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**Tyres – Other business** 

Proposal for amendment to Regulation No. 54 (Tyres for commercial vehicles and their trailers)

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The text reproduced below was prepared by the experts from the European Tyre and Rim Technical Organisation (ETRTO) in order to amend E/ECE/TRANS/505/Rev.1/Add.53/Rev.3. The modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new or struck through for deleted characters.

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## I. Proposal

Annex 5, part I, table A, add the following entries:

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| Tyre-size<br>designation (+) | Measuring<br>rim width<br>code | Nominal rim<br>diameter<br>d (mm) | Outer diameter<br>D (mm) |          | Section width S (mm) |          |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|----------------------|----------|
|                              |                                |                                   | Radial                   | Diagonal | Radial               | Diagonal |
| •••                          |                                |                                   |                          |          |                      |          |
| 4.10/3.50-6                  | 2.5                            | 152                               | -                        | 320      | -                    | 95       |
| 3.50-8                       | 2.5                            | 203                               | -                        | 394      | -                    | 103      |
| 4.40-10                      | 3.5                            | 254                               | -                        | 480      | -                    | 124      |

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Annex 5, part I, table D, add the following entry:

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| Tyre-size<br>designation (+) | Measuring<br>rim width<br>code | Nominal rim<br>diameter<br>d (mm) | Outer diameter<br>D (mm) | Section width S (mm) |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Code Designated              |                                |                                   |                          |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
|                              |                                |                                   |                          |                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16.5x6.5-8                   | 5.375                          | 203                               | 411                      | 165                  |  |  |  |  |  |

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## II. Justification

It is proposed to add these sizes as they are to be sold in countries requiring Type Approval according to UN Regulation No. 54.