

**Suggestion for an amendment to UN Regulation No. 55
(Mechanical coupling)**

Annex 5 of the Regulation No. 55 mentions in the paragraph 11.2 dedicated to class T drawbar type couplings, a restrictive use for centre axle trailers only and this restriction shall be notified on the Communication form shown in annex 1. In spite of this specification, there is no specific mention in the communication format for this application.

On this basis, France proposes to introduce such application in a supplement 8 to the 01 series of amendment. The additions and deletions are shown in **bold** text to facilitate identification of these proposed changes within the existing Regulation.

I. Proposal

Insert a new paragraph 14 in annex 1, to read:

"14. Class T couplings only suitable for use on centre axle trailers – see annex 5 paragraph 11.2 :Yes/No 2/"

Current paragraphs 14 to 22 in annex 1 shall be renumbered in 15 to 23.

II. Justification

As required in the § 11.2 of annex 5, the class T couplings restriction of use has to be notified in the communication form.
