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This informal document provides a conceptual framework and structure for the originally proposed UNECE IDP Repository (brought forth during the 82<sup>nd</sup> Session, March 08-12, 2021). WP1 is invited to provide comments and recommendations for additional or removal of information provided in the first draft.

This repository will be used as a risk management and authentication mechanism for IDP users. Currently, there must be governmental authorization to issue IDPs per country. However, there are numerous local, regional, and international websites issuing IDPs without proper authorization. This repository creates an available online database, hosted on the UNECE website, for any individual or local authority to research and recommend the authorized issuing body in a respective country.

The table has five columns. The table (below) is first sorted in alphabetical order A-Z by country. Secondly, each country has IDP information pertaining to which United Nations convention a country has signed with respect to the Global Forum for Road Traffic Safety. The third column provides which issuing body has been authorized to issue IDPs. The fourth column answers if a non-permanent resident with a local driver's licence may obtain an IDP from the country they are locally licensed in. The fifth column answers which IDP convention(s) a country accepts within their own borders.

| Country                             | Convention<br>1926/1943/1949/1968 | Issuing body                                                         | Issue to non-<br>residents | IDPs<br>accepted                      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Albania</b>                      | 1949, 1968                        | Roads Directorate<br>(DPSHTRR)                                       | Residents<br>only          | 1949, 1968                            |
| <b>Algeria</b>                      | 1949                              | TC Algérie                                                           | Residents<br>only          | 1926, 1949,<br>1968                   |
| <b>Andorra</b>                      | None                              | AC Andorra                                                           | Residents<br>only          | 1926,1949,1<br>968                    |
| <b>Argentina</b>                    | 1943, 1949                        | Automóvil Club<br>Argentino                                          |                            | 1926, 1943,<br>1949, 1968             |
| <b>Armenia</b>                      | 1968                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Australia</b>                    | 1949                              | AAA via State Clubs.<br>NRMA, RACQ, RACV,<br>RAA, RAC, RACT,<br>AANT | Residents<br>only          | 1949, 1968                            |
| <b>Austria</b>                      | 1926, 1949, 1968                  | ARBOe, VCOe,<br>OeAMTC                                               | Residents<br>only          | 1926,1949,1<br>968                    |
| <b>Azerbaijan</b>                   | 1968                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Bahamas</b>                      | 1968                              | Road Traffic<br>Department Driver's<br>License Unit                  |                            |                                       |
| <b>Bahrain</b>                      | 1968                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Bangladesh</b>                   | 1949                              | The Automobile<br>Association of<br>Bangladesh                       |                            | 1949                                  |
| <b>Barbados</b>                     | 1949                              | FIB + Police                                                         |                            |                                       |
| <b>Belarus</b>                      | 1968                              | State Auto Inspection                                                |                            | 1949, 1968                            |
| <b>Belgium</b>                      | 1949, 1968                        | Municipal Authorities                                                | Residents<br>only          | 1926,1949,<br>1968                    |
| <b>Benin</b>                        | 1949                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Bolivia</b>                      | 1943                              | ACB                                                                  | Residents<br>only          | 1943, 1949,<br>1968                   |
| <b>Bosnia &amp;<br/>Herzegovina</b> | 1968                              | BIHAMK                                                               | Residents<br>only          | 1926, 1949,<br>1968                   |
| <b>Botswana</b>                     | 1949                              | DRTS                                                                 | Residents<br>only          | All with<br>NDP                       |
| <b>Brazil</b>                       | 1943, 1968                        | State Vehicle Agency<br>DENATRAN                                     | Residents<br>only          | 1926, 1943,<br>1968 !!                |
| <b>Brunei Darussalam</b>            | 1949                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Bulgaria</b>                     | 1949, 1968                        | UAB                                                                  | Yes**                      | 1949, 1968                            |
| <b>Burkina Faso</b>                 | 1949                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Cabo Verde</b>                   | 1968                              |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Cambodia</b>                     | 1949                              | Ministry of Public<br>Works and Transport of<br>Cambodia             | N/A                        | None                                  |
| <b>Canada</b>                       | 1949                              | CAA                                                                  | Residents<br>only          | 1949,<br>1968 most<br>provinces<br>!! |
| <b>Central African<br/>Republic</b> | 1949, 1968                        |                                                                      |                            |                                       |
| <b>Chile</b>                        | 1943, 1949,<br>signatory 1968     | Automóvil Club de<br>Chile                                           | Residents<br>only          | 1926,<br>1943,1949,<br>1968           |
| <b>China</b>                        | none                              | none**                                                               | N/A                        | none                                  |
| <b>Colombia</b>                     | 1943                              | ACC                                                                  | Residents                  | 1943, 1949                            |

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|                       |                                 |                                                                     | only                  |                           |
| <b>Congo</b>          | 1949,1968                       |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Costa Rica</b>     | 1943,<br>signatory of 1968      | ACCR                                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1943, 1949,<br>1968 !!    |
| <b>Cote d'Ivoire</b>  | 1949, 1968                      |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Croatia</b>        | 1949, 1968                      | HAK                                                                 | Yes**                 | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Cuba</b>           | 1949, 1968                      |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Cyprus</b>         | 1949                            | DRT, also via<br>CSC + Post office                                  | Residents<br>only     | 1949                      |
| <b>Czech Republic</b> | 1949, 1968                      | Town administration                                                 | Residents<br>only     | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Denmark</b>        | 1949, 1968                      | Local authority                                                     |                       | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Dominican Rep.</b> | 1943, 1949                      | ACD                                                                 | Yes**                 | 1943, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Ecuador</b>        | 1943, 1949<br>signatory of 1968 | Transport Department                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1943, 1926,<br>1949, 1968 |
| <b>Egypt</b>          | 1949                            | ATCE                                                                | Yes                   | 1926,1949,1<br>968 !!     |
| <b>El Salvador</b>    | 1943                            | ACES                                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1943, 1949,<br>1968 !!    |
| <b>Estonia</b>        | 1968                            | Road administration<br>MNT                                          |                       | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Fiji</b>           | 1949                            |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Finland</b>        | 1949, 1968                      | AL                                                                  | Yes                   | 1926,1949,1<br>968 !!     |
| <b>France</b>         | 1949, 1968                      | CERT / CREPIC                                                       | Residents<br>only     | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Georgia</b>        | 1949, 1968                      | None                                                                |                       | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Germany</b>        | 1968                            | Local Transport<br>Authority                                        | Residents<br>only**** | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Ghana</b>          | 1949<br>signatory of 1968       | Driving authority:<br>DVLA                                          | Residents<br>only     | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Greece</b>         | 1949, 1968                      | ELPA                                                                | Yes**                 | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Guatemala</b>      | 1949                            |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Guyana</b>         | 1968                            | Guyana Revenue<br>Authority                                         |                       |                           |
| <b>Haiti</b>          | 1949                            | Directorate of Traffic of<br>the Traffic Police<br>(DCPR)           |                       |                           |
| <b>Hong Kong</b>      | 1949                            | Transport Department                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Holy See</b>       | 1949, 1968                      |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Honduras</b>       | 1968                            |                                                                     |                       |                           |
| <b>Hungary</b>        | 1949, 1968                      | Municipal Authorities                                               | Residents<br>only     | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Iceland</b>        | 1949                            | FIB + Police                                                        | Residents<br>only     | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>India</b>          | 1949                            | AAUI, AAEL, WIAA,<br>AASI, UPAA,<br>Regional Transport<br>Authority | Residents<br>only     | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Indonesia</b>      | signatory of 1968               | Police                                                              | Yes                   | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Iran</b>           | 1968                            | TACI                                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Iraq</b>           | 1968                            | IATA                                                                | Residents<br>only     | 1926, 1949,<br>1968       |
| <b>Ireland</b>        | 1949                            | AA Ireland                                                          | Residents<br>only     | 1926, 1949                |

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| <b>Israel</b>        | 1949, 1968             | MEMSI                                                | Residents only | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Italy</b>         | 1949, 1968             | Transport Dept.                                      | Yes**          | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Jamaica</b>       | 1949                   | Inland Revenue Dept.                                 | Residents only | 1949                   |
| <b>Japan</b>         | 1949                   | Prefectural public safety commission                 | Residents only | 1949                   |
| <b>Jordan</b>        | 1949                   | RACJ                                                 | Yes**          | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Kazakhstan</b>    | 1968                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Kenya</b>         | 1968                   | AAK                                                  | Yes**          | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Korea (South)</b> | 1949 signatory of 1968 | DLA (Government. Agency)                             | Residents only | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Kuwait</b>        | 1968                   | KIAC                                                 | Residents only | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Kyrgyzstan</b>    | 1949, 1968             |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Lao</b>           | 1949                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Latvia</b>        | 1968                   | Road Traffic Safety Directorate (CSDD)               | N/A            | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Lebanon</b>       | 1949                   | ATCL + Ministry of Trans.                            | Yes            | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Lesotho</b>       | 1949                   | Ministry of Public Works & Transport                 |                |                        |
| <b>Liberia</b>       | 1968                   | The Ministry of Transport of the Republic of Liberia |                |                        |
| <b>Libya</b>         | none                   | ATC Libya                                            | Residents only | 1949                   |
| <b>Liechtenstein</b> | 1949, 1968             |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Lithuania</b>     | 1949, 1968             | None                                                 | N/A            | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Luxembourg</b>    | 1949, 1968             | ACL                                                  | Residents only | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Madagascar</b>    | 1949                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Malawi</b>        | 1949                   | Road Traffic Directorate Office                      |                |                        |
| <b>Malaysia</b>      | 1949                   | AAM + Road Transport Department                      | Residents only | 1949                   |
| <b>Mali</b>          | 1949                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Malta</b>         | 1949                   | Transport Authority                                  |                | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Mauritius</b>     | None                   | Police                                               | N/A            | 1949                   |
| <b>Mexico</b>        | 1943 signatory of 1968 | AMA<br>ANA<br>OMDAI                                  | Residents only | 1926, 1943, 1949, 1968 |
| <b>Moldova</b>       | 1968                   | ACM                                                  | Residents only | 1968                   |
| <b>Monaco</b>        | 1949, 1968             | Driver and Vehicle Licensing Office                  |                |                        |
| <b>Mongolia</b>      | 1968                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Montenegro</b>    | 1949, 1968             | AMSCG                                                | Residents only | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Morocco</b>       | 1949, 1968             |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Mozambique</b>    | None                   | ATCM                                                 | Yes            | 1926, 1949, 1968       |
| <b>Myanmar</b>       | 1968                   |                                                      |                |                        |
| <b>Namibia</b>       | 1949                   | AA                                                   | Yes            | 1949, 1968             |
| <b>Netherlands</b>   | 1949, 1968             | ANWB - also for KNAC                                 | Yes            | 1926, 1949, 1968       |

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| <b>New Zealand</b>     | 1949                      | NZAA                                | Yes               | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Nicaragua</b>       | 1943                      | CAN                                 |                   | 1943, 1949, 1968 !!                  |
| <b>Niger</b>           | 1949, 1968                |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Nigeria</b>         | 1949, 1968                | Police                              |                   | 1926, 1949                           |
| <b>North Macedonia</b> | 1968                      | AMSM +<br>80 driver assoc.          | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Norway</b>          | 1949, 1968                | NAF<br>KNA                          | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Oman</b>            | 1968                      | OAA                                 | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968 !!                        |
| <b>Pakistan</b>        | 1968                      | AAP, Government<br>Office           | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Palestine</b>       | 1968                      |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Papa New Guinea</b> | 1949                      |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Paraguay</b>        | 1943, 1949                | TACPY                               | Residents<br>only | 1943, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Peru</b>            | 1943, 1949, 1968          | TACP                                | Residents<br>only | 1943, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Philippines</b>     | 1949, 1968                | AAP                                 |                   |                                      |
| <b>Poland</b>          | 1949, 1968                | Municipal traffic<br>authority      | Yes**             | 1949, 1968 !!                        |
| <b>Portugal</b>        | 1949, 1968                | ACP, IMTT                           | Yes**             | 1926, 1949, 1968 !!                  |
| <b>Qatar</b>           | 1968                      | QATC                                | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968 !!                        |
| <b>Romania</b>         | 1949, 1968                | ACR                                 | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968 !!                  |
| <b>Russia</b>          | 1949, 1968                | GUVD, Min. Interior                 | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Rwanda</b>          | 1949                      |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>San Marino</b>      | 1949, 1968                |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Saudi Arabia</b>    | 1968                      | SATA, SAF                           | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Senegal</b>         | 1949, 1968                |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Serbia</b>          | 1949, 1968                | AMSS                                | Yes**             | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Seychelles</b>      | 1968                      | Seychelles Licensing<br>Authority   |                   |                                      |
| <b>Sierra Leone</b>    | 1949                      |                                     |                   |                                      |
| <b>Singapore</b>       | 1949                      | AAS                                 | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Slovakia</b>        | 1949, 1968                | Traffic Police                      | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Slovenia</b>        | 1949, 1968                | AMZS                                | Residents<br>only | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>South Africa</b>    | 1949, 1968                | AASA                                | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Spain</b>           | 1949<br>signatory of 1968 | Traffic authority                   | Yes**             | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |
| <b>Sri Lanka</b>       | 1949                      | AAC                                 | Yes               | 1949, 1968, FIA IDP Guide + doct AAC |
| <b>Sudan</b>           | none                      | SATC                                | Yes               | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Sweden</b>          | 1949, 1968                | M, KAK, MHF<br>CC, OK               | Yes**             | 1949, 1968                           |
| <b>Switzerland</b>     | 1968<br>signatory of 1949 | Local auto admin.<br>& assoc. (TCS, | Residents<br>only | 1926, 1949, 1968                     |

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|                            |                              | ACS, ATE)                              |                             | only with valid NDP             |
| <b>Syria</b>               | 1949                         | ACS, ATCS                              |                             | 1926, 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Tajikistan</b>          | 1968                         |                                        |                             |                                 |
| <b>Tanzania</b>            | none                         | AAT                                    | Residents only              | 1926, 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Thailand</b>            | 1949<br>1968                 | DLT                                    | Yes                         | 1949                            |
| <b>Togo</b>                | 1949                         |                                        |                             |                                 |
| <b>Trinidad and Tobago</b> | 1949                         | TTAA                                   | Residents and non-residents | 1949, 1968 - register with TTAA |
| <b>Tunisia</b>             | 1949, 1968                   | TCT                                    | Residents only              | 1949, 1968                      |
| <b>Turkey</b>              | 1949, 1968                   | TTOK                                   | Yes                         | 1949, 1968                      |
| <b>Turkmenistan</b>        | 1968                         |                                        |                             |                                 |
| <b>UAE</b>                 | 1949, 1968                   | ATC UAE through Post Office and agents | Residents only              | 1949, 1968                      |
| <b>Uganda</b>              | 1949                         | AAU                                    | Yes                         | 1949                            |
| <b>Ukraine</b>             | 1968                         | Traffic Police                         | Residents only              | 1949, 1968                      |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>      | 1949<br>1968                 | DVLA via Post Office                   | Yes**                       | 1926, 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Uruguay</b>             | 1943, 1968                   | ACU                                    | Residents only              | 1943, 1949, 1968                |
| <b>USA</b>                 | 1943, 1949                   | AAA, AATA                              | Residents only              | 1943, 1949, 1968                |
| <b>Uzbekistan</b>          | 1968                         |                                        |                             |                                 |
| <b>Venezuela</b>           | 1943, 1949 signatory of 1968 | TACV                                   | Residents only              | 1943, 1949                      |
| <b>Vietnam</b>             | 1949, 1968                   | Traffic authority                      | Residents only              | 1949****, 1968                  |
| <b>Yemen</b>               | none                         | YCTA                                   | Residents only              | 1968                            |
| <b>Zimbabwe</b>            | 1949, 1968                   | AAZ                                    | Residents only              | 1949, 1968                      |

\* IDPs are issued in Hong Kong

\*\* holders of local driving licenses only

\*\*\* issued to non-residents only if country of origin is not party to 1968 Convention

\*\*\*\* Vietnam is a contracting party to the 1949 Convention on Road Traffic, but the local traffic law states that only the 1968 IDP is accepted. Club members and visitors have reported that the 1949 is accepted in practice. It has also been reported that the Vietnamese authorities require the list of contracting parties to be printed on the IDP and to include Vietnam.

§ and other permits on a reciprocal basis

!! Please note that validity restrictions apply to IDPs in these countries- they are accepted for a limited period of time. Only (30 days, 90 days, 180 days, or as specified) even if the IDP is valid for longer. Validity restrictions also apply in Bahrain, Brunei, Gambia, Kiribati, Lesotho, Macao, Nepal, and Samoa.