

**PROPOSAL FOR CHANGES IN ECE R17 – strength of seat & seat  
anchorages for passenger cars**

**1.0 Correction to cl 1.2.2 of Annex 6 – head impact test**

1.1 The clause should be corrected by deleting the words as follows :

*The head form shall be fitted with two accelerometers ~~& a speed  
measuring device, all~~ capable of measuring values in the impact direction.*

1.2 **Justification** – In all the head impact tests, speed measuring device is not a part of headform. It is an external stationary system with optical / non optical beams being used popularly.

**2.0 Inclusion of text to cl 1.3.2 to Annex 6 – head impact test**

2.1 Include the following text – *an external speed measurement system shall be placed to record the impactor speed before the impact. The accuracy of the recording instrument should be as follows :*