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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**

GENEVA, 25 JUNE 1998

COMPENDIUM OF CANDIDATES

LISTING No. 4

The Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, as Secretary of the Agreement, communicates the following:

On 22 June 2005, at its fourteenth session, the Executive Committee of the Agreement, in accordance with para. 7.1. of article 7 of Annex B to the Agreement, at the request of the United States of America (TRANS/WP.29/2005/48) determined by affirmative vote (TRANS/WP.29/1041, para. 88) to list in the Compendium of Candidates the following technical regulation:

Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard; FMVSS No. 202 Head Restraints.

The above technical regulation was listed No. 4 in the Compendium of Candidates.

The following documents are appended to the above technical regulation:

Final Regulatory Impact Analysis; FMVSS No. 202 Head Restraints for Passenger Vehicles

Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Head Restraints; Final Rule

The documents mentioned above may be accessed through the website of the Transport Division of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, at the following address:

http://www.unece.org/trans/main/wp29/wp29wgs/wp29gen/wp29glob_candidate.html

Reference is made in this respect to article 5. paras. 5.2., 5.2.2 and 5.2.3. of the Agreement, which read as follows:

"5.2. Listing technical regulations in the Compendium of Candidates

Any Contracting Party may submit a request to the Executive Committee for the listing in the Compendium of Candidates of any technical regulation that such Contracting Party has applied, is applying or has adopted for future application.

5.2.2. The Executive Committee shall consider all requests that satisfy the requirements of Article 4 and paragraph 5.2.1. of this Article. The technical regulation shall be listed in the Compendium of Candidates if supported by an affirmative vote in accordance with paragraph 7.1. of Article 7 of Annex B. The documentation submitted with the request for that regulation shall be appended to the listed technical regulation.

5.2.3. The requested regulation shall be considered to be listed by the Secretary-General on the date on which it is supported by an affirmative vote under paragraph 5.2.2. of this Article."

12 October 2005



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