

Reference : CITA/GQ2006
Issue Date : 27 December2006

Copyright © 2006 by CITA aisbl

All rights reserved. No part of this publication shall be reproduced, stored in a retrieval system, or transmitted by any means, electronic, mechanical, photocopying, recording, or otherwise, without written permission from the publisher.

CITA is not responsible for the correctness of the information provided by its members.

Although every precaution has been taken in the preparation of this book, the publisher and author assume no responsibility for errors or omissions. Neither is any liability assumed for damages resulting from the use of the information contained herein.

Photographs: MAHA-Maschinenbau Haldenwang GmbH Co.KG (Germany) - Van Leeuwen Test Systems BV (Netherlands) - VOSA-Vehicle & Operator Services Agency (Great Britain)

Foreword

We are pleased to announce the release of the latest edition of the CITA General Questionnaire.

Every 2 year CITA conducts an inquiry among its members to collect information of general interest on in-use vehicle inspection activities. The collected information is put into a comprehensive publication providing all CITA members with extensive and detailed organisational and operational information on in-service vehicle inspection organisations active in countries all over the world.

The information on each topic is presented in summary tables by country/organisation. Countries are grouped for each region of the world. Each organisation is identified by a country name together with a number. These refer to the list “Organisations participating to the questionnaire” at the beginning of this publication where you can find the name and the contact references of each organisation. Information is categorised under 4 chapters covering some key information subjects.

Chapter 1 on Organisation presents information on the nature and organisational structure of each of the participating organisations, the different activities of the process they are involved in or to what extend they are involved, supervising bodies, complementary activities, the vehicle categories they inspect, their number of inspection centres, number of staff and key information on the operational process and inspection times.

Chapter 2 on Legislation presents information by vehicle categories on the frequency of inspections, other circumstances in which a vehicle inspection is required, who sets the fees and the inspection fee levels.

Chapter 3 on Miscellaneous presents information on the supervision and quality inspections process, details on exhaust emission and noise evaluation standards and practices, their involvement in the registration of road vehicles and whether they are active in other countries.

Chapter 4 on Statistics presents information by vehicle category on the annual number of tested vehicles and the failure rates for minor, serious and dangerous defects.

A short description of each of the participating organisations is added to complete the comprehensive overview.

In the production of the 2006 edition, we have aimed to create a users-friendly system, taking into consideration users’ opinions. Future editions are intended to be published on the CITA website to facilitate permanent consultation by CITA members.

We wish to thank the different personalities who contributed to prepare and complete the 2006 edition. Mr Julian David, CITA Strategic Adviser, and Mr. Toni Viscido, CITA New Technology Technical Adviser, for their advice and comments at the preparation stage of the 2006 CITA General Questionnaire, and the many other people for whom it is impossible to name all of them individually. CITA gratefully acknowledges those members who have actively participated to the 2006 review of the CITA General Questionnaire. We are very pleased to announce that 59 organisations have participated and 34 countries are now covered under this edition.

Hopefully the 2006 CITA General Questionnaire will be a useful publication in its present form. Any comments on the data or presentation will be most welcome. Therefore we would be very pleased to receive your opinions and advice on how to improve the users' satisfaction and to cover the subjects of your interest.

At Brussels, Belgium, 28 December 2006,

Executive Director
Wim LABRO

For inquiry about this publication, please contact the CITA Secretariat,

CITA aisbl
Rue de la Technologie 21-25
B-1082 Brussels
BELGIUM
Tel. +32 (0)2 469 06 70
Fax. +32 (0)2 469 07 95
E-mail: cita.vehicleinspection@skynet.be

INDEX

| | | |
|---|---|------------|
| Organisations participating to the questionnaire | | 6 |
| I. ORGANISATION | | 10 |
| Table 1 | General information | 11 |
| Table 2 | Type of organisation | 13 |
| Table 3 | Supervision/Other supervising – inspecting bodies | 17 |
| Table 4 | Complementary inspections | 23 |
| Table 5 | Vehicle classes | 29 |
| Table 6 | Inspection centres | 32 |
| Table 7 | Staff | 36 |
| Table 8 | Management of testing | 39 |
| Table 9 | Procedure for testing & inspection times | 45 |
| II. LEGISLATION | | 53 |
| Table 1 | Periodicity of inspection | 54 |
| Table 2 | Compulsory inspection for vehicles | 58 |
| Table 3 | Inspection fees | 61 |
| | Inspection fees (A) (local currency) | 64 |
| | Inspection fees (B) (local currency) | 68 |
| | Inspection fees (C) (in €) | 72 |
| | Inspection fees (D) (in €) | 77 |
| III. MISCELLANEOUS | | 82 |
| Table 1 | Designated/Authorised premises | 83 |
| Table 2 | Environment | 88 |
| Table 3 | AOB | 95 |
| IV. STATISTICS | | 100 |
| Table 1 | Number of vehicles inspected in 2005 | 101 |
| Table 2 | % total number of vehicles inspected in this class | 104 |
| Table 3 | “Defect free” certificates (%) | 106 |
| Table 4 | “Slight defect” certificates (%) | 110 |
| Table 5 | “Serious defect” certificates (%) | 113 |
| Table 6 | “Dangerous defect” certificates (%) | 116 |
| V. ANNEX | Presentation of participating organisations | 119 |

2006 CITA GENERAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Organisations participating to the Questionnaire

¹ 2004 CITA General Questionnaire information

| Reference used in the attached tables | Organisation | TEL/FAX |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Ivory Coast-1 | SICTA 01 BP 3038 ABIDJAN 01 | TEL. + 225 21 27 32 84 / +225 21 27 58 87 FAX + 225 21 27 30 56 Ci_sicta@sgs.com |
| Israel-1 ¹ | Ministry of Transport Dept.of Vehicles & Maintenance Services 8 Hamelacha St. TEL AVIV 61570 | TEL. + 972 3 565 7101 FAX + 972 3 656 7102 |
| Japan-1 ¹ | Light Motor Vehicle Inspection Organization 1-14-1 Toranomom, Minato-ku TOKYO | TEL. + 81 3 3502 4575 FAX + 81 3 3502 8586 www.keikenkyo.or.jp |
| Japan-2 ¹ | National Agency of Vehicle Inspection (NAVI) 4F, Sumitomo Life Insurance Yostuya Bldg. 8-2, Honshio-chyou, Shinjuku-ku TOKYO | TEL. + 81 3 5363 3444 FAX + 81 3 5363 3347 www.navi.go.jp |
| Japan-3 ¹ | Ministry of Land, Transport & Infrastructure Road Transport Bureau 2-1-3 Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku TOKYO | TEL. + 81 3 5253 8591 FAX + 81 3 5253 1639 www.mlit.go.jp |
| Singapore-1 | STA Inspection Pte Ltd 302 Sin Ming Road SINGAPORE 575637 | TEL. + 65 6210 4700 FAX + 65 6453 8244 |
| Singapore-2 | VICOM Inspection Center Pte Ltd 385 Sin Ming Drive SINGAPORE 575718 Jurong Inspection Services Pte Ltd (same management under VICOM Ltd) | TEL. + 65 4584 555 FAX. + 65 64581 040 www.vicom.com.sg |
| S-Korea-1 | Korea Transportation Safety Authority (KOTSA) 523 Kozan-dong, ANSAN CITY Kyonggi-province | TEL. + 82 31 481 0329 FAX + 82 31 401 8216 www.kotsa.or.kr |
| Vietnam-1 | Vietnam Register 18, Pham hung Rd. My Dinh – Tu Liem HANOI | TEL. + 84 4 768 4716 FAX + 84 4 768 4727 www.vr.org.vn vn@hn.vnn.vn |
| Austria-1 ¹ | Bundesprüfanstalt für Kraftfahrzeuge Trauzlgasse 1 A-1210 WIEN | TEL. + 43 1 2788 386 FAX + 43 1 2788 386 12 |
| Belgium-1 | GOCA asbl Rue de la Technologie 21-25 B-1082 BRUXELLES | TEL. + 32 2 469 09 00 FAX + 32 2 468 05 70 www.goca.be |
| Croatia-1 | Vehicle Center of Croatia Ilica 15/I, HR-10000 ZAGREB | TEL. + 385 1 4833 444 FAX + 385 1 4833 610 www.cvh.hr |
| Croatia-2 | Croatian Automobile Club (Hrvatski AutoKlub) Avenija Dubrovnik 44 HR-10000 ZAGREB | TEL. + 385 1 6611 999 FAX: + 385 1 6603 301 www.hak.hr |

2006 CITA GENERAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Organisations participating to the Questionnaire

| | | |
|------------------------|--|---|
| Denmark-1 | Applus Danmark A/S Masnedøgade 28 DK-2100 COPENHAGEN Ø | TEL. + 45 39 157 000 FAX + 45 39 157 020 www.applusbilsyn.dk |
| Denmark-2 | Road Safety and Transport Agency Adelgade 13 DK-1304 COPENHAGEN K | TEL. + 45 33 92 91 00 FAX + 45 33 14 34 08 www.fstyr.dk |
| Estonia-1 | Estonian Motor Vehicle Registration Centre Mäepealse 19 EE-12618 TALLINN | TEL. + 372 620 1200 FAX + 372 620 1201 www.ark.ee |
| Finland-1 | A-Inspection Ltd (A-Katsastus Oy) P.O.Box 350 FIN-00811 HELSINKI | TEL. + 358 75 323 1000 FAX + 358 75 323 2060 www.a-katsastus.fi |
| Finland-2 | Vehicle Administration Fabianinkatu 32 FIN-00100 HELSINKI | TEL. + 358 100 7800 FAX + 358 9 6185 3605 www.ake.fi |
| France-1 | SECTA AUTOSUR 3, rue Sainte Marie F-92415 COURBEVOIE Cedex | TEL + 33 1 49 04 15 00 FAX + 33 1 49 04 15 01 www.autosur.com |
| France-2 | AUTO SECURITE France 1, avenue du Maréchal Juin F-92510 RUEIL MALMAISON | TEL. + 33 1 41 42 05 05 FAX + 33 1 41 42 05 00 www.autosecurite.fr |
| France-3 | SECURITEST 1, place du Gué de Maulny F-72019 LE MANS Cedex 2 | TEL. + 33 2 43 41 41 41 FAX + 33 3 43 16 33 43 www.securitest.fr |
| France-4 | DEKRA Automotive 11-13 Av Georges Politzer BP 152 F-78196 TRAPPES Cedex | TEL. + 33 1 30 69 52 00 FAX + 33 1 30 69 52 01 www.dekra-automotive.com |
| Germany-1 | DEKRA Automobil GmbH Handwerkstrasse 15 D-70599 STUTTGART | TEL. + 49 351 272 03 40 FAX + 49 351 272 03 41 |
| Germany-2 | GTÜ mbH Vor dem Lauch 25 D-70567 STUTTGART | TEL. + 49 711 97676 120 Herbert.unger@gtue.de www.gtue.de |
| Germany-3 | RWTÜV Fahrzeug GmbH Langemarckstrasse 20 D-45141 ESSEN | TEL. + 49 201 825 0 FAX + 49 201 825 2267 |
| Germany-4 | TÜV Thüringen Fahrzeug GmbH Melchendorfer Strasse 64 99096 ERFURT | TEL. + 49 361 428 3224 FAX + 49 361 428 3245 www.tuev-thueringen.de |
| Germany-5 | TÜV Süd Auto Service GmbH Donaustauer Strasse 160 93059 REGENSBURG | TEL. + 49 89 5791 – 2320 FAX + 49 89 5791 – 2680 www.tuev-sued.de |
| Germany-6 | TÜV Nord Mobilität GmbH & Co KG Am TÜV 1 30519 HANNOVER | TEL. + 49 511 986 - 2526 FAX + 49 511 986 – 1747 www.tuev-nord.de |
| Great Britain-1 | Vehicle & Operator Services Agency (VOSA) Croydon Street BRISTOL BS5 0DA | TEL. + 44 117 954 2534 FAX + 44 117 954 3440 www.vosa.gov.uk |
| Hungary-1 | General Inspectorate of Transport Terez krt. 38 H-1066 BUDAPEST | TEL. + 36 1 373 14 10 FAX + 36 1 373 14 53 www.kff.hu |
| Ireland-1 | SGS Ireland 3026 - Citywest Business Campus Naas Road DUBLIN 24 | TEL. + 353 1 413 5900 FAX + 353 1 413 5982 |

2006 CITA GENERAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Organisations participating to the Questionnaire

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| Ireland-2 ¹ | Department of Transport 25 Clare Street DUBLIN 2 | TEL. + 353 1 604 1301 FAX + 353 1 604 1656 www.transport.ie |
| Italy-1 | Ministero delle Infrastrutture e dei Trasporti Dipartimento per i trasporti terrestri Via G. Caraci 36 00157 ROMA | TEL. + 390 641 581 www.infrastrutturetrasporti.it |
| Latvia-1 | Road Traffic Safety Directorate (CSDD) 25, Miera Street LV-1001 RIGA | TEL. + 371 702 5750 FAX + 371 782 8301 www.csdd.lv |
| Luxemburg-1 | Société Nationale de Contrôle Technique (SNCT) B.P. 23 L-5201 SANDWEILER | TEL. + 352 35 72 14 221 FAX + 352 35 72 14 210 www.snct.lu |
| Macedonia-1 | Drivers' Association of Macedonia Bul. Sv. Kliment Ohridski 58b MKD- 1000 SKOPJE | TEL. + 389 2 3119 006 FAX + 389 2 3119 006 ext 107 www.svm.org.mk |
| Netherlands-1 ¹ | RDW-Vehicle Information & Authorisation Europaweg 205 NL-.ZOETERMEER | TEL. + 31 79 345 83 92 FAX + 31 79 345 80 41 |
| Northern-Ireland-1 | Driver & Vehicle Testing Agency (DVTA) Balmoral Road BELFAST BT12 6QL | TEL. + 44 28 9068 1831 FAX + 44 28 9054 7955 www.dvtani.gov.uk |
| Poland-1 ¹ | Motor Transport Institute Ul. Jagiellonska 80 PL-03-301 WARSAW | TEL. + 48 22 811 3231 FAX + 48 22 811 0906 www.its.home.pl |
| Portugal-1 ¹ | ANCIA-Associação Nacional de Centros de Inspeção Automóvel Edifício Comercial S.Miguel nº296 Atelier 7 P-2775-750 CARCAVELOS | TEL + 351 21 453 34 88 FAX + 351 21 453 31 73 www.ancia.pt |
| Slovakia-1 ¹ | Slovdekra s.r.o. P.O.Box 57 – Polianky 19 SK-844 57 BRATISLAVA | TEL. + 421 2 6428 8096 FAX + 421 2 6428 6967 www.slovdekra.sk |
| Slovakia-2 ¹ | S-EKA s.r.o. Kupecká 5 SK-949 01 NITRA | TEL. + 421 37 6517 365 FAX + 421 37 6525 274 www.seka.sk |
| Slovakia-3 | TESTEK, s.r.o. P.O.Box 84, Plachého 14, 840 02 Bratislava 42, SLOVAKIA | TEL. + 421 2 6353 0258 FAX + 421 2 6353 0258 www.testek.sk testek@testek.sk |
| Slovenia-1 | Association of Technical Examination of Vehicles Dimiceva 13 SI- LJUBLJANA | TEL. + 386 1 5305 170 FAX + 386 1 5682 321 www.gzs.si |
| Spain-1 ¹ | APPLUS+ Iteuve Campus UAB - Apartado de Correos 18 E-08193 BELLATERRA | TEL. + 34 93 552 77 43 FAX + 34 93 552 77 55 www.applusiteuve.com |
| Spain-2 | Grupo ITEVELESA Centro Europa Empresarial C/ Rozabella 2 – edificio Berlín E-28290 LAS ROZAS MADRID | TEL. + 34 91 640 40 70 FAX + 34 91 640 40 71 www.itevelesa.com itevelesa@itevelesa.com |
| Spain-3 | Ministry of Industry, Tourism & Commerce Paseo de la Castellana 160 E-28071 MADRID | TEL. + 34 91 349 4138 FAX + 34 91 349 4300 www.mityc.es |

2006 CITA GENERAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Organisations participating to the Questionnaire

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| Spain-4 ¹ | Revisions de Vehicules sa C/ Sant Pau, 27 E-08221 TERRASSA (Barcelona) | TEL. + 34 93 731 66 60 FAX + 34 93 731 73 03 |
| Spain-5 | AECA-ITV (Asociación Española de Entidades Colaboradoras de la Administración en la Inspección Técnica de Vehículos) Avda. Alberto Alcocer 5 – 4º D E-28036 MADRID | TEL. + 34 91 350 2680 FAX + 34 91 345 7442 www.aeca-itv.com secretaria@aea-itv.com |
| Sweden-1 | AB Svensk Bilprovning Box 508 16215 VÄLLINGBY | TEL. + 46 8 759 21 00 FAX + 46 8 759 54 24 www.bilprovningen.se |
| Switzerland-1 | ASA (Association des Services des Automobiles) Thunstrasse 9 – Postfach CH-3000 BERN 6 SAN/VD (Service des Automobiles et de la Navigation) Av.du Grey 110, case postale CH-1014 LAUSANNE | TEL. + 41 21 316 88 83 FAX + 41 21 316 89 09 www.san.vd.ch |
| USA-1 | Applus+ Technologies Inc. 444 N. Michigan Avenue CHICAGO, IL 60611 | TEL. + 1 312 661 1100 www.applustech.com |
| USA-2 ¹ | Environmental Systems Products (ESP) Inc. 11 Kripes Road E. GRANBY, CT 06026 | TEL. + 1 860 392 2100 FAX + 1 860 392 2105 www.esp-global.com |
| Argentina-1 ¹ | SGS Automotive | TEL. + 5982 322 7910 FAX + 5982 322 7910 www.ar.sgs.com |
| Argentina-2 | Applus Argentina SA Reconquista 662 P2 BUENOS AIRES | TEL. + 54 11 4893 1333 FAX + 54 11 4893 1333 |
| Chile-1 | Applus Chile SA Américo Vespucio 743 Huechuraba SANTIAGO | TEL. + 562 582 8210 FAX + 562 582 8210 |
| New-Zealand-1 | Land Transport New Zealand P.O.Box 2840 WELLINGTON | TEL. + 64 4 910 8161 FAX + 64 4 494 8601 |
| New-Zealand-2 | Vehicle Testing New Zealand Ltd (VTNZ) P.O.Box 10 057 WELLINGTON | TEL. + 64 4 495 2500 FAX + 64 4 495 2530 www.vtnz.co.nz |
| New-Zealand-3 ¹ | On Road New Zealand Ltd P.O.Box 300-083 – Albany AUCKLAND | TEL. + 64 9 415 9505 FAX + 64 9 415 6266 www.onroad.co.nz |