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Geneva, 9-12 January 2007

ANNOTATED PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE FIFTY-THIRD SESSION^{1 2}

to be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva
starting at 14.00 p.m. on Tuesday, 9 January 2007

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I. INFORMAL MEETINGS

The fifty-third session of the Working Party on Pollution and Energy (GRPE) was initially scheduled to be held from 9 (afternoon only) to 12 (morning only) January 2007. However, during its last session (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, para. 51), GRPE decided to start the session on Monday afternoon, 8 January 2007 with the informal meetings, without interpretation, and to conclude on Friday noon, 12 January 2007. Full interpretation will only be provided from Tuesday afternoon to Friday morning.

(a) Informal meeting of the GRPE working group on Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Vehicles – Subgroup Environment (HFCV-SGE)

To be held on Monday afternoon, 8 January 2007, from 14.30 h until 17.30 h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the HFCV-SGE group secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting. Note by the secretariat: This informal meeting will be held without interpretation.

(b) Informal meeting of the GRPE working group on Worldwide Motorcycle emission Test Cycle (WMTC)

To be held on Tuesday morning, 9 January 2007, from 09.30 h until 12.30 h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the WMTC group secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting. Note by the secretariat: This informal meeting will be held without interpretation.

(c) Informal meeting of the GRPE working group on the emissions from Non-Road Mobile Machinery (NRMM)

To be held on Tuesday afternoon, 9 January 2007, from 14.30 h until 17.30 h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the NRMM group secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting.

(d) Informal meeting of the GRPE working group on Particulate Measurement Programme (PMP)

To be held on Wednesday morning, 10 January 2007, from 9.30 h until 12.30 h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the PMP group secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting.

(e) Informal meeting of the GRPE working group on Off-Cycle Emissions (OCE)

To be held on Wednesday afternoon, 10 January 2007, from 14.30 h until 17.30 h. The agenda of the meeting will be prepared by the OCE group secretariat and distributed to the members of the group prior to the meeting.

II. FIFTY-THIRD SESSION OF GRPE PROPER

To be held on Thursday, 11 January 2007, from 09.30 h to Friday, 12 January 2007, until 12.30 h:

<u>Agenda item</u>	<u>Documents</u>
1. REGULATION No. 49 (EMISSIONS OF C.I., NG, AND P.I. (LPG) ENGINES)	
1.1. <u>Off-Cycle Emissions (OCE)</u>	
GRPE expects to be informed about the work of the OCE group. The Chairperson of the informal group will summarize the results of the most recent meetings.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 9 and 10
1.2. <u>Amendments to UNECE Regulation No. 49</u>	
GRPE might wish to consider proposals by the EC on this subject.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, para. 20 ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2007/5
2. PARTICLE MEASUREMENT PROGRAMME (PMP)	
GRPE would like to be informed by the Chairman of PMP about the final report on the inter-laboratory exercise for light-duty vehicles as well as on the preparation work of the same exercise for heavy-duty vehicles.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 21-23
3. DEVELOPMENT OF A WORLD-WIDE MOTORCYCLE EMISSION TEST CYCLE (WMTC)	
GRPE may wish to be informed by the Chairman of the WMTC informal group on the progress made on the elaboration of performance requirements for gtr No. 2.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 24 and 25

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4. EXHAUST EMISSIONS TEST PROTOCOL OF NON-ROAD MOBILE MACHINERY (NRMM)	
The Chairman of the NRMM informal group will inform GRPE about the progress made at the meetings held in Ottawa (Canada) and prior to the GRPE session proper (see I.(c) above).	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 26 and 27
5. AMENDMENTS TO UNECE REGULATIONS	
5.1. <u>Regulation No. 67</u> (Equipment for liquefied petroleum gas)	
GRPE agreed to resume consideration of a proposal by India to increase the number of cycles for the endurance test.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 28 and 29 ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2007/2
5.2. <u>Regulation No. 83</u> (Emissions of M1 and N1 categories of vehicles)	
GRPE agreed to resume consideration of the proposal jointly prepared by France and Germany, if available.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 30 and 31 TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2005/3*
5.3. <u>Regulation No. 96</u> (Diesel emissions of agricultural tractors)	
GRPE agreed to resume consideration of a revised proposal by EUROMOT in order to align the provisions of the Regulation with those of the corresponding EU Directive.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 32 and 33 ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2006/7/Rev.1
5.4. <u>Regulation No. 110</u> (Specific components for CNG)	
GRPE agreed to resume consideration of proposals by Germany and ENGVA.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 36-39 ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2007/3 ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2007/6
5.5. <u>Regulation No. 120</u> (Net power of engines for tractors and non-road mobile machinery)	
GRPE may wish to consider a draft corrigendum tabled by Belarus.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/2007/4

<u>Agenda item</u>	<u>Documents</u>
5.6. <u>Collective amendments to Regulations regarding the extension of their scopes to three-wheelers</u>	
GRPE might wish to consider a proposal by India, if available.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, para. 40
6. HYDROGEN AND FUEL CELL VEHICLES – SUB-GROUP ENVIRONMENT (HFCV-SGE)	
GRPE is expected to be informed by the HFCV project manager or the Chairman of the HFCV environmental subgroup about the progress of work made by the informal groups.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 41 and 42
7. ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY VEHICLES (EFVs)	
GRPE may wish to be informed about the next EFV Conference intended to be held in Germany.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 43 and 44
8. EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION ON NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL REQUIREMENTS ON EMISSIONS ³	
GRPE may wish to continue the exchange of views on the development of national legislation and international requirements.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, paras. 45 and 46
9. 1997 AGREEMENT (INSPECTIONS)	
9.1. Rule No. 1	
GRPE is expected to be informed about the status regarding the alignment of the Rules with the corresponding EU Directive.	ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRPE/52, para. 47
10. OTHER BUSINESS	

³ Delegations are invited to submit brief statements on the latest status of national requirements and, if necessary, to supplement this information orally.