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Revision 1

Transmitted by the expert from the Czech Republic

Note: The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from the Czech Republic in order to update the proposal for the figure of annex 5 to the Regulation (TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/33, para. 21).

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Annex 5, the figure, amend to read:

1. Original unloaded position.
2a. Displaced position by applying to the manikin’s back a moment of 373 Nm about the R point, defining the position of the displaced reference line r1.
2b. Displaced position by applying to the 165 mm sphere a force F producing a moment of 373 Nm about the R point, keeping the displaced reference line r1 in place.
3. Position after displacement by the force F increased to 890N.