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- **Objectives:**

Promote the accession and implementation of the 1958 and 1997 Agreements in EuroMed countries

- **Procedure:**

- **Introduction** to countries of the UN and EU legal framework
- **Analysis of the national legislation** and its implementation
- **Comparison of the legal frameworks**
- **Recommendations**, on changes of national legislation
- **Identification and prioritization** of actions
- **Provision of TA** for implementation of the Agreements (workshops, analytical work, training events, site visits, ...)





Algeria



Lebanon:



- No Contracting Parties to the 1958 & 1997 Agreements
- Document with the updated legal framework of the UN and EU completed
- Presentation of this legal framework expected in 1Q of 2018
- Analysis of the national legislation expected in 1Q of 2018
- Comparison of national legislations with those of the UN and EU (1Q of 2018)
- Recommendations, actions, priorities & practical TA 2018-2019





Egypt:



- **CP to 1958 Agreement.** All UN Regulations are applied
- **Not CP to 1997 Agreement**
- **Final report** (analysis, comparison, recommendations, priority action plan) agreed and completed
- **TA in progress**
- **Designation of the Approval Authority under consideration**
- **Modification of the legislation** for Vehicle Type Approval, Weights & Dimensions (EU) under consideration, including the possible application of the IWVTA and EWVTA
- **Accession of the 1997 and its 2 UN Rules under consideration**
- **Development of a net of PTI centres ongoing**
- Participation at the WP.29 and GRs sessions is recommended





Israel:



- **Not CP to the 1958 & 1997 Agreements**
- **Final report** (analysis, comparison, recommendations, priority action plan) completed
- Accession have been **recommended**
- **National Legislation of VTA & PTI the same that of the EU**
- **USA FMVSS are also accepted**
- Participation at the WP.29 and GRs sessions is recommended





Jordan:



- **Not CP to the 1958 and 1997 Agreement.**
- **Final report** (analysis, comparison, recommendations, priority action plan) completed
- **Recommended** to develop & implement national VTA based on the UN Regulations annexed to 1958 Agreement
- **PTI no too far from the UN 1997 Agreement and UN Rules**, with several PTI centres
- **Recommended to align PTI to the UN framework**
- **Accession recommended**
- Participation at the WP.29 and GRs sessions is recommended





Morocco:



- **Not CP to the 1958 & 1997 Agreements**
- **Final report** (analysis, comparison, recommendations, priority action plan) completed
- **VTA system based on UN Regulations (1998 situation)**, in practise the EU WVTA is accepted and checked
- **National Legislation of VTA & PTI not far from this of the 1958 & 1997 Agreements**
- **Accession recommended**
- Participation at the WP.29 and GRs sessions is also highly recommended





Palestine:



- **Not Contracting Party to the 1958 & 1997 Agreements**
- No action undertaken so far





Tunisia:



- **CP to the 1958 & 1998 Agreements.** A number of UN Regulations are applied
- **Final report** (analysis, comparison, recommendations, priority action plan) agreed and completed
- **Designation of the Approval Authority done**
- **Modification of the Decree for VTA** ongoing
- In practise, UN Regulations are requested for registration
- **TA ongoing**
- **Accession of the 1997 and its 2 UN Rules** under consideration
- **Update of the PTI Decree** ongoing
- **PTI centres exist but lacking capacity** in order to execute correct PTI
- Participation at the WP.29 and GRs sessions is highly recommended



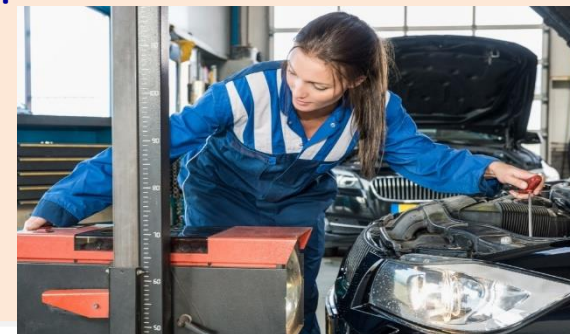


- **EuroMed countries:**

- Generally **agree to align their legislation** with the UN framework
- a **few of them only CPs** to UN Agreements and some consider accession
- They **face difficulties to implement** new legislation and the Agreements, as was the case with current CPs
- Have **different needs**

- **Questions**

- **Can CPs help** EuroMed countries offering clarifications, comments, etc. on the Agreements, activities of the AA, Technical Services etc.?
- **Is it possible to designate a CP as a guide for each country?**
- **Can we ask manufacturers' support** (OICA, IMMA & CLEPA) not only through their WP.29 delegates but also through their local representatives?
- **Can we expect CITA's support** to EuroMed countries on PTI?





Thank you !

