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8.2.2.8.6 Examples of the national model of ADR Driver training certificates sent to the secretariat

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Summary

Executive summary: In accordance with 8.2.2.8.6 of ADR, all ADR Contracting Parties shall make available examples of their national models for the ADR training certificate to the ECE secretariat so that they can be published on the ECE website.

Germany proposes that the secretariat write to the states that have so far not fulfilled this obligation.

Action to be taken: Discussion

Reference document: ECE/TRANS/WP.15/230, paragraphs 59 to 61
Informal document INF.22 of the ninety-ninth session (November 2015)

Introduction

1. At its ninety-ninth session (November 2015), the Working Party noted the presentation from the secretariat on the availability of information on the ECE website (see ECE/TRANS/WP.15/230, paragraphs 59 to 61).

* In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2016-2017, (ECE/TRANS/2016/28/Add.1 (9.1)).
2. In accordance with 8.2.2.8.6 of ADR, all ADR Contracting Parties have committed, as from 1 January 2015, to make available examples of their national models for old and new ADR training certificates to the secretariat so that the secretariat can publish the certificate on the ECE website.

3. The Working Party has already invited countries that have not done so to send the models of ADR Drivers certificates they delivered or to confirm that no certificates were delivered in their country if appropriate.

4. However, in Germany, the inspection authorities again and again find that the ADR training certificate presented during on-the-spot checks cannot be checked against a model in accordance with 8.2.2.8.5 of ADR on the ECE website.

5. It would simplify the work of the inspection authorities if those models were available for comparison on the ECE website.

Proposal

6. Germany therefore proposes that the secretariat write to the states that have so far not fulfilled the obligation in accordance with 8.2.2.8.6 of ADR to make available examples of their national models for the ADR training certificates to the ECE secretariat.