Proposal for Corrigendum 3 to Revision 2 of Regulation No. 13-H

The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from Italy to insert into Revision 2 the missing item 12.5 of the transitional provisions already approved as per Corrigendum 01 to Supplement 7. Modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new characters.

I. Proposal

After paragraph 12.4, insert new paragraph 12.5., to read:

"12.5. Contracting Parties applying this Regulation shall continue to grant approvals to those types of vehicles which comply with the requirements of this Regulation as amended by Supplement 6 to the original version of this Regulation."

II. Justification

1. Corrigendum 01 to Supplement 7, introduced the above mentioned paragraph 12.5 establishing that Contracting Parties shall continue to grant approvals (and extensions) to vehicles conforming to Supplement 6.

Supplement 11, approved at 151st WP.29 as per document WP29/2010/65 and entered into force on 30 January 2011, did introduce further paragraphs 12.6 and 12.7, but was not published on its own, it was published incorporated into Revision 2, where paragraph 12.5 above is missing, and paragraphs 12.6 and 12.7 are renumbered as 12.3 and 12.4 respectively.

Supplement 12 introduced new paragraphs 12.8 to 12.10.

As of today Paragraph 12 - Transitional provisions - is made up of paragraphs 12.1 to 12.4 and paragraphs 12.8 to 12.10, so paragraphs 12.5 to 12.7 are missing.

2. It is necessary to insert into Regulation 13-H the erroneously removed paragraph 12.5 to allow the approval and extension of approval to vehicles conforming to Supplement 6. This is in line with the ongoing discussion at GRRF concerning the reordering and simplification of the Transitional provisions of Regulation 13-H and Regulation 13, where the concept of approval of vehicles conforming to Supplement 6 is retained, but due to the long time experienced in the completion of this latter process, it is necessary to provide a fast solution to the problem of the missing paragraph 12.5.