

Status report of the UNECE GRSG Task Force on UN-R46

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During the 126th session of UNECE GRSG (General Safety) in October 2023, **Germany tabled on the behalf of the Task Force on UN-R46 two proposals** to modify UN R 46. GRSG adopted both proposals. Wp.29 in March 2024 voted for the proposals as Supplement 1 to the 05 series and a new 06 series of Amendments. GRSG decided that the **Task Force “UN-R46”** should proceed to discuss still open topics under discussion in further sessions of the TF.

In its 127th session GRSG adopted a further document as **Proposal for Supplement 1 to the 06 Series of Amendments UN Regulation No. 46** (Devices for indirect vision) now as **working document on the agenda of WP.29 in November 2024 as ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2024/101**. Also, after the 127. GRSG decided that the Task Force “UN-R46” should proceed to discuss still open topics under discussion in further sessions of the TF.

TF UN-R46 had its 4th meeting on 17th and 18th June in Cologne (hybrid). After the meeting two working document have been sent to GRSG:

- **ECE-TRANS-WP.29-GRSG-2024-40** a “Proposal for the 07 Series of Amendments to Regulation No. 46 (Devices for Indirect Vision)” and
- **ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2024/41** with a “Request for Guidance from GRSG Experts” to clarify the meaning of "limit the return of the hammer" in paragraph 6.3.2.2.5. of the 06 series of amendments of UN Regulation No. 46.

On **4th October 2024 the 5th meeting** (online only) took place. The aim of this meeting was, to amend ECE-TRANS-WP.29-GRSG-2024-40 via an additional Informal Document with corrections, clarifications and additional paragraphs with outstanding points on the list of the TF.

During this meeting, it became clear that **further discussions were required on several agenda items**. As a consequence, the Task Force decided to **postpone the discussion on ECE-TRANS-WP.29-GRSG-2024-40 on base of an additional informal document to the 129th of GRSG in April 2025**.

Not to prolong the discussion to find a solution to solve the issue with some ADR vehicles and CMS the TF concluded to **prepare a new informal document** as Proposal for **Amendments to Supplement 1 to the 06 Series of Amendments to UN Regulation No. 46 (Devices for indirect vision)** which are currently as working document ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2024/101 on the agenda of WP.29 for voting in November 2024.

This document contains **necessary amendments** to what was proposed in ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2024/101 for paragraph 16.1.1.4.1. and corrects the wording, **to bring the text in UN-R 46 in line with what has been proposed in WP.15**.

The Task Force asks to submit this informal document to WP.29 for the session in November 2024 as Proposal for Amendments to Supplement 1 to the 06 Series of Amendments to UN Regulation No. 46 (Devices for indirect vision)
Document: ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2024/101

Next steps are, to organize and held the 6th meeting of the TF in one of the next weeks after GRSG 128 to be able to propose the outstanding amendments to working document ECE-TRANS-WP.29-GRSG-2024-40 for **the 128. Session of GRSG.**

Thank you for your attention