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.