Proposals for amendments to

- GRSG/2021/24: Supplement 1 to the original version of UN Regulation No. [161] on uniform provisions concerning the protection of motor vehicles against unauthorized use and the approval of the device against unauthorized use (by mean of a locking system)

- GRSG/2021/25: Supplement 1 to the original version of UN Regulation No. [162] on uniform technical prescriptions concerning approval of immobilizers and approval of a vehicle with regard to its immobilizer

Submitted by the experts of OICA

The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from OICA to harmonize the numbering of the annex on digital keys among the three regulations issued from the split of UN R116. The modifications to the current text of the regulations are marked in bold characters for new text and strikethrough for deleted text.

I. Proposal 1 (UN R161)

Paragraph 5.1.16., amend to read:

“5.1.16. In addition digital keys shall comply with the provisions of Annex 8 Annex 9.”

Insert a new Annex 8, to read:

“Annex 8 (reserved)”

Renumber current Annex 8 as Annex 9.

II. Proposal 2 (UN R162)

Paragraph 5.1.11., amend to read:

“5.1.16. In addition digital keys shall comply with the provisions of Annex 8 Annex 9.”

Insert a new Annex 8, to read:

“Annex 8 (reserved)”

Renumber current Annex 8 as Annex 9.

III. Justification

The aim of this proposal is to align the numbering of the annex on digital keys among the three regulations in stake (UN R161, UN R162 and UN R163) for limiting the risks of errors in case of an approval of a digital key against the three regulations.

As this annex in UN R163 (VAS) bears the highest number (Annex 9 – see document GRSG/2021/26), it is logical to insert a blank Annex 8 and to re-number the annex as No.9 in the 2 other regulations.
This proposal also makes the regulations consistent since Annex 7 on EMC also bears the same number throughout the three regulations.