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EAC signs European Road Safety Charter

Brussels/Berlin, 2010-03-02 - By signing the Charter, once again the EAC affirms its efforts to enhance European road safety. "Safe roads are our objective. To support the European Road Safety Charter with all means we have at our disposal is thus only the logical consequence", EAC-president Peter Stuppacher said at the signing ceremony held at the European Commission Representation in Berlin. "For us, European road safety starts with an harmonisation of national traffic rules. Each country created its own reasonable regulation. However, in times of open boarders, those individual solutions often cause confusion and provoke traffic violations."

As an initial step, from spring 2010 on, assisted by Austrian transport minister Doris Bures, the EAC will promote a harmonised regulation on safety vests. Starting point of this initiative will be a parlamentary event at March 03, 2010.

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More information on the charter: www.erscharter.eu

About the EAC: The alliance of European Automobile Clubs was founded in 2007. Five Automobile clubs from Germany and Austria belong to it: ARBÖ (Auto-, Motor- und Radfahrerbund Österreichs), ACE (Auto Club Europa e.V.), ACV (Automobil-Club Verkehr), ARCD (Auto- und Reise-Club Deutschland) und KS (Kraftfahrer-Schutz e.V.). Peter Stuppacher is the General Secretary of the ARBÖ and has been the president of the EAC since November 2009.







