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Working Party on General Safety Provisions (GRSP) (7-10 December 2004)

PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE THIRTY-SIXTH SESSION */ **/

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 14.30 p.m. on Tuesday 7 December 2004 and concluding at 12.30 p.m on Friday 10 December 2004

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A. 1998 AGREEMENT

A.1. Draft global technical regulation on pedestrian safety

GRSP may wish to consider a progress report and, if available, a draft gtr prepared by the informal group. TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 3

A.2. <u>Draft global technical regulation on lower</u> <u>anchorages and tethers for child restraint</u> <u>systems</u>

> GRSP agreed to resume the discussion on the development of the gtr and on the possibilities to reduce child death and injuries, taking into account the comparison already made by the expert from the United States of America between the requirements of Regulations Nos. 14,16 and 44 and the standards of his country and Canada.

A.3. Draft global technical regulation on head restraints

GRSP agreed to resume consideration of this subject, taking into account the comparison made by the expert from the United States of America between the requirements of Regulations Nos. 17 and 25 and the regulations (FMVSS 202 and FMVSS 202 NPRM) in his country.

A.4. Exchange of views on side impact dummy

GRSP agreed to continue consideration of this item.

A.5. <u>Exchange of views on vehicle crash</u> <u>compatibility</u>

GRSP may wish to resume the consideration of this item.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, paras. 4 and 5 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/14

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 9 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/15

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 10

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 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 resume the consideration of the proposal for effective anchorages transmitted by the expert from Spain. GRSP may wish also to reconsider other draft amendments to the Regulation transmitted by the expert from the Russian Federation and from CLEPA and to 6 and figures 7 of document TRANS/WP.29/931 to be transmitted by the expert from the United States of America (see TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 16).

B.1.2. <u>Regulation No. 16</u>

(Safety belts) GRSP might wish to consider, if available, a proposal on safety belt reminders to be transmitted by the expert from France and comments on the subject transmitted by the expert from the United States of America.

B.1.3. <u>Regulation No. 17</u> (Strength of seats)

> GRSP agreed to consider statistical data on accidents caused by luggage displacement to be transmitted by the expert from Germany and from CI, if available

B.1.4. <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/35, paras. 12 to 17 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/34, para. 16 TRANS/WP.29/931 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/16 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/17 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/13

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 41 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/22

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, paras. 18 to 22

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 23

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B.1.5.	Regulation No. 44 (Child restraints)	
	GRSP agreed to consider amendment proposals transmitted by the expert from CLEPA.	TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, paras. 24 to 27 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/20
B.1.6.	<u>Regulation No. 94</u> (Frontal collision protection)	
expert	GRSP agreed to consider a proposal for draft amendments transmitted by the from Japan.	TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 38 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/8,
B.2.	ACCELERATION TEST DEVICES	
	GRSP agreed to continue consideration of the proposals, affecting Regulations Nos. 16, 17 and 44.	TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, paras. 31 and 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 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/18 Informal document No. GRSP-35-8 <u>**/</u>
B.3.	BUSES AND COACHES	
B.3.1.	Frontal collision of buses and coaches	

- GRSP may be informed by the expert TRAN from Spain on the activity of GRSG in this field TRAN
 - TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 31
- B.3.2. <u>Restraining of children travelling in</u> <u>buses and coaches</u>

GRSP agreed to consider a working paper transmitted by the expert from Italy. TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 34 TRANS/WP 29/GRSP/2004/5

para. 34 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/5, Informal document No. GRSP-35-13<u>**/</u>

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B.3.3. <u>Safety of wheelchair users in buses and coaches</u>

GRSP may wish to be informed on the activity of the GRSG informal group on the subject.

- B.4. OTHER BUSINESS
- B.4.1. <u>Consideration of draft Rule No. 2 to be</u> <u>annexed to the 1997 Agreement</u>

Following the decision of WP.29 to set up an informal group to deal with the subject, GRSP experts will be invited to participate in it. TRANS/WP.29/1016, para. 117 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 35 TRANS/WP.29/2004/24 TRANS/WP.29/2004/44 TRANS/WP.29/2004/47

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

GRSP might wish to resume the exchange of views on the development of national 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, to supplement the information orally.

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

GRSP may wish to consider proposals transmitted by the expert from CLEPA.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/35, para. 37 TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/19



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