

**PROPOSAL FOR DRAFT AMENDMENT TO REGULATION NO. 44**  
(Child restraints)

Transmitted by CLEPA

**A. PROPOSAL**

Paragraph 6.2.4.1. amend to read:

"6.2.4.1. Y-shaped belts may only be used in rearward facing **and lateral facing** child restraint systems."

**B. JUSTIFICATION**

Paragraph 6.2.4.1. in its current version states that the Y-shaped belt may only be used in rearward facing CRS. The purpose of this paragraph is to prevent the usage of Y-shaped belt in front facing CRS. However it does not permit the usage of Y-shaped belt for lateral facing CRS. CLEPA proposes this modification in order to allow this alternative restraint to be used in a lateral CRS.

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