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Working Party on Passive Safety (GRSP) (6-9 December 2005)

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

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva starting at 14.30h on Tuesday, 6 December 2005 and concluding at 12.30h on Friday, 9 December 2005

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Informal meeting of the GRSP working group on Regulation No. 29 (a)

Upon the request of the Chairperson of the GRSP working group, an informal meeting will be held on Monday morning, 5 December 2005, from 9.30h till 12.30h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the informal group's secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting. Note by the secretariat: This informal meeting will be held without interpretation. In the case of need, the informal group may continue its consideration on Friday afternoon, after the conclusion of the thirty-eighth session of the GRSP proper.

(b) Informal meeting of the GRSP working group on head restraints

Upon the request of the Chairperson of the GRSP working group, an informal meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, 5 December 2005, from 14.30h till Tuesday morning, 12.30h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the informal group's secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting. Note by the secretariat: This informal meeting will be held without interpretation.

(c) Thirty-eighth session of the GRSP proper

To be held from Tuesday afternoon, 6 December 2005, from 14.30h to Friday morning, 9 December 2005, until 12.30h:

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A. 1998 AGREEMENT

Draft global technical regulation on pedestrian A.1. safety

GRSP may wish to consider the draft gtr prepared TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 3 by the informal group.

A.2. <u>Draft global technical regulation</u> on head restraints

GRSP may wish to consider a report of the TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 4 informal group dealing with the subject and an updated document, to be prepared by the expert from the United States of America.

A.3. Global technical regulation No. 1 (Door lock and door retention components)

GRSG may wish to consider a proposal for TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 5 amendments to gtr No. 1. TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/11

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A.4. Exchange of views on side impact dummy

GRSP agreed to resume the discussion of this TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 7 subject.

Exchange of views on vehicle crash A.5. compatibility

GRSP may wish to be informed on the progress of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 8 work by the EEVC working group 12 on the development of the barrier tests.

B. 1958 AGREEMENT

B.1. AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS

Regulation No. 11 (Door latches and hinges) B.1.1.

GRSP agreed to resume consideration of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 30 proposals, transmitted by the expert from the TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/9 European Commission.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/9/Corr.1

B.1.2. Regulation No. 14 (Safety-belt anchorages)

GRSP agreed to resume the consideration of the TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, paras. 9-12 amendment proposal by Japan.

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B.1.3. Regulation No. 16 (Safety belts)

GRSP agreed to consider, if available, a TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, paras. 13-15 consolidated proposal by France on safety belt TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/26/Rev.1 reminders, summarizing the comments received TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/16 on the subject.

B.1.4. Regulation No. 29 (Cabs of commercial vehicles)

GRSP may wish to consider a progress report on TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, the activities of the informal group to be presented paras. 16 and 17 by its Chairman, the expert from the Russian Federation.

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B.1.5. Regulation No. 44 (Child restraints)

GRSP agreed to consider a proposal by the TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, paras. 18-20 Netherlands to clarify that the definition of child TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/15 restraint systems.

Regulation No. 94 (Frontal collision protection) B.1.6.

Depending on the decision of WP.29, GRSP may TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 21 wish to resume its consideration of a proposal by TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/8 Japan.

B.1.7. Regulation No. 95 (Lateral collision)

GRSP may wish to be informed about the progress TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 23 of work by EEVC for adopting the revised ES-2re dummy into the Regulation.

B.1.8. Acceleration test devices

GRSP agreed to resume consideration of the TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, paras. 24-29 subject, based on a proposal for COP TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2003/12 prescriptions, if available. GRSP also agreed to TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/5 consider an updated proposal by Japan for amendments to Regulation No. 17.

New draft Regulation on accessory or replacement B.1.9. seat covers

GRSP might wish to resume consideration of this TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 37 subject on the basis of a proposal by Germany

TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/14

B.1.10. Consideration of scopes and common definitions

GRSP agreed to resume consideration of a TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 36 proposal by the European Commission on this TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2005/13 subject.

C. **BUSES AND COACHES**

C.1. Frontal collision of buses and coaches

GRSP may be informed on the activity of GRSG TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 32 in this field.

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C.2. Restraining of children travelling in buses and coaches

GRSP agreed to continue the consideration of this TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 33 subject, awaiting information from the experts from France and from EEVC.

C.3. Safety of wheelchair users in buses and coaches

GRSP may wish to be informed on the activity of TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/37, para. 34 the GRSG informal group on the subject.

D. **OTHER BUSINESS**

D.1. Election of officers

In compliance with Rule 37 of the Rules of Procedure (TRANS/WP.29/690), GRSP will elect the Chairperson for the sessions scheduled for the year 2006.

D.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.

D.3. Guidelines for the preparation and submission of documents

GRSP may wish to be informed on the adoption by TRANS/WP.29/1042 WP.29 of new guidelines for the preparation and TRANS/WP.29/1044 submission of documents.



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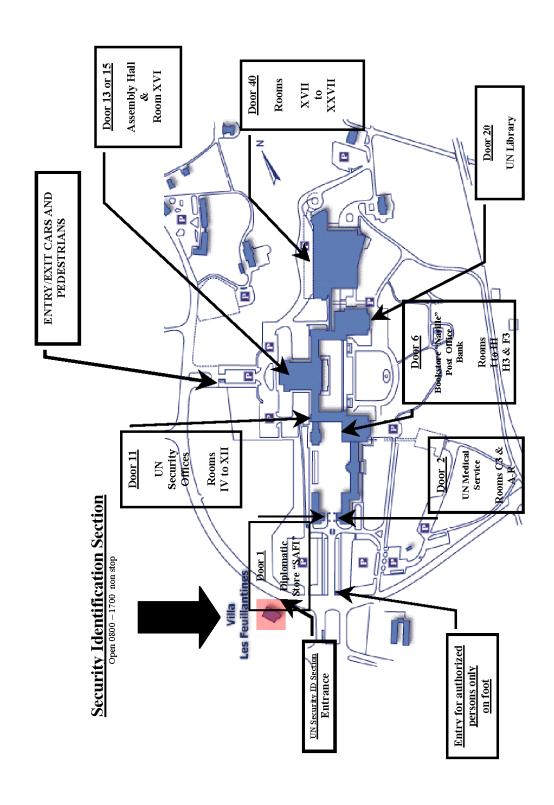
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