Report to 180th WP.29 session from the 37th IWG on DETA meeting
DETA
(Database for the Exchange of Approval documentation)

→ is the secure internet database to circulate approvals and its attachments,

→ as required to be established by the UNECE, according to the 1958 Agreement Revision 3.
DETA is still under development but since May 2019 ready to be used for its base purpose: exchanging UNECE approval documentation between the Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement.

- 25 Contracting Parties have notified their DETA Focal Point
- Appr. 1400 approvals uploaded
- 8 Manufacturers have access to DETA (their own approvals) (manufacturer’s access is to be requested via their approval authority and to be forwarded to the DETA Administrator)
State of play - Developments

• Implementation of DoC (specifications finalized → sponsor CITA)
  (‘DoC’ is the Declaration of Conformance certifying to which UN Regulations and versions a single vehicle is approved at the time of its production.)

• Implementation of UI (specs under review → sponsor OICA, ACEA, CLEPA, ETRTO)
  (‘UI’ is the Unique Identifier number assigned to an approval uploaded to DETA. A UI may replace the traditional E marking)

→ Preparation of Contracts ongoing
State of play - Developments

• Financing of DETA by UNECE
  • Regular Budget for 2020 and beyond to be clarified

• UI: open options to be discussed by the various GRs
  • What kind of additional information, currently part of the approval marking (e.g. installation) needs to be retained for 3rd parties?
    ➔ Option 1: Keep this additional information on the product (marking) in addition to UI?
    ➔ Option 2: Move this additional information to the communication document in DETA (UI only for the approval marking and provide open access to the communication document)?
Automated mass upload of approval documents today not yet possible (currently only manual upload)

Manual upload for large amounts very time-consuming

→ IWG-DETA considering technical solution (e.g. web-based service)
→ Specifications and financing still to be defined

Review possibility of a higher security level for access to DETA

→ e.g. two factor authentication
To be reviewed after resolution of open points, e.g.:

- **DOC**: contract details
- **UI**: technical specifications (see open points on slide 5) and contract details

and signature of necessary contracts
Questions to WP.29

WP.29 is requested to:

• Invite the Secretariat to explain current situation on DETA funding and explore further possibilities for financing

• Consider the endorsement of an automated mass-upload function via Web-Service

• Confirm the request to the various GRs to review the detailed specifications of UI (see slide 5) and report back as soon as possible (see also WP.29/1149, §65)