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**Where are we with the proposal for a
Regulation for approval and market surveillance
of L-category vehicles ?**

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Codecision act - status

- Commission adoption of the proposal for a European Parliament and Council Regulation on the approval and market surveillance of L-category vehicles (two- or three-wheel vehicles and quadricycles) on 04 October 2010.
- Proposal was well received by Council and Parliament and both are very active in reviewing the proposal.

Codecision act - status

- European Council - motor vehicle working group
 - 3 meetings in the last quarter of 2010, last meeting on 20 January 2011.
 - Next confirmed council meetings: 03 and 09 February 2011.

Codecision act - status

- European Parliament - Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection (IMCO)
- Rapporteur: Mr. Wim van de Camp (EPP / NL)
- First public hearing on Tuesday 30 November 2010 in which the Commission has introduced the L-cat codecision Reg and the associated impact assessment
- Second public hearing and exchange of views in IMCO meeting took place on 25 January 2010.

Codecision act - status

- European Parliament - Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection (IMCO)
- Provisional timetable as presented by the rapporteur:
 - expert visits January / February 11
 - presentation working document 28 February 11
 - consideration draft report 13-14 April 11
 - deadline for amendments 04 May 11
 - consideration amendments 24-26 May 11
 - vote in IMCO 15 June 11
 - plenary meeting 5-8 July 11(tbc)

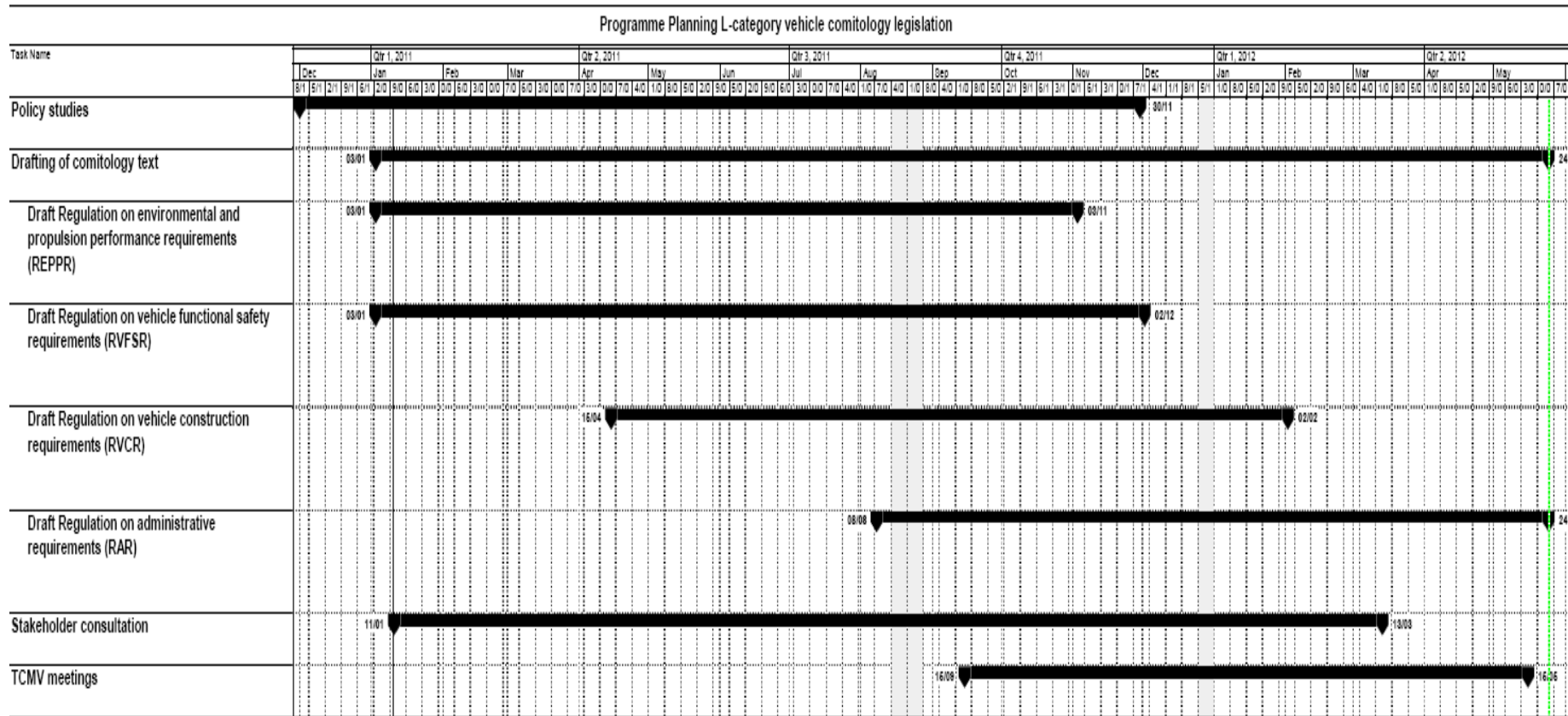
Comitology acts - introduction

- Comitology acts
 - Regulation on environmental and propulsion performance requirements
 - Regulation on vehicle functional safety requirements
 - Regulation on vehicle construction requirements.
 - Regulation on administrative requirements

Comitology acts - Target timeline

Task Name	Start	Finish
Policy studies	Wed 01/12/10	Wed 30/11/11
Drafting of comitology text	Mon 03/01/11	Thu 24/05/12
Draft Regulation on environmental and propulsion performance requirements (REPPR)	Mon 03/01/11	Thu 03/11/11
Draft Regulation on vehicle functional safety requirements (RVFSR)	Mon 03/01/11	Fri 02/12/11
Draft Regulation on vehicle construction requirements (RVCR)	Fri 15/04/11	Thu 02/02/12
Draft Regulation on administrative requirements (RAR)	Mon 08/08/11	Thu 24/05/12
Stakeholder consultation	Tue 11/01/11	Tue 13/03/12
TCMV meetings	Thu 15/09/11	Tue 15/05/12

Comitology acts - target timeline



Regulation on environmental and propulsion performance requirements

- Annex II and V of the L-cat codecision Reg:

1. Environmental performance:

- **Test type** **Test description**

I	Tailpipe emissions after cold start
II	Periodical Technical Inspection requirements
III	Emissions of crankcase gases
IV	Evaporative emissions
V	Durability of pollution control devices
VI	Low-temperature test (not applicable)
VII	CO ₂ emissions / fuel consumption
VIII	On-board diagnostics (environmental part only)
IX	Sound level
X	Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)

2. Propulsion performance: maximum design engine speed, maximum torque, maximum continuous rated power

Regulation on vehicle functional safety requirements

- Annex II of the L-cat codecision Reg
 1. Audible warning devices
 2. Braking, including anti-lock and combined brake systems
 3. Electrical safety
 4. Endurance testing of functional safety systems
 5. Front and rear protective structures
 6. Glazing, windscreen wipers and washers, and de-icing and demisting devices
 7. Identification of controls, tell-tales and indicators
 8. Installation of lighting and light signalling devices, including automatic switching of lighting
 9. Rearward visibility
 10. Safety belt anchorages and safety belts
 11. Seating position (saddles and seats)
 12. Steer-ability, cornering properties and turn-ability
 13. Tyres and installation of tyres
 14. Vehicle maximum speed limitation plate and location on vehicle
 15. Vehicle occupant protection, including interior fittings, head restraint and vehicle doors
 16. Vehicle speed limitation by design
 17. Vehicle structure integrity

Regulation on vehicle construction requirements

- Annex II of the L-cat codecision Reg:
 1. Anti-tampering measures
 2. Coupling devices and attachments
 3. Devices to prevent unauthorised use
 4. External projections
 5. Fuel storage
 6. Load platforms
 7. Masses and dimensions
 8. On-board diagnostics
 9. Passenger handholds and footrests
 10. Rear registration plate space
 11. Repair and maintenance information
 12. Stands
 13. Statutory markings

Exchange of views - Regulation on administrative requirements

- Annex II of the L-cat codecision Reg:
 1. Certificate of conformity (CoC);
 2. Conformity of production (CoP) requirements;
 3. Information folder and document requirements ;
 4. Marking requirements;
 5. Self-testing and virtual testing requirements;
 6. Type-approval certificate;
 7. Type-approval numbering;
 8. Type-approval procedures;
 9. Vehicle and engine identification systems.

Next steps:

- Completion of 2 policy studies as input to drafting of delegated acts:
 - Durability;
 - Powertrain tampering prevention measures.
- Bilateral meetings with stakeholders. The Commission hopes on constructive recommendations from ACEM and is open for continuous exchange of views during drafting process.
- Drafting and vote of 3 delegated acts in comitology.
- Drafting of the implementing act.
- Next MCWG meeting: 28 June 2011.

STRIKING THE BALANCE ?

“We come into this world head first and go out feet first; in between, it is all a matter of balance.”

Paul Boese, Dutch Physician Botanist, 1668-1738

More information on L-category vehicle proposal ?

http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/sectors/automotive/documents/proposals/index_en.htm

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