



PROGRESS UPDATES ON ASEAN MUTUAL RECOGNITION ARRANGEMENT FOR AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS (APMRA)

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PROGRESS ON APMRA

- The ASEAN Consultative Committee on Standards and Quality (ACCSQ)-Automotive Product Working Group (APWG) held a Special Meeting (henceforth known as “The Meeting”) on 20 Jan 2021.
- The Meeting was preceded with the 1st ASEAN Automotive Committee (AAC) Meeting on 19 Jan 2021.
- The AAC was established upon signing of the APMRA, when the last AMS, Myanmar, signed the APMRA on 16 Jan 2021 in Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar.
- The Meeting URGED each AMS to duly complete their one year ratification process in preparation for the entry into force (ETF) on 17 January 2022

PROGRESS ON DRAFT GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

- The Meeting NOTED recommended changes by Malaysia and ASEAN Automotive Federation (AAF) to the *Draft Guidance Document for the Implementation of the APMRA*, and AGREED for for Member States to review and revert by **20 February 2021**.
- The Meeting NOTED AAF's APMRA Trial Run proposal that kicks off in February and ends in November 2021, and AGREED for AMS to review and revert by **2 February 2021**.

NOTE: the Draft Guidance Document will be finalised only after the completion of APMRA Trial Run so that feedback from the Trial Run can be incorporated into the Guidance Document.



THANK YOU!



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