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The Permanent Mission of Japan to the International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe and, with reference to Japan's submission of the status report on the regulations annexed to the AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHING OF GLOBAL TECHNICAL REGULATIONS FOR WHEELED VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT AND PARTS WHICH CAN BE FITTED AND/OR BE USED ON WHEELED VEHICLES done at Geneva on 25 June 1998, has the honor to submit the following status report in accordance with Article 7.4 of the abovementioned Agreement.

"Amendment1 to Global technical regulation No.2, MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE FOR TWO-WHEELED MOTORCYCLES EQUIPPED WITH A POSITIVE OR COMPRESSION IGNITION ENGINE WITH REGARD TO THE EMISSION OF GASEOUS POLLUTANTS, CO₂ EMISSIONS AND FUEL CONSUMPTION

(ECE/TRANS/180/Add.2/Amend.1, hereinafter referred to as the "amendment")
(Reference is made to the notification ECE/TRANS/2005/124/2/Amend.1 dated 31 January 2008)

The Government of Japan is working toward the development of national regulations that correspond to gtr No.2 which was amended by the amendment, taking into account the results of domestic studies including the correlation between the test cycle set down in the gtr and the existing Japan's test cycle. The Government of Japan will consider the amendment in the whole process of adopting the gtr No.2."

The Permanent Mission of Japan to the International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe the assurances of his highest consideration.

Geneva, 08 January 2010

