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ADDENDUM

STATEMENTS BY CZECH REPUBLIC, GERMANY, SPAIN, FRANCE, ITALY and AUSTRIA

The above mentioned Member States request that the statements annexed to this document be recorded in the minutes of the TTE Council of 8 October 2014.

Statement by Germany:

"Concerning Article 4(3)(3):

The paragraph

"The Member State of the offence shall, under this Directive, use the data obtained in order to establish who is personally liable for road safety related traffic offences listed in Article 2".

is taken to mean that the person who is personally liable within the meaning of this provision can be none other than the driver as it is only he/she who has actually committed the offence. Any data on vehicle operators that is supplied may therefore, in the German delegation's view, be used solely to investigate who the driver is".

Joint statement by Czech Republic, Spain, France, Italy and Austria:

"The above mentioned Member States want to state that for the purpose of investigating the person liable for a road safety related traffic offence, all measures as provided by national law can be taken".
