Explanation document for GRSP/2015/16 and GRSP-57-03 for restrain system approval

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6.4.1.4. ...Chest to steering wheel contact, in case ECE-R 12 and <= 24 km/h

7.7.1.5. The seat of an occupant in the front shall be in its most forward driving or travelling position according to the dimensions of the manikin
6.4.1.4. no part of the torso or the head of the manikin used in the dynamic test would have come into contact with any forward rigid part of the vehicle.

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8.1.6. For the front outboard and the front centre seating positions shown in Annex 16 and marked with the symbol *, lap belts of the type specified on that annex shall be considered adequate where the windscreen is located outside the reference zone defined in Annex 1 to Regulation No. 21.

8.1.6.1. Moreover, in that case, the contact of the upper part of the manikin with the interior of the passenger compartment is allowed if the energy absorption requirements defined in Regulation No. 21 are fulfilled.

"6.4.1.3.3. In the case of a safety-belt intended to be used in an outboard front a seating position protected by an airbag ...

*ECE R 94 Annex IB footnote is today not considering the requirements for biomechanical benefits as tested and assessed today.
6.4.1.4. ...no part of the torso or the head of the manikin used in the dynamic test would have come into contact with any forward rigid part of the vehicle.

6.4.1.3.2. ...the forward displacement of the manikin shall be between ... 80 and 200 mm at pelvic level..

6.4.1.2. ...no contact of the head or of the chest with any rigid part of the vehicle in front of the dummy would be allowed, provided contact with vehicle interior does not occur at a speed higher than 24 km/h and no contact of the manikins head with its knees takes place.

For the assessment of the requirements... the seat of the tested manikin and, if applicable, the seat in front of the manikin shall be considered to be in the positions specified in paragraph 7.7.1.6. below.

"7.7.1.6. For the assessment ... the seat of an occupant in the front shall be in its most forward driving or travelling position according to the dimensions of the manikin. ...

The seat in front of a tested seat shall be adjusted to the most rearward and lowest position appropriate for any contact with the manikin installed on the rear seat, then shifted forward for minimal pelvis displacement according to paragraph 6.4.1.3.2. and with a seat back angle at 10°, as derived from the 3-D H Point machine (Annex 19, Figure 1).

This can be proven with a contour on CAD or drawing."
8.1.6.1. For the rear seat positions, if the restraint system is without the vehicle environment as defined in paragraph 7.7.1., the installation conditions in the vehicle shall be verified for the compatibility with those defined in the Communication form for the approval of the restraint system. Moreover, in that case, the contact of the upper part of the manikin with the interior of the passenger compartment is allowed if the energy absorption requirements defined in Regulation No. 21 or Regulation No. 17 are fulfilled."
2.2.3. Results
Test results shall meet the requirements set out in paragraph 6.4.1.3.1. ... during a test performed with conditioning according to paragraph 1.6.1. of this annex by means of a simplified adapted method.

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... A simplified, adapted method could be, e.g. the measurement of the speed at the chest reference point when its forward displacement is at 300 mm, the use of a reference chest speed measured at 300 mm forward displacement carried out in a test without an airbag in front of it, during the conformity of production test to be considered in the control of conformity control plan."