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# STATUS REPORT OF THE INFORMAL WORKING GROUP ON SAFER TRANSPORT OF CHILDREN IN BUSES AND COACHES (IWG-STCBC)

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### INFORMAL WORKING GROUP

Lasts meeting

Next meeting

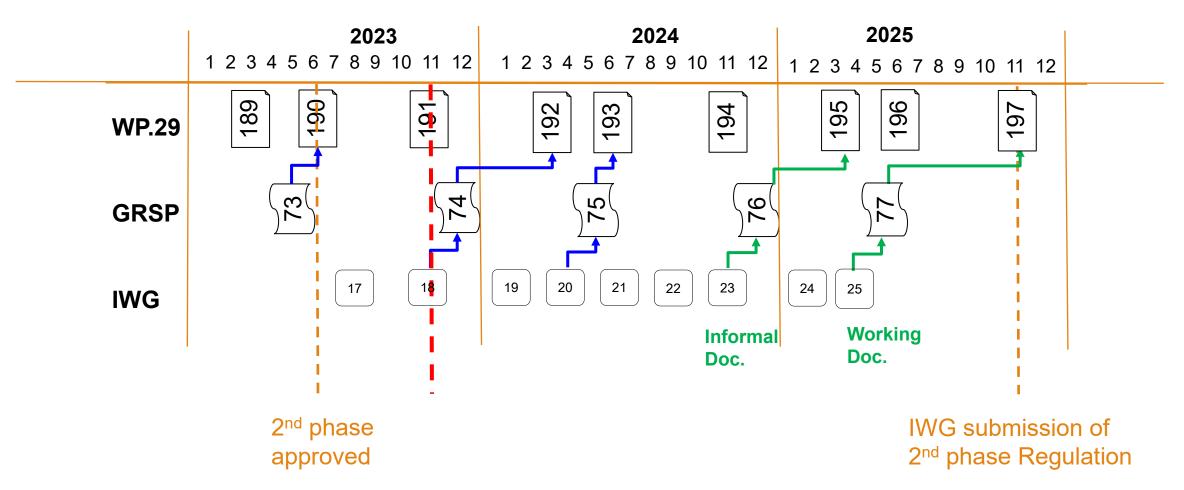
#### 17th IWG-STCBC meeting

Date: 30 August 2023 Location: Brussels

18th IWG-STCBC meeting Date: 13<sup>th</sup> November Location: Online

#### TIMELINE

#### Plan and Schedule



### SUMMARY OF THE NEW UN REGULATION

Time line	GRSP- May 2025 WP.29 – November 2025
Objective	No ejection of the children. Good retention in the seat
Phase 1	a: CRS approved according to R-129 with 3-point belt and or ISOFIX b: Built in systems
Phase 2	CRS in combination with 2-point belts

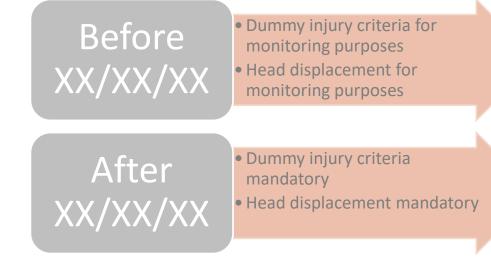
## **KEY ELEMENTS**

- Test configurations: Frontal impact and rollover
- Retention system: 2-point belt
- Consideration of the CRS: R-129 approved CRS + additional new UN Regulation approval



## **DECISIONS DONE**

- Construction of the bus will not be modified.
- Separate components on the CRS for installation will not be allowed.
- Combination of 2-point belts and top tether or Support leg will not be allowed.
- Tests results:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> step: Dummy injury criteria for monitoring purposes only
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> step: Dummy injury criteria mandatory from XXX



## ONGOING

- Head impact through the front seat acceptable only if the impact is in the R80 zone.
- Test procedure:
  - Test bench (UN R129) / Real bus seat
- Labeling.
- Minimum characteristics necessary for the installation of the CRS in the bus seat:
  - Length of Seat belt.
  - Distance between lower anchorages points



## NEXT STEPS

#### • Tests comparison:

- Tests to be done in the UN R129 test bench
- Tests to be done in a bus seat

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION