Proposal for Supplement 1 to UN Regulation No. 140 (Electronic Stability Control (ESC))

Submitted by the Working Party on Brakes and Running Gear*

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Paragraph 7.4., amend to read:

"7.4. ESC malfunction detection

The vehicle shall be equipped with a tell-tale that provides a warning to the driver of the occurrence of any malfunction that affects the generation or transmission of control or response signals in the vehicle's electronic stability control system.

7.4.1. The ESC malfunction tell-tale:

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7.4.1.5. May also be used to indicate the malfunction of related systems/functions, including traction control, trailer stability assist, corner brake control, and other similar functions that use throttle and/or individual torque control to operate and share common components with ESC.

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7.4.4. The manufacturer may use the ESC malfunction tell-tale in a flashing mode to indicate the interventions of ESC and/or ESC-related systems (as listed in paragraph 7.4.1.5.), the ESC intervention on the steering angle of one or more wheels for the purpose of vehicle stability."

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