TRANSSC 30
Initial review of proposed changes to SSR 6 and SSG26 submitted in the 2015 Review Cycle by Working Groups

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Terms of Reference

A. Background:
It is expected that a number of the proposals to change SSR6 and SSG26 received in the 2015 Review Cycle will require detailed discussion and evaluation beyond the time constraints of a TRANSSC meeting. Detailed discussions and evaluations will therefore take place in a number of consultants meetings which will be convened after TRANSSC30 and before TRANSSC31. To enable the necessary arrangements for the consultants meetings to be made working groups in TRANSSC30 will asked to complete an initial review of the proposals, to identify those which will require further consideration by Consultancy Meeting(s).

The decision to accept or reject a proposal will be made by TRANSSC 31; the recommendations of the consultants meetings will be made to TRANSSC31 for its consideration in the decision making process.

B. Proposals for change will be categorized

The proposals for change will be categorized thematically as much as possible to enable delegates of TRANSSC to select the appropriate working group.

A small number of information papers are also available as further background information for the working groups to consider.

C. Expected outputs from each working group

Each working group is requested to:

1) Make an initial review of each proposal for change
2) Identify any of the proposed changes submitted that should be included in the working group categorized list, as this list will be given to a consultants meeting
3) Provide a short narrative on the views of the working group on each proposal which will be given to the consultants meeting for their consideration. These views may include if further justification is required, if changes to the proposal are considered necessary, or any other views the working group wishes the consultants to be aware of.
4) Identify any relationships between individual proposals
5) Consider if any of the consolidated/revised recommendations may be offered as a proposal for change to any of the associated transport Safety Guides
6) A short presentation (10 minutes) of the working group findings for TRANSSC30 plenary

D. To be discussed and agreed in plenary

The approximate number and duration of each consultants meeting and the approximate dates