

**AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHING OF GLOBAL TECHNICAL REGULATIONS
FOR WHEELED VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT AND PARTS WHICH CAN BE FITTED
AND/OR BE USED ON WHEELED VEHICLES**
Situation on 28 February 2001

Transmitted by the Secretariat

Agreement entered into force on 25 August 2000

(Depositary Notification C.N.557.2000.TREATIES-8, dated 14 August 2000)

CONTRACTING PARTIES (11):

USA by signing (25 June 1998) and acceptance (26 July 1999: Depositary Notification C.N.680.1999.TREATIES-3, dated 26 July 1999);

Canada by definitive signing (22 June 1999: Depositary Notification C.N.648.1999.TREATIES-2, dated 15 July 1999);

Japan by acceptance (3 August 1999: Depositary Notification C.N.692.1999.TREATIES-4, dated 3 August 1999);

France by signing (22 September 1999) and approval (4 January 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1.2000.TREATIES-1, dated 5 January 2000);

United Kingdom by definitive signing (10 January 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.6.2000.TREATIES-2, dated 12 January 2000);

European Community by signing (18 October 1999) and approval (15 Feb.2000: Depositary Notification (Reissued) C.N.82.2000.TREATIES-3, dated 18 Feb.2000);

Germany by definitive signing (11 May 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.360.2000.TREATIES-5, dated 5 June 2000);

Russian Federation by definitive signing (26 July 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.538.2000.TREATIES-7, dated 28 July 2000);

P.R. China by acceptance (10 October 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1000.2000.TREATIES-10, dated 27 October 2000);
effective from 9 December 2000.

Republic of Korea by accession (2 November 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1014.2000.TREATIES-11 (reissued), dated 17 November 2000);
effective from 1 January 2001;

Italy by accession (1 December 2000: Depositary Notification C.N.1084.2000.TREATIES-12, dated 5 December 2000).

SIGNATORIES (2):

Republic of South Africa signed on 14 June 2000 (Depositary Notification C.N.389.2000.TREATIES-6, dated 15 June 2000); the signature is subject to ratification.

Spain signed on 24 August 2000 (Depositary Notification C.N.731.2000.TREATIES-9, dated 12 September 2000); the signature is subject to ratification.

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The instruments of **ratification** and/or **accession** or **acceptance** of the Agreement must be deposited with the UN Secretary-General, i.e. Treaty Section of the UN Office for Legal Affairs. However, they could be addressed either directly to the UN Secretary-General in New York, or to the UN Secretary-General c/o the Economic Commission for Europe.

**AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ADOPTION
OF UNIFORM CONDITIONS FOR PERIODICAL TECHNICAL
INSPECTIONS OF WHEELED VEHICLES AND THE
RECIPROCAL RECOGNITION OF SUCH INSPECTIONS**

Situation on 28 February 2001

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Depositary Notification C.N.1074.2000.TREATIES-2, dated 30 November 2000)

CONTRACTING PARTIES (5):

Russian Federation by definitive signing (13 November 1997:
Depositary Notification (Reissued) C.N.564.1997.TREATIES-18,
dated 19 October 1999);

Estonia by accession (9 September 1998:
Depositary Notification C.N.455.1998.TREATIES-1, dated 23 October 1998).

Netherlands by signing (13 November 1997) and ratification (5 February 1999:
Depositary Notification C.N.52.1999.TREATIES-1, dated 8 February 1999)

Romania by signing (13 November 1997) and ratification (24 February 1999: fax
of OLA, dated 25 February 1999, Depositary Notification has not been received)

Hungary by signing (13 November 1997) and ratification (28 November 2000:
Depositary Notification C.N.1070.2000.TREATIES-1, dated 30 November 2000)

SIGNATORIES (19):

Belgium; Cyprus; Austria; Czech Republic; Denmark; Finland; France; Georgia;
Germany; Greece; Ireland; Italy; Portugal; Spain; Sweden; Switzerland; United
Kingdom; Ukraine signed at Vienna
(13 November 1997: Depositary Notifications C.N.549 to 569.1997.TREATIES-3,
dated 17 June 1999);

Slovakia signed at Geneva (29 June 1998:
Depositary Notification C.N.870.1998.TREATIES-2, dated 18 June 1999)
