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## The Motor Cycles etc. (Single Vehicle Approval) Regulations 2003

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### Message

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ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist.

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#### 1. Structured Information Line

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#### 2. Member State

United Kingdom.

#### 3. Department Responsible

Department of Trade and Industry: Standards and Technical Regulations Directorate

#### 3. Originating Department

Department for Transport: Vehicle Standards and Engineering Division

#### 4. Notification Number

2003/0042/UK – T00T

#### 5. Title

The Motor Cycles etc. (Single Vehicle Approval) Regulations 2003



## 6. Products Concerned

All category L vehicles; i.e. Mopeds, Motorcycles, Three wheeled vehicles and light four wheeled vehicles (quadricycles).

## 7. Notification Under Another Act

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## 8. Main Content

The draft regulations and technical requirements propose to implement a Single Vehicle Approval scheme for category L vehicles as listed above and will run in parallel to European Community Whole Vehicle Type Approval from 17 June 2003.

The scheme will apply to single vehicles that are not EU type-approved but instead are required to demonstrate compliance with safety and environmental standards before they enter into service and can be registered for the first time in Great Britain.

The United Kingdom would be pleased to be informed by other Member States of the European Economic Area of their own standards or regulations offering an equivalent level of safety and security.

## 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The UK does not operate a national approval scheme for category L vehicles (motorcycles etc.). Therefore single vehicles will be prevented entering into service and/or registered from 17 June 2003 because a EC certificate of conformity would not be available and no alternative route (i.e. single approval) exists.

## 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

The Motor Cycles Etc (Single Vehicle Approval) Regulations 2003

## 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

NO

## 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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## 13. Confidentiality

NO

## 14. Fiscal measures

NO

## 15. Impact assessment

Impact Assessment. The impact assessment is attached.



## 16. TBT and SPS aspects

### TBT and SPS Aspects

TBT Aspect

a) YES

SPS Aspect

a) NO. The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure in the sense of Annex A of the SPS Agreement.

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