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Proposal for an amendment to Schedule 4 of the 1958 Agreement

Submitted by the Informal Working Group on the International Whole Vehicle Type Approval*

This document was prepared by the informal working group on the International Whole Vehicle Type Approval. It proposes an amendment to Schedule 4 on the numbering of UN type approvals (report ECE/TRANS/WP.29/1139, paras. 67-68). It is mainly based on the proposed text of informal documents IWVTA-25-04 and WP.29-175-13. It is submitted to the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations and to the Administrative Committee AC.1 for consideration at their November 2018 sessions.

^{*} In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2018–2019 (ECE/TRANS/274, para. 123 and ECE/TRANS/2018/21/Add.1, Cluster 3.1), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update UN regulations in order to enhance the performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

Amendment to Schedule 4 of the 1958 Agreement

Schedule 4 (numbering of UN type approvals), paragraph 3., amend to read:

- "3. An approval number shall be be separated by the '*' character.
- 3.1. The definition of the sections for all UN Regulations, except UN Regulation No. 0 on International Whole Vehicle Type Approval, is:

Section 1: The capital

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Section 3: A four to six-digit sequential number (with leading zeros as applicable). The sequence shall start from 0001.

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All digits shall be Arabic digits.

3.2. The definition of the sections of the approval number for an International Whole Vehicle Type Approval is given in UN Regulation No. 0."

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