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UN Regulation No. 73 (Lateral Protection Devices)

Proposal for the 02 Series of Amendments (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2025/104) to UN Regulation No. 73 (Lateral Protection Devices)

Submitted by the expert from Japan *

The text reproduced below was prepared by the experts from Japan to correct some mistakes. The modifications to ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2025/104, are marked in bold characters and strikethrough for deleted characters.

* In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2025 as outlined in proposed programme budget for 2025 (A/79/6 (Sect. 20), table 20.6), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update UN Regulations to enhance the performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

I. Proposal

Paragraph 11.12., amend to read:

"11.12. Notwithstanding the transitional provisions above, Contracting Parties whose application of this Regulation comes into force **[on or]** after the date of entry into force of the **02 ~~most recent~~** series of amendments are not obliged to accept approvals which were granted in accordance with **paragraph 11.11. of the 02 series of amendments and** any of the preceding series of amendments to this Regulation."

II. Justification

This paragraph is amended to take into consideration Contracting Parties which are recently signatories to this UN Regulation.
