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Intra-Community transfer of explosives document (Article 9(5) and (6) of Directive 93/15/EEC)

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3. Where the competent authority of a Member State considers that special security requirements are necessary, prior provision of all the information in the document is necessary. If none of the competent authorities involved in the transaction considers that special security requirements are necessary, only the information marked with an asterisk (*) must be provided.
4. In all cases, the document must accompany the explosives until they arrive at their destination.
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