Proposal for Supplement 1 to the 04 series of amendments to UN Regulation No. 41

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I. Proposal

Paragraph 12.5., amend to read:

"12.5. Approvals granted under this Regulation before the entry into force of the 04 series of amendments date in paragraph 12.2 and all extensions of such approvals, including those granted subsequently under a preceding series of amendments to this Regulation, shall remain valid indefinitely…"

II. Justification

The proposal clarifies the validity of R41-03 approvals following the entry into force date of R41-04. The proposal aligns the provisions of paragraph 12.5. regarding the end date for unlimited validity of approvals granted according to the preceding series of amendments with the same end date as specified in paragraph 12.4. for granting approvals to a preceding series of amendments (i.e. with the date specified in paragraph 12.2.).