Dear experts,

following a summary of

- informal NRMM WG meeting 15 January 2008 in Geneva
- GRPE meeting 17 January 2008 in Geneva.

Two documents had been introduced to GRPE on behalf of the NRMM GTR work:

GRPE - 55 - 21, text of chapters 7 - 9

and GRPE - 55 - 22. presentation

They can be found at the following link:

http://www.unece.org/trans/main/wp29/wp29wgs/wp29grpe/grpeinf55.html

Informal meeting of the NRMM working group Tuesday afternoon 15/1/2008

Since June 2007 the following steps have been taken in the NRMM work:

- Introduction and adoption of formal progress report to GRPE
- Introduction and adoption of formal progress report to WP.29 AC.3
- Meeting of editorial committee in September 2007, working on the second level draft of the GTR
- Meeting of editorial committee in November 2007, working on the preparation of chapters 7 9 of the GTR as an informal document to GRPE

New work during meeting:

- Presentation of chapters 7-9 to the NRMM working group
- Discussion of format issues, relating to WP.29 documents 882, 883, 1042
- Explanation of guidance document

No negative comments were received, thus the editorial committee can continue their work on the basis of this draft of chapters 7 - 9.

55th Meeting of GRPE, 17/1/2008

R. Hummel reported on the good progress of work (GRPE-55-22-Rev.1) made by the group during the recent meetings held in Ispra in September 2007 and in November 2007 and prior to the GRPE session. He recalled the main objectives of the informal group's work and how the guidance document will backup the gtr on NRMM. He presented the text of the chapters 7-9 of the NRMM gtr of the test and measurement procedure for the determination of the emissions of gaseous pollutants and particles (GRPE-55-21). He announced the group's intention to finalize the complete draft gtr as an document for GRPE at its January 2009 session.

The chairman of GRPE, Mr. Gauvin welcomed the progress made.