AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHING OF GLOBAL TECHNICAL REGULATIONS FOR WHEELED VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT AND PARTS WHICH CAN BE FITTED AND/OR BE USED ON WHEELED VEHICLES

Situation on 20 June 2002

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Agreement entered into force on 25 August 2000

Contracting Parties (21):


Japan by acceptance (3 August 1999: Depositary Notification C.N.692.1999.TREATIES-4, dated 3 August 1999); effective from 25 August 2000;

France by signing (22 September 1999) and approval (4 January 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1.2000.TREATIES-1, dated 5 January 2000); effective from 25 August 2000;


P.R. China by acceptance (10 October 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1000.2000.TREATIES-10, dated 18 October 2000); effective from 25 August 2000;

Republic of Korea by accession (2 November 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1014.2000.TREATIES-11 (Reissued), dated 17 November 2000); effective from 1 January 2001;

Italy by accession (1 December 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1084.2000.TREATIES-12, dated 5 December 2000); effective from 30 January 2001;

South Africa by signing (14 June 2000) and ratification (18 April 2001: Depositary Notification C.N.343.2001.TREATIES-1, dated 20 April 2001); effective from 17 June 2001;

Finland by accession (8 June 2001: Depositary Notification C.N.587.2001.TREATIES-2, dated 11 June 2001); effective from 7 August 2001;


Turkey by accession (3 July 2001: Depositary Notification C.N.663.2001.TREATIES-4, dated 10 July 2001); effective from 1 September 2001;

Slovakia by accession (7 November 2001: Depositary Notification C.N.1159.2001.TREATIES-5, dated 8 November 2001); effective from 6 January 2002;


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The instruments of accession or acceptance of the Agreement shall be deposited with the UN Secretary-General, i.e. Treaty Section of the UN Office for Legal Affairs. However, they could be addressed either directly to the UN Secretary-General in New York, or to the UN Secretary-General c/o the Economic Commission for Europe.