

Reference: C.N.592.2016.TREATIES-XI.B.16 (Depositary Notification)

AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ADOPTION OF UNIFORM TECHNICAL  
PRESCRIPTIONS FOR WHEELED VEHICLES, EQUIPMENT AND PARTS  
WHICH CAN BE FITTED AND/OR BE USED ON WHEELED VEHICLES AND  
THE CONDITIONS FOR RECIPROCAL RECOGNITION OF APPROVALS  
GRANTED ON THE BASIS OF THESE PRESCRIPTIONS

JAPAN: NOTIFICATION OF DISAGREEMENT UNDER ARTICLES 1 (2) AND (4) OF THE  
AGREEMENT <sup>1</sup>

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary,  
communicates the following:

Within the period of six months from the date of depositary notification  
C.N.125.2016.TREATIES-XI.B.16 of 5 April 2016, by which the Secretary-General transmitted to the  
Governments of the Contracting Parties a copy of the Draft Regulation entitled “Uniform provisions  
concerning the approval of Quiet Road Transport Vehicles with regard to their reduced audibility”, the  
Government of Japan notified, on 16 August 2016, its disagreement with the said draft Regulation.  
Therefore, in accordance with article 1(4) of the Agreement, the above-mentioned Regulation will not  
enter into force for Japan in the event of its adoption.

16 August 2016



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<sup>1</sup> Refer to depositary notification C.N.125.2016.TREATIES-XI.B.16 of 05 April 2016 (Draft  
regulation annexed to the Agreement [138]).