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The Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe and has the honor to inform the latter that in accordance with Article 7.2 of 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, concluded in Geneva on 25 June 1998, the Government of Japan would like to notify the Secretary-General of the United Nations that it began applying Amendment 1 to Global Technical Regulation No. 18 on the measurement procedure for two- or three-wheeled motor vehicles with regard to on-board diagnostics on 11 November 2021.

The Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations and Other 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 its highest consideration.

Geneva, 21 December 2021

