# Status report to 75<sup>th</sup> GRBP (February 2022)

Task Force

on

Tyre Pressure Monitoring System & Tyre Installation (TPMSTI)

### Introduction

• Following the 71<sup>st</sup> session of GRBP the Task Force was created with the aim to introduce harmonised measures on Tyre Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) and on Tyre Installation for all M-, N- and O-categories of vehicles to UN Regulation No. 141 and to No. 142, in order to increase vehicles safety and their environmental performance.

## **Objectives**

- The Task Force shall develop and propose requirements for Tyre
  Pressure Monitoring System (TPMS) and for Tyre Installation concerning
  all M-, N- and O-categories of vehicles.
- The scope and purpose of the Task Force should cover UN Regulation No. 141 and No. 142.
- The Task Force shall, where appropriate, develop amendments to these two Regulations or develop new Regulations for N<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>3</sub>, M<sub>2</sub>, M<sub>3</sub>, O<sub>3</sub> and O<sub>4</sub>.
- The Task Force shall report to GRBP.

### Timeline

- The 183<sup>rd</sup> WP.29 adopted the amendments to each of UN Regulation No. 141 (TPMS) and UN Regulation No. 142 (tyre installation), based on a working document and an informal document for the former and a working document for the latter, adopted by the 72<sup>nd</sup> and 73<sup>rd</sup> GRBP.
  - Informal documents necessary to complete the TF work delayed by the Covid-19 restrictions.
- Work continued on detailed technical matters.

## **Participants**

- Contracting Parties: European Commission, Germany, The Netherlands, China, Japan, Finland.
- NGOs: CLEPA, ETRTO, OICA.
  - Between 40 and 50 experts joined in average the meetings on UN R No. 141
  - Between 15 and 25 experts joined in average the meetings on UN R No. 142

### Roles

- Chair: European Commission; as from the 20<sup>th</sup> meeting (if held), tbc
- Secretary: OICA; as from the 20<sup>th</sup> meeting (if held) CLEPA (tbc)

## Meetings and outcome

- The Task Force had six meetings to prepare two working documents to the 72<sup>nd</sup> session of GRBP (on both UN R No. 141 and No. 142) and six more meetings, together with more than 5 meetings of limited groups, on TPMS communication interface N-O and warming-up procedure until the 73<sup>rd</sup> session of GRBP.
- Until the 8<sup>th</sup> meeting, TF assisted by TRL through a study on TPMS testing requirements
- The Task Force continued its work on the TPMS/TPRS/CTIS "Communication interface" of N category vehicles within service O<sub>3</sub> and O<sub>4</sub> category vehicles.
- Also, the Task Force worked on an alternative procedure for the approval of trailers with respect to TPMS.
- Three dedicated meetings of a limited group of experts provided with a proposal to the Task Force.
- The Task Force submitted to the 74<sup>th</sup> GRBP one working document (GRBP/2021/20) on the technical subjects related to "an alternative procedure for the approval of trailers with respect to TPMS" for UN R No. 141.
- The Task Force submitted also to the 74<sup>th</sup> GRBP two working documents with amendments of the transitional provisions for their full clarification (GRBP/2021/19 for UN R No. 141 and GRBP/2021/21 for UN R No. 142).

## **Timeline Schedule**

- Work continued on refining the technical matters on CTIS and TPRS
  - Work was based on the documents of the 16<sup>th</sup> meeting
  - An informal document on the technical matter regarding CTIS and TPRS, based on the outcome of the discussions at the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> meeting, was finalized and submitted to the 74<sup>th</sup> session of GRBP (GRBP-74-26)
  - GRBP generally supported GRBP-74-26 and invited TF TPMSTI to submit it to the next session in the form of an official document (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/72 – Report of GRBP on its 74<sup>th</sup> session)
  - The official document has been submitted to the 75<sup>th</sup> session of GRBP (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRBP/2022/2)
- Further timeline to be decided upon the decision made at the 75<sup>th</sup> session of GRBP at the 20<sup>th</sup> Task Force meeting (if needed)