



#### **TEST REPORT**



Concerning the approval of Lateral protection devices (LPD) as a sepperate technical unit (Part II) in accordance with Regulation 73.01

Test report number : RDW-73R-0008044

0.1. Make of the lateral protection device : Tilburgs Truckparts

0.2. Type of the lateral protection device : Toolbox Europe

0.4. Intended category of the vehicle : O and N

0.5. Name and address of the manufacturer : Tilburgs Truckparts

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The Netherlands

General : The Lateral protection devices complies with the requirements laid down in:

- Part II of above-mentioned Regulation.

See documentation: E4-73R-010071 Ext.00, dated: 3 April 2013

Tests : The tests/ealculations have been carried out in accordance with Part II of the

above-mentioned Regulation.

See page 2 to 4.

**Conclusion**: The type of Lateral protection devices complies with the requirements and

there are no objections to granting the approval under the above-mentioned

Regulation.

**Tests conducted on** : 1 November 2012

**By** : U. Yangin

Zoetermeer, 3 April 2013,

The test engineer,

Order number: VR236629

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Subject	Diagram number

# **Reason for testing**

New lateral protection device unit.

# Used test equipment

Item	Identification number	Calibration papers available
	(make and type)	
Force meter	All Scales, ISC-XS s/n: 100150746	yes <del>/not checked</del>

## Remarks

The biggest and the smallest toolboxes are tested to cover whole the range.

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#### General information

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Intended Vehicle category	O and N	
Test conducted by	U. Yangin	
Place	Valkenswaard, The Netherlands	
Date	1 November 2012	

## Part II Approval of lateral protection devices (LPD)

#### 14. Requirements

14.1. The outer surface of the LPD shall be smooth, and so far as possible

continuous from front to rear;

: pass/<del>fail</del>

Adjacent parts may however overlap provided that the overlapping edge faces rearwards or downwards, or a gap of not more than 25 mm measured longitudinally may be left, provided that the rearward part does not protrude outboard of the forward part;

: pass/fail/N.A. Domed heads of bolts or rivets may protrude beyond the surface to a distance not exceeding 10 mm and other parts may protrude to the

same extent provided that they are smooth and similarly rounded; All external edges and corners that may be contacted by a sphere of

100 mm diameter shall be rounded with a radius not less than 2.5 mm;

those protruding less than 5 mm shall have blunted outward facing

: pass/fail/N.A.

: pass/fail

edges. : pass/fail/N.A.

14.2. LPD may consist of a continuous flat surface, or of one or more horizontal rails, or a combination of surface and rails; when rails are

used they shall be not more than 300 mm apart and not less than: : pass/fail a) 50 mm high in the case of LPD for vehicles of categories N2 and O3; pass/fail/N.A.

b) 100 mm high and essentially flat in the case of LPD for vehicles of categories for N3 and O4.

: pass/fail/N.A.

Combinations of surfaces and rails shall form a practically continuous

LPD subject, however, to the provisions of paragraph 14.1.

: pass/fail/N.A.

14.3. The forward edge shall consist of a continuous vertical member extending over the whole height of the device; : pass/fail the outer and forward faces of this member shall measure at least 50

mm rearwards and be turned 100 mm inwards or have a minimum radius of 50 mm in the case of vehicles of categories N2 and O3 and at least 100 mm rearwards and be turned 100 mm inwards or a minimum radius of 100 mm in the case of vehicles of categories N3 and O4.

: pass/fail/N.A.

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14.4. LPD shall be essentially rigid and, except as regards the parts listed in paragraph 14.5., made of metal or any other suitable material. LPD shall be considered suitable if they are capable of withstanding a horizontal static force of 1 kN applied perpendicularly to any part of their external surface by the centre of a ram the face of which is circular and flat, with a diameter of 220 mm  $\pm$  10 mm, If the deflection of the device under load measured at the centre of the

: pass/fail

: pass/fail

ram is then not more than: a) 30 mm over the rearmost 250 mm of the device;

: pass/fail 8 mm

b) 150 mm over the remainder of the device

: pass/fail 10 mm

At the request of the manufacturer, compliance with this requirement may be demonstrated by calculation. The validity of the calculation method shall be established to the satisfaction of the Technical Service. : ealeulation/test

14.5. Components permanently fixed to the vehicle, e.g. spare wheels, battery box, air tanks, fuel tanks, lamps, reflectors and tool boxes may be incorporated in a device, provided that they meet the dimensional requirements of this part.

: pass/fail/N.A.

14.6. LPD may be so designed to have several positions at the side of the vehicle. In this event, there must be a guaranteed method of securing them in their normal operating position so that any unintentional change of position is precluded. The force applied by the operator to vary the position of the device shall not exceed 40 daN.

: pass/fail/N.A. -- daN

