PROPOSAL FOR DRAFT AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION No. 106 (Pneumatic tyres for agricultural tractors)

A. PROPOSAL

Paragraph 5.3., amend to read:

"5.3.. Notice of approval or **extension or** refusal **or withdrawal of approval or production definitively discontinued** of a type of pneumatic tyre pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated to the Parties to the **1958** Agreement which apply this Regulation, by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this Regulation and of a photograph or of drawings supplied by the applicant for approval, in a format not exceeding A4 (210 x 297 mm) or folded to that format and on an appropriate scale."

Paragraph 5.4.2., amend to read:

"5.4.2. An approval number. The number of this Regulation, followed by the letter "R", a dash and the type approval number."

B. JUSTIFICATION

When comparing the paragraphs dealing with the type approval of pneumatic tyres of the following four Regulations:

Reg. No. 30: tyres for passenger cars,

Reg. No. 54: tyres for commercial vehicles,

Reg. No. 75: tyres for motorcycles, and

Reg. No. 106: tyres for agricultural vehicles,

there is a discrepancy in paragraph 5.3 specifying, respectively:

Reg. No. 30:

"Notice of approval or of extension or refusal or withdrawal of approval or production definitively discontinued of a type of pneumatic tyre pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated to the Parties to the 1958 Agreement applying this Regulation, by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this Regulation."

Reg. No. 54:

"Notice of approval or of refusal of approval of a type of pneumatic tyre pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated to the Parties to the Agreement which apply this Regulation by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this Regulation."

Reg. No. 75:

"Notice of approval or of refusal or of extension or withdrawal of approval of a type of pneumatic tyre pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated to the Parties to the Agreement applying this Regulation, by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this Regulation."

Reg. No. 106:

"Notice of approval or of refusal of approval of a type of pneumatic tyre pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated to the Parties to the Agreement which apply this Regulation by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this Regulation and of a photograph or of drawings supplied by the applicant for approval, in a format not exceeding A4 (210 x 297 mm) or folded to that format and on an appropriate scale."

ETRTO therefore suggests revising the paragraph 5.3 in Regulation No. 106 harmonizing all requirements with those of the same paragraph specified in the other three Regulations. It is proposed to adopt the text of Regulation No. 30, the most up-to-date.

Annex 2 of Regulation No. 106, showing the example of the type approval number, requires the marking of the number of the regulation followed by R and by the type approval number; therefore it is proposed to modify the paragraph 5.4.2 in conformity with the requirements of Annex 2.
