.1.1.1.(e)

In accordance with the provisions of ADR, the Health and Safety Authority, as competent authority appointed under Regulation 10 of the European Communities (Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment) Regulations 2011 to 2019 and in accordance with Regulation 5 (4) (a) of the said regulations, hereby exempts **Indaver Ireland Limited**, consignor for transport operations involving the carriage of UN No. 3291, CLINICAL WASTE, UNSPECIFIED, N.O.S., from the requirement of ADR 5.4.1.1.1 (e), for the transport document to provide the number and description of UN approved packages offered for carriage, when the packages are carried within an overpack and marked and labelled in accordance with ADR 5.1.2.

Substances, materials and articles may be carried under this exemption if in compliance with the following supplementary provisions:

1. The clinical waste shall be packaged in UN approved 'sharps bins', in accordance with the provisions of ADR 4.1.4.1, P621.
2. The packaging shall be closed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and shall be marked and labelled in accordance with the ADR.
3. The packaging shall be packed standing upright within 440L/770L wheelie bins and the wheelie bins shall be marked and labelled in accordance with ADR 5.1.2, provisions for overpacks
4. The overpacks must not contain any dangerous goods other than UN No. 3291, CLINICAL WASTE, UNSPECIFIED, N.O.S.

5. The transport document shall include the number and description of the overpacks, and that the UN No. 3291 clinical waste within the overpacks is in sharps bins.
6. This document shall not be used as documentary proof of correct classification. Classification remains the responsibility of the consignor.
7. In all other respects, the transport operations performed in accordance with this exemption will comply with the relevant requirements of ADR.
8. A copy of this exemption must accompany the transport documentation and shall be made available to anyone having a legitimate interest in the shipment.
9. This exemption is valid until the date of expiry, provided no changes are made to the ADR which would affect this approval in the intervening period.
10. The Authority may withdraw this exemption for failure to observe any of these conditions or for any other reason, which the Authority deems sufficient.
11. Any incident resulting in loss of containment of a substance during the transport journey shall be reported by the operator to:

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This exemption is effective immediately and expires on **31 December 2021**.

Date: 22 June 2021



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