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**1958 Agreement – Consideration of draft amendments
to existing Regulations submitted by GRSP**

Proposal for Supplement 1 to the 03 series of amendments to Regulation No. 80 (Strength of seats and their anchorages (buses))

Submitted by the Working Party on Passive Safety *

The text reproduced below was adopted by the Working Party on Passive Safety (GRSP) at its fifty-sixth session (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/56, para. 28). It is based on ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRSP/2014/25 not amended. It is submitted to the World Forum for Harmonization of Vehicle Regulations (WP.29) and to the Administrative Committee AC.1 for consideration.

* In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2012–2016 (ECE/TRANS/224, para. 94 and ECE/TRANS/2012/12, programme activity 02.4), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update Regulations in order to enhance the performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

Paragraph 1.4., amend to read:

"1.4. The installation of side-facing seats shall be prohibited in vehicles of categories M₂ (of class II, III and B) and M₃ (of class II, III and B) with the exception of vehicles of category M₃ (of class II, III and B) of a technically permissible maximum laden mass exceeding 10 tonnes provided the requirements of paragraph 7.4. are met."

Paragraph 1.5., shall be deleted

Paragraph 1.6., renumber as paragraph 1.5.

Paragraph 1.7., shall be deleted

Paragraph 12.5., shall be deleted

Paragraphs 12.6. and 12.7., renumber as paragraphs 12.5. and 12.6.

Paragraph 12.8.(former), renumber as paragraph 12.7. and amend to read:

"12.7. As from 24 months after the date of entry into force of the 03 series of amendments Contracting Parties applying this Regulation shall grant approvals for new vehicle types only if the requirements of this Regulation, as amended by the 03 series of amendments, are satisfied."

Paragraphs 12.9. and 12.10.(former), renumber as paragraphs 12.8. and 12.9.
