EXPLANATORY PRESENTATION TO CLEPA R129 PROPOSALS

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At GRSP in December 2019 CLEPA experts introduced 3 informal documents:

- GRSP-66-11 allows CRS manufacturers the option to provide a digital user guide instead of a physical paper version
- GRSP-66-12 which proposed the minimum content for Type Approval Test Report
- GRSP-66-13 clarifies the ECRS external dimensions assessment method

Formal GRSP/2020/03 combines these original proposals incorporating initial feedback from CPs.

GRSP-67-16 contains modifications to GRSP/2020/03 based on further feedback from CPs. For simplicity GRSP-67-16 was withdrawn and a consolidated document GRSP-67-XX incorporating GRSP/2020/03 & all modifications based on feedback from CPs, has been proposed by CLEPA. Therefore only the consolidated document is to be discussed by GRSP.
This document contains modifications to GRSP/2020/03 based on feedback from CPs (earlier feedbacks and feedbacks obtained a week before GRSP 67th).

The changes include:

- Renaming of "Test Report Template" to "List of Minimum Contents for Type Approval Test Report"
- Reduction in the number of photographs required in the Test Report (Annex 27)
- Allow the consumer to request a printed version of the information in the weblink. Which shall be available without time limit (14.4.2.)
- Correction to webbing strength requirements listed in 6.7.4.3.2. Annex 27 "List of Minimum Contents for Type Approval Test Report"
Digital User Guide Motivations

• Aim is to reduce environmental impact by reducing amount of paper & waste that is required to provide child restraint user instructions in 27 (or more) different languages
• Online manuals better fit the current generation of young parents (more user centric)
• Online user manuals are more accessible as they can be offered mono-lingual, whereas paper version often are multilingual (paper waste, but also less user friendly for consumers)
• Content of Digital User Guide can include animations/videos that can’t be included in a paper version
Manufacturers have the option to provide the information to a user as either:

- In a physical form (as now)
- In a digital form

If the digital form option is chosen a “Quick-Start Guide” containing important information & weblink or QR code to the digital information shall be provided.

- The consumer can request a physical version of the instructions
- There is no change to the requirements to provide the user with installation markings visible on the product
CRS Installation Marking
Example
Quick-Start Guide Example

Product Name

QR-Code

Company Name

40 cm - 83 cm  max 13 kg

⚠️ WARNING!
Non-observance of the instructions for use can lead to serious or fatal injuries.

▸ Scan the QR-code.
This will direct you to the instructions for use:
http://www.britax.com/qr/eu/baby-safe-i-size
▸ Read and follow the instructions for use.

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Nichtbeachtung der Gebrauchshinweise kann zu schweren bis tödlichen Verletzungen führen.

▸ QR-Code scannen.
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http://www.britax.com/qr/eu/baby-safe-i-size
▸ Gebrauchshinweise lesen und befolgen.

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