SUBJECT: UNIFORM TECHNICAL PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE FORWARD FIELD OF VISION-PROPOSAL BY BELGIUM

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INDIA'S COMMENTS:

The proposed regulation is for category M vehicles however the Base document on which this proposal is based that is Directive 77/649/EEC amended by 90/630/EEC for which the scope is M1 category.

We are of the opinion that to the global technical regulation a thought is to be given at this stage itself to propose Global Technical Regulation for forward field of vision of Driver not for only M class of vehicles but N category of vehicle too. Logically Both M & N category Vehicle drivers need same field of vision .

Reference may be drawn from standards mentioned below :-

- 1. SAE J941-Motor Vehicle Driver's Eye Location
- 2. SAE J1050-Measuring the driver's Field of View
- StVZO sec 35b(VkBI page 723,Oct 1987)-Equipment for the Safe Driving of Vehicle (German Standard).
- 4. Netherlands Standard
- 5. ISO 7390-Verification of Driver's Direct Field of View