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We, the undersigned **Slovenian Traffic Safety Agency**
represented by **Ljubo Zajc, Director**
having authority, decision-making, economic or social powers or a mandate to represent, and, in this capacity having a share of the
responsibility for road safety in the European Union:

Whereas the number of road accident victims in Europe at present is unacceptable, and the most effective possible measures need
to be taken to reduce this number in the shortest possible time;

Whereas coordinated action between the many parties having responsibility, in one capacity or another, is more likely to achieve
the intended results;

Believing that there are effective measures available to encourage road users to apply safety rules and even to take further
measures, for example in order to reduce the exposure of users to the risks of accidents; and believing that the scope of such
measures will be all the greater if a critical number of stakeholders commit themselves to them;

Aware that actions to promote road safety entail extremely low costs compared to the human, social and economic cost of unsafe
roads;

UNDERTAKE TO IMPLEMENT, PROACTIVELY, THE MEASURES WITHIN THE SPHERE OF OUR RESPONSIBILITY AND ACTIVITIES SO AS TO
SPEED UP PROGRESS ON ROAD SAFETY;

AND FURTHERMORE UNDERTAKE IN PARTICULAR WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF OUR RESPONSIBILITY AND SPECIFICITIES AND IN CONFORMITY
WITH AT LEAST ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES:

1. To take measures within our sphere of responsibility to contribute to the abovementioned objective of reducing the number
of road deaths.
2. To include road safety actions and safety performance measurement among our major objectives and principal decision-
making criteria, in particular in the context of research activities, organisation and investment and in the more general road
safety plan.
3. To share with the competent bodies responsible for road safety technical and statistical information making for a better
understanding of the causes of accidents, the injuries caused by accidents and the effectiveness of preventive and palliative
measures.
4. To contribute to preventing traffic accidents by pursuing high-quality actions in one or more of the following areas:
 - initial and continuous driver training and information,
 - motor-vehicle equipment and ergonomics,
 - infrastructure designed to minimise the risks of accidents and their gravity and to encourage safe driving.
5. To develop and implement technologies for reducing the impact of road traffic accidents.
6. To contribute to the development of means of uniform, continuous and appropriate monitoring of compliance with traffic
rules by persons acting in our name or under our authority and penalising any offenders in a uniform, rapid and proportionate
way.
7. To create a framework encouraging the introduction of continuous education actions and the rehabilitation of high-risk
drivers.
8. To endeavour to contribute, wherever possible, to a better understanding of the causes, circumstances and consequences of
accidents in order to draw lessons from them in order to avoid their repetition.
9. To contribute to ensuring that effective and high-quality, medical, psychological and legal assistance is available for road
accident victims.
10. To accept a post-evaluation by peers, in accordance with appropriate confidentiality rules, of the measures taken to im-
prove road safety and, where necessary, to draw lessons from them to review the measures.

OUR COMMITMENT

Slovenian Traffic Safety Agency
represented by **Ljubo Zajc, Director**
deliberately undertake the initiative of implementing measures that go beyond the regulatory requirements in force, namely:

Slovenian Traffic Safety Agency will implement and follow the new national program for traffic safety in Slovenia
(2011–2021), which has the main goal of reducing the number of dead and seriously injured people in traffic
accidents by 50 % until 2021. By 2021 there has to be less than 35 deaths per million inhabitants and less than 210
heavily injured per million inhabitants on roads in Slovenia.

The Agency will focus on most vulnerable road users, such as pedestrians, motorcyclists, bicyclists and elderly. All
our activities will be focused on achieving this goal and improving road safety.

We will raise awareness, inform and educate public about all factors that affect driving (fatigue, illnesses, alcohol,
medication etc.), different risks on road, meaning of anticipation drivers' behavior on roads, safe and ecological
driving and following traffic rules.

We will organize different seminars and meetings, where policy makers, civil society and experts from Slovenia and
EU could exchange opinions and make suggestions for improving road safety.

We will continue with preventive campaigns for using seat belts, reducing speed, against drink driving and making
new campaigns (media advertising, posters, publications, flyers...) on problematic topics.

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signature:

