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#### PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE EIGHTY-FIFTH SESSION 1/2/

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#### Agenda Item

#### **Documents**

1. REGULATION No. 36 – Development (Large capacity passenger vehicles)

GRSG agreed to consider amendments to the Regulation by Germany and OICA.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 3-5 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/18 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/23

2. REGULATION No. 52 – Development (Small capacity passenger vehicles, M2 and M3 category)

GRSG agreed to continue consideration of the proposal by Spain on the free access through the service door. It was also agreed to consider proposals to amend the Regulation by Germany and OICA. TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 6–9

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/2 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/19 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/24

3. REGULATION No. 107 – Development (M2 and M3 vehicles)

GRSG agreed to consider proposals by Germany and OICA following the revision of Regulation No. 107, joining Regulations Nos. 36, 52 and 107. GRSG may wish to review the proposal for draft Supplement 1 to the 01 series of amendments to the Regulation.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 10-15 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/20 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/21 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/22 TRANS/WP.29/2003/71

4. REGULATION No. 66 – Development (Strength of superstructure)

GRSG agreed to consider a proposal for a revision of the Regulation by the informal group. TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/623 paras. 16-18 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/25 Agenda Documents
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#### 5. SAFETY GLAZING

#### 5.1. Regulation No. 43 - Development

GRSG may wish to consider a proposal for an alternative headform, if available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 19-21

#### 5.2. Draft global technical regulation on safety glazing

GRSG agreed to consider a proposal for adraft gtr, if available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 22

# 6. DRAFT REGULATION ON THE PROTECTION OF M1 AND N1 CATEGORIES OF VEHICLES AGAINST UNAUTHORIZED USE - Development

GRSG agreed to consider a parallel proposal to that of Regulation No. 97 for vehicle degradation system, when available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 23

## 7. REGULATION No. 97 – Development (Vehicle alarm systems)

GRSG agreed to consider an updated proposal by Germany.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 24 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/26

### 8. REGULATION No. 46 – Development (Rear-view mirrors)

GRSG agreed to consider, after the adoption of the corresponding European Union Directive, updated proposals by Netherlands, Germany and Japan, if available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 28-31 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2002/10 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/9

#### 9. COMMON DEFINITIONS (Masses and dimensions)

GRSG agreed to consider an updated proposal by the Chairman of the informal group on "Common Tasks" following the recommendations by WP.29.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 32 and 33 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/10/Rev.1 Agenda Item

#### **Documents**

#### 10. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

In compliance with Rule 13 of the Rules of procedure (TRANS/WP.29/690), GRSG will elect the Chairperson (and Vice-Chairperson) for the sessions scheduled for the year 2004.

#### 11. OTHER BUSINESS

### 11.1. <u>Draft global technical regulation on identification of</u> controls, tell-tales and indicators

GRSG agreed to consider an updated proposal by Canada for a draft global technical regulation.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 26 and 27 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2000/8/Rev.3

### 11.2. New draft Regulation concerning the driver's field of vision of power driven vehicles

GRSG agreed to continue consideration of an updated proposal by Belgium as well as of the proposals by France and Japan.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 36 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2000/19/Rev.1 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2002/1 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2002/9

#### 11.3. New draft Regulation concerning heating systems

GRSG agreed to continue consideration of the proposal by OICA as well as of a complementary proposal by the European Community, if available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, paras. 38 and 39 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2002/11 and Add.1

#### 11.4. Regulation No. 26

(Vehicles with regard their external projections)

GRSG agreed to continue consideration of a proposal by the Netherlands complemented with a cost/benefit analysis and/or accident data. Complementary proposals by France concerning aerials for Global Positioning Systems and by OICA, for transitional provisions, were also announced.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 40 TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/11 Agenda Documents
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#### 11.5. Draft Rule No. 2

(Periodical technical inspection of wheeled vehicles with regard their roadworthiness)

GRSG agreed to conclude the consideration of the proposal by CITA.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 40 TRANS/WP.29/2003/16

### 11.6. <u>Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3)</u> – Development

GRSG agreed to consider a proposal by the Russian Federation, if available.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/63, para. 44

### 11.7. <u>Draft Regulation on identification of controls, tell-tales and indicators</u>

GRSG may wish to consider a proposal by Belarus to amend the draft Regulation.

TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2003/17

### 11.8. <u>Declaration of compliance with a specific (former)</u> version of an ECE Regulation

WP.29 requested its subsidiary bodies to consider the proposal by GRPE (TRANS/WP.29/926, para.76).

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