Proposal for Supplement 4 to the 01 series of amendments and Supplement 4 to the 02 series of amendments of UN Regulation No. 125 (Forward field of vision of drivers)

I. Proposal

Paragraph 1.1.., amend to read:

"1.1. This Regulation applies to the 180° forward field of vision of drivers of category M₁ and N₁ vehicles. Vehicles of category M₂ and N₂ derived from vehicles of categories M₁ or N₁ may be approved at the request of the manufacturer."

Insert new paragraph 2.21., to read:

"2.21. "Vehicles of category M₂ and N₂ derived from M₁ or N₁" means those vehicles of M₂ and N₂ category which, forward of the B-pillars, have the same general structure and shape as a pre-existing M₁ or N₁ category vehicle."

II. Justification

- 1. In accordance with paragraph 0.9. and Annex 5, paragraph 2.1.2. of Regulation No. 167, vehicles of categories M_2 and N_2 derived from vehicles of categories M_1 or N_1 may comply with the requirements of Regulation No.125. However, with current provisions, such vehicles of category M_2 and N_2 need to have the approval to Regulation No.167. In order to avoid duplicated administrative procedure for such vehicles, the scope of Regulation No. 125 should be extended.
- 2. The definition of "Vehicles of category M_2 and N_2 derived from M_1 or N_1 " is alinged with that of Regulation No. 167.

¹ As defined in the Consolidated Resolution on the Construction of Vehicles (R.E.3.), document ECE/TRANS/WP.29/78/Rev.6, para. 2. -

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