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# Transposition of GTR20 (EVS-GTR) to UN Regulations

Introduction of the drafts for;

03 series of amendments to UN Regulation No.10004 series of amendments to UN Regulation No.9405 series of amendments to UN Regulation No.9502 series of amendments to UN Regulation No.137

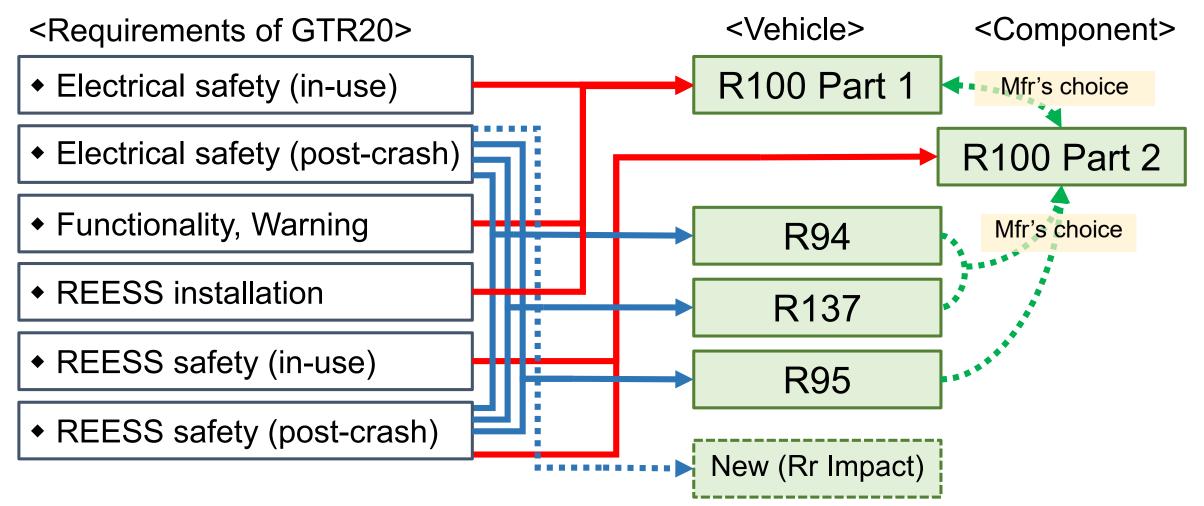
## 1. Motivations

- Japan and the European Commission are willing to follow the administrative provisions of UN 98 Agreement (Article 7.1) by applying UN Regulations aligned with EVS-GTR
- Therefore, the two CPs have been developed the amendments of relevant UNRs
- > OICA supported the transposition process by providing their expertise

- □ The amendment considered in ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2019/17 is merged into this document.
- The amendments proposed by the European Commission for the extension of the scope of crash regulations (UNR 94, 137 and 95) were assumed to be adopted ahead of the amendments for transposing GTR

## 2. Concept

- Incorporate technical provisions of GTR20 into existing UNR, if any
- Maintain the structure of relevant UNRs
- > New UNR on Rr impact (GRSP/2019/38) will also be aligned to GTR20



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## 3. Amendment of UNR100 (EV Safety)

Beside transposition of technical provisions of GTR20, the following pointes were specifically considered:

#### (1) Clarification of SCOPE (para.1)

<Scope of GTR20> vehicles of Category 1 and Category 2 with a maximum design speed exceeding 25 km/h, equipped with electric power train containing high voltage bus, excluding vehicles permanently connected to the grid.

<Scope of UNR100-02 (current version)> Part I: Safety requirements with respect to the **electric power train** of road vehicles of categories M and N, with a maximum design speed exceeding 25 km/h, equipped with one or more traction motor(s) operated by electric power and not permanently connected to the grid, as well as **their high voltage components and systems** which are galvanically connected to the high voltage bus of the electric power train.

Part II: Safety requirements with respect to the **Rechargeable Energy Storage System (REESS)**, of road vehicles of categories M and N equipped with one or more traction motors operated by electric power and not permanently connected to the grid.

- GTR's scope is limited to vehicles with high voltage system, while current UNR applies also to low voltage REESS and vehicles having such a REESS
- In UNR, component approval of REESS had been adopted to allow flexibility in the business scheme between vehicle manufacturers and system suppliers



#### 3. Amendment of UNR100 (EV Safety) (1) Clarification of SCOPE (para.1)

<Scope of UNR100-03 (proposal)>

- 1.1. Part I: Safety requirements with respect to the electric power train of road vehicles of categories M and N, with a maximum design speed exceeding 25 km/h, equipped with electric power train, excluding vehicles permanently connected to the grid one or more traction motor(s) operated by electric power and not permanently connected to the grid, as well as their high voltage components and systems which are galvanically connected to the high voltage bus of the electric power train. Part I of this regulation does not cover;-post-crash safety requirements of road vehicles.
  - (a) Post-crash safety requirements of road vehicles.
  - (b) High voltage components and systems which are not galvanically connected to the high voltage bus of the electric power train.
- 1.2. Part II: Safety requirements with respect to the Rechargeable Electrical Energy Storage System (REESS), of road vehicles of categories M and N equipped with electric power train, excluding vehicles one or more traction motors operated by electric power and not permanently connected to the grid.

Part II of this Regulation does not apply to **a battery**REESS(s) whose primary use is to supply power for starting the engine and/or lighting and/or other vehicle auxiliaries' systems. [Primary use in this context means that more than 50% of the energy from the battery is used for starting the engine and/or lighting and/or other vehicle auxiliaries' systems over an appropriate driving cycle, e.g. WLTC for M1 and N1.] Additional sentence for numerical threshold for

Additional sentence for numerical threshold for differentiating REESS or not is still under discussion

## 3. Amendment of UNR100 (EV Safety)

#### (2) Distribution of REESS related warning requirements (para. 5.2.3, 6.13-15)

- ➢ GTR has additional requirements for waring in the event of REESS failure
- For UNR, these requirements are separated to vehicle level (warning indication) and REESS level (sensing and signaling)

#### (3) Protection against water (para.5.1.4, Annex 6)

- > In GTR, allowing compliance alternative of **isolation resistance monitoring system** is CP option
- > For UNR, this option is **adopted** as it is considered as effective
- > Technical correction to the test procedure of isolation resistance monitoring system (Annex 6)

#### (4) Preventing accidental or unintended vehicle movement (para.5.3)

- > The title of this requirement is changed from "functional safety" to above, to **avoid confusion**
- > NL proposal (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2019/17) is merged into this amendment

#### (5) REESS post-crash safety (para. 6.4.1.1 & 6.4.2.1.1)

- GTR does not specify the crash configurations
- Crash configurations of current R100-02 (i.e. Frontal impact and Lateral impact) are carried over, but adopt R137 instead of R12
- Crash regulations (R94, 95, 137) will include additional criterion for REESS fire hazard and becomes alternative to these requirements

## 3. Amendment of UNR100 (EV Safety)

#### (6) Adaptation of administrative provisions (para. 4, 7, 8, 9, 10)

- > Administrative provisions are simplified by referring to the Schedules of Rev.3 of the 58 Agreement
- Recent practices in other UNRs are introduced

#### (7) Transitional provisions (para. 12)

> Recommend to have a reasonable period from the entry into force for new type of vehicles

## 4. Amendment of UNR94 &137 (Frontal impact)

Beside transposition of technical provisions of GTR20, the following pointes were specifically considered:

(1) New series of amendments only affecting to vehicles with electric power train

- ➤ Strengthened criteria (e.g. low energy criterion 2.0J → 0.2J) and different test conditions are introduced by GTR20
- Voltage measurement for physical protection (CP option in GTR) is not adopted since there has been no issues identified from the implementation of relevant requirements of current UNRs

#### (2) Adaptation of administrative provisions (para. 4, 7, 8, 9, 10)

- > Administrative provisions are simplified by referring to the Schedules of Rev.3 of the 58 Agreement
- Recent practices in other UNRs are introduced
- (3) Transitional provisions (para. 12)
  - > Recommend to have a reasonable period from the entry into force for new type of vehicles
  - Vehicles not having an electric power train operating on high voltage are not affected by this series of amendments and therefore existing approval should not be affected

## 5. Amendment of UNR95 (Lateral impact)

Beside transposition of technical provisions of GTR20, the following pointes were specifically considered:

(1) New series of amendments only affecting to vehicles with electric power train

- ➤ Strengthened criteria (e.g. low energy criterion 2.0J → 0.2J) and different test conditions are introduced by GTR20
- Voltage measurement for physical protection (CP option in GTR) is not adopted since there has been no issues identified from the implementation of relevant requirements of current UNRs

#### (2) Adaptation of administrative provisions (para. 4, 6, 7, 8, 9)

- > Administrative provisions are simplified by referring to the Schedules of Rev.3 of the 58 Agreement
- Recent practices in other UNRs are introduced
- (3) Transitional provisions (para. 11)
  - > Recommend to have a reasonable period from the entry into force for new type of vehicles
  - Vehicles not having an electric power train operating on high voltage are not affected by this series of amendments and therefore existing approval should not be affected

- 6. Treatment of UN Regulation No.12
- Frontal impact test of current R12 (Annex 3) is merely used, because the relevant requirements R94 or R137 are used as the alternatives
- If the scope of UN Regulation No.137 is extended to category N1, the need of frontal impact test will not be justified anymore

## □ The WG decided to suspend the amendment of R12 and to seek for guidance from GRSP

#### **D** Possible directions:

- A) Reform R12 as a component approval of replacement steering systems by removing vehicle level requirements
- B) Remove frontal impact test and its requirements (incl. electrical safety)
- C) Maintain existing structure and align with GTR20