Transporting Infographic

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WHAT INFORMATION DO I NEED TO PROVIDE WHEN REQUESTING A QUOTE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF HAZMAT GOODS?

When requesting a quote for international transportation of HAZMAT goods between Canada, the U.S., and Mexico, provide to your freight transport provider with the following information:

- 1. UN Number (Identification number)
- 2. Hazard class
- 3. Shipping name





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1- WHAT IS THE UN NUMBER?

The UN Number is one of the mechanisms developed by the United Nations for the harmonization of hazard classification. It consists of a four-digit number used in international transportation to identify hazardous goods.

2- HAZARD CLASS

According to the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations "The consignor is responsible for determining the classification of dangerous goods. This activity is normally done by, or in consultation with, a person who understands the nature of the dangerous goods such as a manufacturer, a person who formulates, blends or otherwise prepares mixtures or solutions of goods or, in the case of infectious substances, a doctor, scientist, veterinarian, epidemiologist, genetic engineer, microbiologist, pathologist, nurse, coroner or laboratory technologist or technician".

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