

## **Glossary of acronyms**

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| AC           | Approved Criteria for Classifying Hazardous Substances [NOHSC:1008(2004)]<br>("Approved Criteria", now replaced by GHS) |
| ADG7.7       | Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail, Edition 7.7,<br>issued by NTC                      |
| ADG7.8       | Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail, Edition 7.8,<br>issued by NTC                      |
| AEBN         | Australian Environment Business Network   |
| APVMA        | Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority  |
| CoP          | Code of Practice  |
| DG           | Dangerous Goods   |
| EIP          | Emergency Information Panel (placard used for DG transport)   |
| EPG          | Emergency Procedures Guide (for DG transport)   |
| GHS          | Globally Harmonized System of classification and labelling of chemicals   |
| HS / HazSubs | Hazardous Substances  |
| IATA         | International Air Transport Association (issues IATA DG Regulations)  |
| IBC          | Intermediate Bulk Container   |
| IMDG         | International Maritime Dangerous Goods (Code)   |
| NOHSC        | National OHS Commission (now replaced by Safe Work Australia)   |
| NTC          | National Transport Commission   |
| OHS          | Occupational Health and Safety  |
| PG           | Packing Group   |
| SDS          | Safety Data Sheet (formerly known as a Material Safety Data Sheet, MSDS)  |
| SH           | Sub-Hazard (secondary DG class, formerly referred to as a Sub-Risk)   |
| SUSMP        | Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons ("Poisons Schedule")                                       |
| UN           | United Nations  |
| UNECE        | UN Economic Commission for Europe   |
| WHS          | Work Health and Safety  |