



**PROPOSED REDACTIONAL MODIFICATIONS TO DOCUMENT
TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/26 (France - 7 October 2004),
RELATING TO THE FITTING OF SEAT BELT REMINDERS**

1. PROPOSED REDACTIONAL AMENDMENTS (only renumbering of certain paragraphs)

- 1.1 Paragraph 6.5: should be renumbered as 8.4.2
- 1.2 Paragraph 6.5.1: should be renumbered as 8.4.2.1
- 1.3 Paragraphs 6.5.1.1 to 6.5.1.4: should be renumbered as 8.4.2.1.1 to 8.4.2.1.4
- 1.4 Paragraphs 6.5.2 to 6.5.4: should be renumbered as 8.4.2.2 to 8.4.2.4
- 1.5 Paragraphs 6.5.4.1 to 6.5.4.3: should be renumbered as 8.4.2.4.1 to 8.4.2.4.3
- 1.6 Paragraph 6.5.5: should be renumbered as 8.4.2.5
- 1.7 Paragraphs 7.10 to 7.10.2.3: should be transferred as a new Annex to ECE Regulation No. 16.

2. JUSTIFICATIONS

- 2.1 As known, ECE Regulation No. 16 contains requirements for the homologation of both motor vehicles and safety belts.
- 2.2 In this connection, paragraph 5 concerning the approval requirements establishes that:
 - a) According to paragraph 5.2.1, for the approval of the “**vehicle type**” the requirements to be satisfied are those of paragraph 8 (with reference to certain annexes to the regulation);
 - b) According to paragraph 5.3.1, for the approval of the “**safety belt type**”, the requirements to be satisfied are those of paragraphs 4, 5.3 and 6. In addition, paragraph 6 makes reference to paragraph 7 and to certain annexes, concerning the test requirements of the safety belt type.
- 2.3 Following this line, it should be concluded that the requirements concerning the **approval of vehicles shall be included in paragraph 8** (with reference to the necessary annexes), and the requirements concerning the **approval of the safety belt type shall be reported in paragraph 6 (requirements) and 7 (test procedures)**, with the reference to the necessary annexes.
- 2.4 As far as the proposed requirements contained in document **TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2004/26** is concerned, it is to be noted that they affect the homologation of the motor vehicles only. For this reason, and in the case where GRSP will agree on the need to provide such kind of requirements in ECE Regulation No. 16, it has been felt necessary to shift the proposed requirements contained in paragraphs 6.5 and 7.10 in the appropriate paragraph 8. This in order to allow a correct application of the relevant requirements when approving either motor vehicles or safety belts.