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Subject: Council Decision on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the World Forum for Harmonisation of Vehicle Regulations of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe as regards the proposals for modifications to UN Regulations Nos 13, 14, 16, 22, 30, 41, 78, 79, 83, 94, 95, 101, 108, 109, 117, 129, 137, 138, 140 and 152, as regards the proposals for modifications to Global Technical Regulations Nos 3, 6, 7, 16 and 19, as regards the proposal for amendments to Consolidated Resolution R.E.3. and as regards the proposals for five new UN Regulations in relation to safety, emissions and automation in the area of motor vehicles

- Adoption
- Initiation of written procedure

1. The Commission submitted to the Council the proposal for the above-mentioned Council Decision on 20 May 2020.

2. The Working Party on Technical Harmonisation (Motor Vehicles) received advance copies of the Commission proposal on 15 May 2020. Following its formal adoption by the Commission, the Working Party on Technical Harmonisation (Motor Vehicles) was consulted by e-mail from 25 to 29 May 2020. In the written consultation, delegations did not raise any objection to the text of the Commission proposal.
3. Following the decision of the Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 1) on 10 June 2020 to use the written procedure, please **state whether you agree to the adoption of the Council Decision and the recommended EU position as set out, after finalisation by lawyer-linguists, in documents 8164/20 and 8471/20. We kindly ask you to answer “YES”, “NO” or “ABSTENTION”.**

Any unilateral statements should be made separately at the same time as answering the questions above.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council **by 17h00 (CET) on 16 June 2020**, by e-mail to motorvehicles@consilium.europa.eu.
