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Comments on the re-drafted certificate of compliance (document 2007/14) Transmitted by the Netherlands

Item 3:

It is not clear what is intended to be filled in after “identification number” and “serial number”. If the intention is the registration number of the vehicle (Identification number) and Vehicle Identification Number or VIN (serial number), the wording should be changed accordingly.

It is not clear what is intended to be filled in after the word “allotted”. It can be the allocation of the serial number by the manufacturer or Registration number by a country of registration.

Item 7.1.1 to 7.1.4.

The numbers 7.1.1 to 7.1.4. are used twice. The second series should be renumbered to 7.2.1 to 7.2.5.

Item 7.1.5 (which should be 7.2.5)

1)

If the table with the pre-printed class temperatures of 0 C, -10 C, and -20 C is only intended to be filled in for mechanically refrigerated equipment, this should be reflected in the text of 7.2.5. (*“The effective capacity of mechanically refrigerating appliance(s) at an outside temperature”*)

If the table is to be used for refrigerated and heated equipment as well the temperatures should not be pre-printed because the class temperatures are different. In the model Certificate of compliance of the current version of ATP the temperatures are not pre-printed.

2)

By giving data like serial number of the thermal appliance it can be concluded that the certificate of compliance needs to be up-dated/revised if a new thermal appliance is fitted.

If so the footnote 10 can be deleted. (and also 8.1.3)

If the possibility of exchange of the mechanically refrigeration appliance remains, the wording of footnote 10 should be changed. The options of paragraph 42 (b) and (c) are not measurements of the effective refrigeration capacity but rather determination if the capacity is sufficient. The word measured in the footnote 10 should be changed to “determined”

Item 8.1.3

Change “refrigerant capacity” to “refrigerating capacity”.

Item 9

In the working group held during the 2006 session of WP.11 it was decided not to include the telephone number of the issuing authority.

Item “Logotype” (and Footnote 13)

Last meeting it was decided that the only allowed marking would be a relief stamp and plastification of the certificate on both sides. (See ECE TRANS/WP.11/214 Annex 1). The “Logotype” and footnote 13 need to be removed.

Item footnotes

Footnote (9)

There is no Footnote (9) on the backside of the certificate of conformity.

Introduce “ (9) For example : insulating capacity of efficiency of thermal appliances” on the back of the certificate.

Since footnote (13) was deleted (see item “logotype”) footnote (14) needs to be renumbered as footnote (13).

Footnote (14)

The wording and intention of this footnote is not clear. If a governmental body delegates the issuing of certificates, the appointed body becomes the Competent Authority for this subject.