

Report

GRE Informal Working Group 'AVLI'
5th Session
2014-12-02/03
Frankfurt

Participants: see **AVLI 05-07**

Agreed dates:

6th meeting 'AVLI' 2015-01-20, Brussels
2nd meeting Editorial Task Force ('AVLI' ETF) 2015-01-21, Brussels

Remark: only for ETF members

Agreed activities:	Date	Responsible
Prepare AVLI 05-01eRev 1	ASAP	Schauer (already done)
Prepare wording for Chapter 12	2015-01-20	Schauer, Glukhenkiy & Guichard
CEMA to provide practical cases where problems with installation of side marker lamps may occur	2015-01-20	CEMA
Kuhn/CEMA check whether R.70 and R.104 (latest amendments) are compatible with Annex 6	2015-01-20	van Amstel
AVLI members further consideration of square brackets in par.6.26 (presence signalling panels)	2015-01-20	All

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Introduction of participants
3. Adoption of the agenda (Doc. AVLI 05-04e)
4. Further development of requirements regarding cat. R and S: Discussion of the comments received on document AVLI 05-01e (Doc. AVLI 05-05e and AVLI 05-05e Rev 1)
5. Planning of the further steps and meetings
6. Any other business
7. Closing

1. Welcome

The Chairman, Mr Rovers welcomed the participants and thanked Mr Schauer and VDMA/CEMA for the invitation and the hosting of the meeting. He opened the meeting at approx. 13:00 hrs.

2. Introduction of participants

The participants introduced themselves (see also Document AVLI 05-07).

3. Adoption of the Agenda (Doc. AVLI 05-04e)

The agenda was unanimously adopted.

4. Further development of requirements regarding cat. R and S: Discussion of the comments received on document AVLI 05-01e (Doc. AVLI 05-05e and AVLI 05-05e Rev 1)

The discussion started with a review of the comments received in AVLI 05-05e. AVLI Secretariat received additional comments from the EU Commission which have been included in AVLI 05-05e Rev 1 and distributed to IWG AVLI on 2014-12-01. The conclusions are summarised in AVLI 05-05e Rev.2. This document is a substantial part of the report.

It was agreed that the decisions taken during the meeting will be included in a revised document to become AVLI 05-01e Rev.1.

5. Planning of the further steps and meetings

AVLI secretary will prepare the revised document AVLI 05-01e Rev.1 and submit it to IWG AVLI before the Christmas holidays.

If a mandatory installation of main beam headlamps, side marker lamps, conspicuity marking on certain agricultural vehicles will be introduced, appropriate transitional provisions are necessary. The general wording of transitional provisions should be jointly prepared by the GRE and AVLI secretariats before the next meeting. A representative of the Commission should be invited to the next meeting in order to realize that the specific timing is also in alignment with the appropriate EU position.

Remark: A representative of the Commission will be available during 6th AVLI session.

The question whether the installation of side marker lamps on certain vehicles will be mandatory needs further discussions. CEMA is asked to provide practical cases where problems may occur when mandatorily installed.

The installation of conspicuity marking on agricultural vehicles shall remain optional and no further installation/position requirements should be added unless a common CEMA and CLEPA proposal is available as basis for further discussion.

The installation of signalling panels shall be discussed during the next meeting, considering also the inclusion of these panels and foils into R 70 and R 104. Also the unresolved/outstanding issues from the 5th meeting will be further discussed.

The 6th meeting of IWG AVLI will be held in Brussels, on 2015-01-20 starting at 10:30.

The 2nd meeting of the editorial Task Force (AVLI ETF) will be held in Brussels on 2015-01-21 (NB: only for ETF members). The ETF consists of: Derwin Rovers (Chair AVLI), Gerd Kellermann (Co-Chair AVLI), Andreas Schauer (Secretary AVLI), Timo Kärkkäinen (SF), Stefano Pagliarani (IT) and Ivo Hostens (CEMA).

6. Any Other Business

No issues raised.

7. Closing

At the end of the meeting, the Chairman, Mr. Rovers, thanked Mr. Schauer again for kindly hosting this 5th session of 'AVLI' and for all his good work in preparation and execution of the meeting in his capacity as secretary of IWG 'AVLI'. Finally, he thanked all the participants for their good cooperation and the fruitful discussions.

He closed the meeting at approx. 15:30 hrs.