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Working Party on Noise and Tyres

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# Annotated provisional agenda for the seventy-second session\*,\*\*

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, starting at 2.30 p.m. on 7 September and concluding at 5.30 p.m. on 9 September 2020

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# I. Provisional agenda

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- 2. UN Regulation No. 41 (Noise emissions of motorcycles).
- 3. UN Regulation No. 51 (Noise of M and N categories of vehicles).
- 4. UN Regulation No. 138 (Quiet road transport vehicles).
- 5. Tyres:
  - (a) UN Regulation No. 30 (Tyres for passenger cars and their trailers);
  - (b) UN Regulation No. 54 (Tyres for commercial vehicles and their trailers);
  - (c) UN Regulation No. 75 (Tyres for L-category vehicles);
  - (d) UN Regulation No. 106 (Tyres for agricultural vehicles and their trailers);
  - (e) UN Regulation No. 117 (Tyre rolling resistance, rolling noise and wet grip);
  - (f) UN Regulation No. 124 (Replacement wheels for passenger cars);
  - (g) UN Regulation No. 141 (Tyre pressure monitoring system);
  - (h) UN Regulation No. 142 (Tyre installation).
- 6. Draft UN Regulation on reversing alarm.
- 7. Exchange of information on national and international requirements on noise levels.
- 8. Proposals for amendments to the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles.
- 9. Development of the International Whole Vehicle Type Approval system.
- 10. Highlights of the recent sessions of the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations.
- 11. Exchange of views on the future work of the Working Party on Noise and Tyres.
- 12. Other business.
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# II. Annotations

# 1. Adoption of the agenda

In accordance with Chapter III, Rule 7 of the Rules of Procedure (TRANS/WP.29/690, Amend.1 and Amend. 2) of the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations (WP.29), the first item on the provisional agenda is its adoption.

# **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/7

# 2. UN Regulation No. 41 (Noise emissions of motorcycles)

GRBP is invited to address a proposal for a new 05 series of amendments submitted by the experts of the Informal Working Group on Additional Sound Emission Provisions (IWG ASEP).

# **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/9

GRBP will consider a proposal prepared by the expert from the International Motorcycle Manufacturers Association (IMMA), which aligns UN Regulation No. 41 with standard ISO 10844:2014.

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/18

# 3. UN Regulation No. 51 (Noise of M and N categories of vehicles)

In conjunction with agenda item 2, GRBP will be informed about the activities of IWG ASEP and will consider its revised Terms of Reference.

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/10

GRBP may wish to be informed about the activities of the newly formed Informal Working Group on Measurement Uncertainties (IWG MU).

# 4. UN Regulation No. 138 (Quiet road transport vehicles)

GRBP will consider new proposals, if any.

# 5. Tyres

#### (a) UN Regulation No. 30 (Tyres for passenger cars and their trailers)

GRBP is invited to consider a proposal by the expert from France.

# Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/21

GRBP will also consider a proposal by the expert from the European Tyre and Rim Technical Organization (ETRTO).

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/12

## (b) UN Regulation No. 54 (Tyres for commercial vehicles and their trailers)

GRBP is invited to address a proposal submitted by the experts of ETRTO.

# Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/13

# (c) UN Regulation No. 75 (Tyres for L-category vehicles)

GRBP will consider a proposal by the expert from ETRTO.

# **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/14

#### (d) UN Regulation No. 106 (Tyres for agricultural vehicles and their trailers)

GRBP will address a proposal by the expert from ETRTO.

#### Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/15

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> International Organization for Standardization

### (e) UN Regulation No. 117 (Tyre rolling resistance, rolling noise and wet grip)

GRBP will consider two proposals tabled by the experts from ETRTO.

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/16, ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/17

GRBP may resume discussion on the proposal submitted by the Group Of Interested Experts on snow tyre provisions (GOIE).

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2019/14

GRBP will be briefed on the activities of the IWG on Wet Grip Performance of Tyres in a Worn State (IWG WGWT) and will consider a proposal for its revised Terms of Reference, together with a complementary amendment submitted by the expert from EC.

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/11, Informal document GRBP-72-02

# (f) UN Regulation No. 124 (Replacement wheels for passenger cars)

GRBP is invited to consider a proposal submitted by expert from the Russian Federation which aims to align the criteria on the total loss of inflation pressure within one minute in Annex 8, paragraph 3 and in paragraph 5 (c).

#### **Documentation**

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/8

#### (g) UN Regulation No. 141 (Tyre pressure monitoring system)

GRBP will address a proposal for a new series of amendments which was submitted by the Task Force on Tyre Pressure Monitoring System and on Tyre Installation (TF TPMSTI), that aims to align UN Regulation No. 141 with the provisions of European Union Regulation 2019/2144 and to introduce the TPMS requirements for all vehicle categories.

# Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/20

# (h) UN Regulation No. 142 (Tyre installation)

GRBP will consider a proposal for a new series of amendments which was submitted by TF TPMSTI which aims to align UN Regulation No. 142 with the provisions of European Union Regulation 2019/2144 and to introduce the tyre installation requirements for all vehicle categories.

#### Documentation

ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2020/19

# 6. Draft UN Regulation on reversing alarm

GRBP will be informed about the progress of the Task Force on Reverse Warning (TF RW) and cooperation with the Working Party on General Safety (GRSG) on this issue.

# 7. Exchange of information on national and international requirements on noise levels

GRBP will continue the exchange of views on developing national or regional legislation and international requirements on noise levels.

# 8. Proposals for amendments to the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles

GRBP will consider new proposals, if any.

# 9. Development of the International Whole Vehicle Type Approval system

GRBP will be informed about progress in implementing the International Whole Vehicle Type Approval (IWVTA) (UN Regulation No. 0).

# 10. Highlights of the recent sessions of the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations

GRBP will be briefed by the secretariat about the highlights of the recent sessions of WP.29 on GRBP and common issues.

# 11. Exchange of views on the future work of the Working Party on Noise and Tyres

GRBP may wish to review the list of priorities for the future work.

#### **Documentation**

Informal document GRBP-71-22-Rev.1

#### 12. Other business

At its previous session, GRBP was informed about the progress of the electronic Database for the Exchange of Type Approval documentation (DETA) (GRBP-71-03) and agreed to consider, at its next session, whether the Unique Identifier (UI) may replace the traditional E markings in the UN Regulations under the auspices of GRBP.

## Documentation

Informal document GRBP-71-22-Rev.1

The expert from France presented a draft 2020 schedule of meetings that was of interest to GRBP experts (GRBP-71-13-Rev.2). GRBP welcomed this document as a useful planning tool and invited its IWGs and TFs to provide updates to the expert from France, with the aim to issue a revised schedule on the GRBP website.

#### **Documentation**

Informal document GRBP-71-13-Rev.2

GRBP will consider any other subjects, if necessary.

# 13. Provisional agenda for the next session

GRBP is invited to provide guidance on the provisional agenda for the next session scheduled to be held in Geneva from 26 (starting at 2.30 p.m.) to 29 (concluding at 12.30 p.m.) January 2021.

# 14. Election of officers

In compliance with Rule 37 of the Rules of Procedure (TRANS/WP.29/690 and Amend.1), GRBP will elect the Chair and Vice-Chair for the sessions scheduled for the year 2020.