**Informal Working Group on Periodic Technical Inspection (IWG on PTI)**

**Extension of mandate – Amendment of Rules of Procedure – Selection of Officer(s)**

On 18 June 2024, the WP.29 secretariat has received the below message from the Permanent Mission of Finland:

“Dear colleagues,

On behalf of the Permanent Mission of Finland in Geneva, let me convey the following message to UNECE WP29 & IWG on PTI chairs and secretariat.

Finland nominates a candidate for IWG on PTI chair. The candidate is **Mr. Teemu Toivanen** from the Finnish Transport and Communications Agency Traficom.

Finland proposes amending the Rules of Procedure of IWG on PTI as follows:

 **IV 12 (B) A Chair (Finland) will manage the IWG with the support of a Secretary (CITA)**.

In the current situation Finland is unable to co-chair the IWG with Russian Federation. Finland considers that the continuation of IWG on PTI is important and for this reason offers to chair the group without a co-chair. Finland asks the UNECE secretariat to organize an election in the June 2024 session of the WP.29.

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| Best regards, |
| **Permanent Mission of Finland, Geneva”** |