

Key words: periodic inspection

LPG

Directive reference

RID/ADR reference

Accepted by CTDG :

Accepted by CLAPT:

12/10/01

**Subject:** Periodic inspection of liquefied gas receptacles

**Question:** The ADR packing instruction P200 for UN 1965 substance includes a reference "m" in the "Special requirements" column. This reference indicates that the interval between inspections of receptacles of liquefied gas may be extended to 15 years with the agreement of the competent authority (authorities) of the country (countries) where the periodic inspection and the carriage take place. What are the required conditions of exemption from such an agreement ?

**Answer:** The ADR packing instruction P200 for UN 1965 substance (reference "m") requiring the agreement of the competent authority (authorities) to extend the interval of inspections of liquefied gas receptacles to 15 years, is not compliant with TPED and is to be modified.

This agreement is required as long as RID/ADR is not modified (not before 2003).