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9.1.3.1 Certificate of approval

Transmitted by the Government of Finland

SUMMARY	
Executive summary:	The present text of 9.1.2.1.1 does not clearly indicate that the drawing vehicle of the trailer or semi-trailer has to have a certificate of approval. The proposal below clarifies the text.
Action to be taken:	Add a new sentence after the first sentence in 9.1.3.1.
Related documents:	TRANS/WP.15/172, Annex 1.

Referring to item 46 in the report of the Working Party WP.15 (4-8 November 2002), Finland requested that it should be clearly indicated that the drawing vehicle and the trailer or semi-trailer should be provided with the appropriate certificate of approval.

In the opinion of Finland, the existing text in 9.1.2.3 does not clearly indicate this. The text states that the drawing vehicle has to be subject to an annual technical inspection.

To clarify the situation, Finland proposes the following addition:

Proposal

Add the following sentence after the first sentence of 9.1.3.1:

“If these vehicles are trailers or semi-trailers coupled behind a drawing vehicle, the drawing vehicle shall also have a certificate of approval.”
