

## **Summary of Notes of Dangerous Goods Standing Committee Meeting held on 16.12.2008**

### **Matters of Discussion**

#### **1.1 Review of Dangerous Goods Ordinance (DGO) / Regulations**

Progress of the review:

- Dangerous Goods (General) Regulation  
Members were being consulted on the proposed revision to the list of prohibited substances listed in the extant regulation.
  
- Dangerous Goods (Application and Exemption) Regulation  
The Department of Justice's comments was still awaited.
  
- Dangerous Goods (Packing and Labelling) Regulation  
The Security Bureau and the Department of Justice had further discussed with the FSD the proposal for conveyance, sale and storage of Class 2 DG, DG in pressure receptacles and DG in bulk.
  
- Dangerous Goods (Shipping) Regulation  
The Security Bureau, the Department of Justice, the Marine Department and the FSD would further discuss the second draft.

#### **1.2 Progress Report on the Investigation of the Buncefield Oil Depot Fire and Explosion Incident**

The stakeholders were being consulted on the feasibility of taking forward some of the recommendations of the Buncefield Major Incident Investigation Board.

#### **1.3 “Be the Smart Regulator” Programme – Revision of Fire Service Requirements for Licensing of DG Store and DG Vehicle**

The draft “Guide to Application for Dangerous Goods Licence” was being refined.