

**Summary of Notes of Dangerous Goods Standing Committee Meeting
held on 24 March 2015**

Matters of Discussion

1. Review of Dangerous Goods Ordinance (DGO) / Regulations

Progress of the review:

➤ Dangerous Goods (General) Regulation

Inter-departmental meetings between Gas Standards Office of EMSD and FSD were held on 19.12.2014 and 13.2.2015 to further discuss the demarcation of responsibilities regarding the regulatory control of certain fuel gases under Cat. 2 DG and the future gas safety regulatory measures.

➤ Dangerous Goods (Packing, Marking and Labelling) Regulation

The Working Group (WG) was reviewing the policy on the control regime of Cat. 2 DG including the registration of Approved Persons. Further, the WG had reviewed the previous working drafts of the DG(G)R and DG(PML)R and liaised with SB and Law Drafting Officer on 11.2.2015 to explore possible ways to speed up the law drafting process.

➤ Code of Practice (CoP) for Dangerous Goods in Consumer Packs (DGCP)

The WG was waiting for DoJ's feedback on the draft CoP for Dangerous Goods in Consumer Packs which had been submitted in July 2014.

➤ Dangerous Goods (Shipping) Regulation

There was no update to report.