




| Basic information  |                     |
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| <b>2004/0134(AVC)</b><br>AVC - Assent procedure (historic)<br>Decision   | Procedure completed |
| Car industry: location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators, UN/ECE Regulation<br><br><b>Subject</b><br><br>3.40.03 Motor industry, cycle and motorcycle, commercial and agricultural vehicles |                     |

| Key players                   |  |  |   |                  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|---|------------------|
| European Parliament           | <b>Committee responsible</b>                         |  | <b>Rapporteur</b>                             | <b>Appointed</b> |
|                               | <b>INTA</b> International Trade                      |  | BARÓN CRESPO Enrique (PSE)                    | 14/09/2004       |
|                               | <b>Committee for opinion</b>                         |  | <b>Rapporteur for opinion</b>                 | <b>Appointed</b> |
|                               | <b>TRAN</b> Transport and Tourism                    |  | The committee decided not to give an opinion. |                  |
| Council of the European Union | <b>Council configuration</b>                         |  | <b>Meetings</b>                               | <b>Date</b>      |
|                               | General Affairs                                      |  | 2636  | 2005-01-31       |
|                               | Agriculture and Fisheries                            |  | 2648  | 2005-03-14       |
| European Commission           | <b>Commission DG</b>                                 |  | <b>Commissioner</b>                           |                  |
|                               | Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs |  | VERHEUGEN Günter                              |                  |

| Key events |   |  |         |
|------------|---|--|---------|
| Date       | Event   | Reference  | Summary |
| 01/07/2004 | Initial legislative proposal published                          | COM(2004)0449<br> |         |
| 02/12/2004 | Vote in committee   |  | Summary |
| 10/01/2005 | Legislative proposal published                                  | 15633/2004   | Summary |
| 08/02/2005 | Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading | A6-0030/2005   |         |
| 22/02/2005 | Decision by Parliament  | T6-0019/2005   | Summary |

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| 22/02/2005 | Results of vote in Parliament                           |  |  |
| 22/02/2005 | Committee referral announced in Parliament              |   |  |
| 14/03/2005 | Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament |   |  |
| 14/03/2005 | End of procedure in Parliament                          |   |  |

| Technical information             |                                   |
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| <b>Procedure reference</b>        | 2004/0134(AVC)                    |
| <b>Procedure type</b>             | AVC - Assent procedure (historic) |
| <b>Procedure subtype</b>          | Legislation                       |
| <b>Legislative instrument</b>     | Decision                          |
| <b>Stage reached in procedure</b> | Procedure completed               |
| <b>Committee dossier</b>          | INTA/6/22630                      |

| Documentation gateway   |  |   |                         |                         |
|---|--|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>European Parliament</b>                                      |  |   |                         |                         |
| Document type   | Committee  | Reference   | Date                    | Summary                 |
| Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading |  | <a href="#">A6-0030/2005</a>  | 08/02/2005              |                         |
| Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading          |  | <a href="#">T6-0019/2005</a><br>OJ C 304 01.12.2005, p. 0016-0088 E | 22/02/2005              | <a href="#">Summary</a> |
| <b>Council of the EU</b>  |  |   |                         |                         |
| Document type   | Reference  | Date  | Summary                 |                         |
| Legislative proposal  | <a href="#">15633/2004</a>   | 10/01/2005  | <a href="#">Summary</a> |                         |
| <b>European Commission</b>                                      |  |   |                         |                         |
| Document type   | Reference  | Date  | Summary                 |                         |
| Initial legislative proposal                                    | <a href="#">COM(2004)0449</a><br> | 01/07/2004  |                         |                         |

| Additional information |                         |      |
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| Source                 | Document                | Date |
| European Commission    | <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a> |      |

# **Car industry: location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators, UN/ECE Regulation**

2004/0134(AVC) - 22/02/2005 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted the report by Enrique BARÓN CRESPO (PES, ES) by 545 votes in favour, 11 against, with 19 abstentions relating to uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators.

# **Car industry: location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators, UN/ECE Regulation**

2004/0134(AVC) - 10/01/2005 - Legislative proposal

**PURPOSE** : to enable the Community, represented by the Commission, to vote in favour of the draft UN/ECE Regulation on uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators in the vote which will take place during a meeting of the Administrative Committee at a forthcoming meeting of the UN/ECE World Forum for Harmonisation of Vehicle Regulations.

**PROPOSED ACT** : Council Decision.

**CONTENT** : the agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the World Forum for Harmonisation of Vehicle Regulations of the UN/ECE will include, in particular, a vote on a (new) draft Regulation on uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the location and identification of hand controls, tell-tales and indicators.

The main purpose of the draft Regulation is to establish harmonised technical prescriptions, thereby avoiding the creation of technical barriers to trade in motor vehicles between the Contracting Parties, while ensuring a high level of safety.