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Agenda **Documents** Item Α. 1998 AGREEMENT A.1. Draft global technical regulation on pedestrian safety GRSP may wish to consider a progress TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, report by the Chairman of the informal para. 3 group. Draft global technical regulation on lower A.2. anchorages and tethers for child restraint systems. GRSP may wish to resume the discussion TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, on the development of the gtr and on the paras. 4 to 6 possibilities to reduce child deaths and GRSP may follow also a injuries. presentation by the expert from CLEPA on the behaviour of child restraints exposed to side impact. A.3. Draft global technical regulation on door retention components GRSP may wish to consider the draft gtr TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, developed by the informal group. para, 7 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/9 Draft global technical regulation on head A 4 restraints GRSP agreed to resume consideration of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, this subject. para. 8 A.5. Exchange of views on side impact dummy TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, GRSP may wish to continue consideration of this item. para. 9 Exchange of views on vehicle crash A.6. compatibility GRSP may wish resume the discussion of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34,

this item and follow a presentation to be

made by the expert from Japan.

paras. 10 and 11

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B. 1958 AGREEMENT

B.1. AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS

B.1.1. <u>Regulation No. 14</u> (Safety-belt anchorages)

GRSP agreed to consider a proposal for effective anchorages transmitted by the expert from Spain. GRSP may wish also to reconsider the proposed draft amendments to the Regulation adopted in principle at the thirty-fourth session. A proposal to be transmitted by the expert from the United States of America to align document TRANS/WP.29/931 to the FMVSS No. 225 would also be subject of consideration.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, paras. 13 and 16 and annex 2 TRANS/WP.29/931 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2003/12 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/1 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/2

B.1.2. <u>Regulation No. 17</u> (Strength of seats)

GRSP agreed to consider comments on the Regulation transmitted by the expert from CI

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 19 Informal document GRSP-35-2

B.1.3. <u>Regulation No. 29</u>

(Cabs of commercial vehicles)

GRSP may wish to consider a progress report on the activity of the informal group to be presented by its Chairman, the expert from the Russian Federation.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 21

B.1.4. <u>Regulation No. 44</u> (Child restraints)

GRSP agreed to resume the consideration of proposals already adopted in principle. Other proposals transmitted by the secretariat, by the experts from France, from Japan and from CLEPA may also be considered.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, paras. 22 to 27
TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2003/5
TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/3
TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/4
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B.1.5. Regulation No. 16 (Safety belts)

GRSP may wish to consider amendment proposals transmitted by the expert from OICA and by the secretariat.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/7 Informal document GRSP-35-1

B.1.6. Frontal collision of buses and coaches

GRSP may be informed by the expert from Spain on the activity of GRSG in this field.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 29

B.2. ACCELERATION TEST DEVICES

GRSP agreed to continue consideration of the proposals, affecting Regulations Nos. 16, 17 and 44. GRSP agreed to resume the consideration also on the amendment proposals to the Regulation submitted by the expert from Japan. GRSP may wish to consider proposals to be transmitted by the expert from Germany.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, paras. 31 to 33 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2000/3/Rev.1 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2000/12 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2001/2 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2002/15 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2003/12 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2003/16

B.3. RESTRAINING OF CHILDREN TRAVELLING IN BUSES AND COACHES

GRSP agreed to consider a working paper transmitted by the expert from Italy.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, paras. 34 and 35 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/5 Agenda Item

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B.4. OTHER BUSINESS

B.4.1. Consideration of draft Rule No. 2 to be annexed to the 1997 Agreement

GRSP may resume the discussion on this item, if written comments are available.

TRANS/WP.29GRSP/34, para. 36 TRANS/WP.29/2003/16

B.4.2. Exchange of information on national and international requirements on passive safety

GRSP might wish to resume the exchange of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, views on the development of national paras. 37 to 39 legislation and on the development of international requirements. Experts are invited to submit, in written form, brief statements on the latest status in national requirements and, if necessary, supplement the information orally.

B.4.3. New draft Regulation on partitioning <u>systems</u>

GRSP may wish to consider proposals to be transmitted by the expert from CLEPA. TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 40

B.4.4. Regulation No. 94

(Frontal collision protection)

GRSP may wish to consider a proposal for draft amendments transmitted by the expert from Japan.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 37 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/8,



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