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ENTERPRISE AND INDUSTRY DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Industrial Innovation and Mobility Industries  
Automotive industry

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Dear Sirs,

**Subject: Ex-post evaluation and Impact Assessment study on enhancing the implementation of the internal market legislation relating to motor vehicles**


The automotive industry unit of the Directorate General for Enterprise and Industry of the European Commission is in the process of reviewing the current legal framework for the type-approval of motor vehicles. In the context of this exercise, a study contract has been awarded to Risk & Policy Analysts Ltd to perform an ex-post evaluation and an impact assessment on a possible policy initiative to enhance the internal market legislation relating to the type-approval of motor vehicles.

The purpose of the study is to evaluate the effectiveness of the current legal framework and to assess the impact of the policy options that have been singled out as possibly containing the potential of addressing the specific areas of attention that have been identified in the Commission's roadmap on this initiative or that may emerge from the ex-post evaluation study. ([http://ec.europa.eu/governance/impact/planned\\_ia/docs/2011\\_entr\\_011\\_type\\_approval\\_motor\\_vehicles\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/governance/impact/planned_ia/docs/2011_entr_011_type_approval_motor_vehicles_en.pdf))

In performing this study, Risk & Policy Analysts Ltd will have to collect and process information on current developments on the automotive market and perceived shortcomings in the implementation of the current legal framework through consultation with interested stakeholders.

We would therefore invite interested stakeholders to cooperate, by providing their contribution through interviews, questionnaires or surveys set up by Risk & Policy Analysts Ltd.

Yours sincerely,



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