Proposal for amendment to document ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2012/53
(a new Regulation on Child Restraints Systems)

Note: The modifications to ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2012/53 are marked in bold or in red and strikethrough characters.

I. Proposal

Paragraph 5.4.1.2, amend to read:

5.4.1.2. An approval number, followed by the regulation name and the series of amendment (“ECE-Regulation No. XXX/XX”);

Paragraph 5.4.2.1, amend to read:

5.4.2.1. The word(s) "i-Size (universal ISOFIX)" or "specific vehicle ISOFIX" depending on the category of Child Restraint System;

Annex 2, replace the first figure of the approval mark with the following:

Arrangements of the approval mark

Annex 2, amend to read:

The Child Restraint System bearing the above approval mark is a device capable of being fitted in any i-size compatible vehicle seating position and of being used for the 40cm-70cm size range and mass limit of 24kg; it is approved in France (E2) under the number 00xxx. The approval number indicates that the approval was granted in accordance with the requirements of the Regulation concerning the approval of enhanced Child Restraint Systems used onboard of motor vehicles as amended by the 00 series of amendments. In addition the name of the regulation has to be identified on the approval
mark followed by the series of amendment according to which the approval has been granted ("ECE-Regulation XXX/00" for the 00 series of amendments of regulation XXX).

Annex 2, replace the second figure of the approval mark with the following:

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\begin{align*}
\text{Specific Vehicle ISOFIX} \\
40\text{cm} - 70\text{cm} / \leq 24\text{kg}
\end{align*}
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a/3 \\
a/3
\end{array}
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\begin{array}{c}
a/2 \\
a/3
\end{array}
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E_2
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a = 8 \text{ mm min.}
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\[002450 \text{ ECE-Regulation No. XXX/XX}\]

Annex 2, amend to read:

The Child Restraint System bearing the above approval mark is a device not capable of being fitted in every vehicle and of being used for the 40cm to 70cm size range and mass limit of 24kg; it is approved in France (E2) under the number 002450. The approval number indicates that the approval was granted in accordance with the requirements of the Regulation concerning the approval of Specific vehicle ISOFIX Child Restraint Systems used onboard of motor vehicles as amended by the 00 series of amendments. In addition the name of the regulation has to be identified on the approval mark followed by the series of amendment according to which the approval has been granted ("ECE-Regulation No. XXX/00" for the 00 series of amendments of regulation XXX).

II. Justification

The approval mark of Child Restraint Systems is used by consumers to identify the system. According to Regulation No. 44 the experience showed that consumers are not able to understand the type approval number as it is. To allow consumers understanding the approval mark, Germany proposed to add further information as indicated above.