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COMPLEMENTARY PARAGRAPHS to amend ECE R16

(Safety Belt Retraction Force Requirement)

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Proposal

New paragraph 2.28

Tension-reducing device:

A device which is incorporated in the retractor and reduces the tension of the strap upon automatic operation when the belt is buckled in. When it is unbuckled, upon automatic operation tension reducing function shall be switched off.