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Fuel Quality (FQ)

Proposal to amend the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3) and its Annex 4, on market fuel quality

Submitted by the secretariat*

The text reproduced below was prepared by the secretariat to include a reference to the Annex 4 in the relevant part of the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3) and to amend the Annex 4 accordingly.

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* In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2010–2014 (ECE/TRANS/208, para. 106 and ECE/TRANS/2010/8, programme activity 02.4), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update Regulations in order to enhance the performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

I. Proposal

Paragraph 8.5., insert new paragraphs 8.5.1 and 8.5.2. and amend to read,

"8.5. Pollutant emissions

8.5.1. It is recommended to apply the requirements of the Regulations listed in paragraph 6, the table, lines A, B and C."

8.5.2. **The minimum market fuel quality parameters recommended to protect vehicle emission control technologies are included in Annex 4.**"

Annex 4, amend to read:

"Annex 4

~~Key parameters for m~~Recommendation on market fuel quality parameters

~~Note: This chapter contains recommendations for minimum market fuel quality in respect of certain basic fuel quality parameters.~~

1. Purpose of the recommendation

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II. Justification

Include a reference to the Annex 4 in the relevant part of the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3) and amend the Annex 4 accordingly.
