

SADC SUB-REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON HARMONIZATION OF LOW SULPHUR FUELS STANDARDS AND USED VEHICLES

Used Vehicle Inspection

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What is CITA



- WHO WE ARE -

We are the worldwide association of authorities and authorized companies active in the field of vehicle compliance

We gather more than 140 organizations in over 50 countries



Fundamentals

Used vehicles from abroad must be:

- In good shape

 roadworthiness



Inspection on departure:

- Identification
- Conception
- Fitness

Data transfer

Inspection on arrival:

- Identification
- Conception
- **Fitness**



Responsibilities

Recipient countries

- Defining the vehicles that they accept
- Managing the system

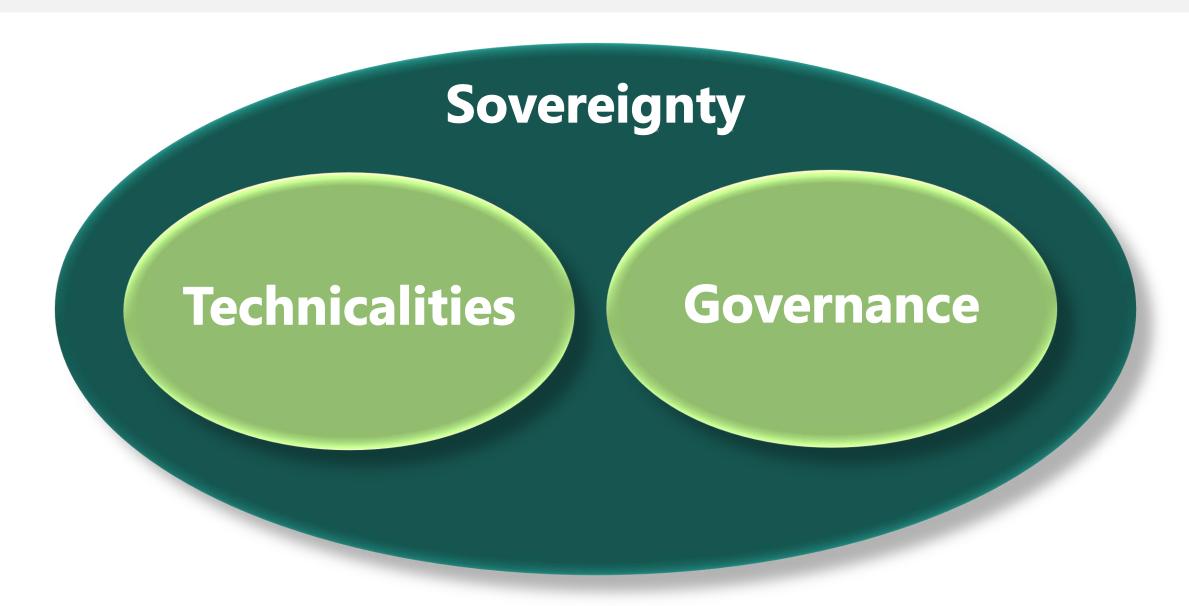
Exporting countries

- Preventing the ship of waste
- Facilitating data
- Sharing experience and knowledge

Traders and carriers

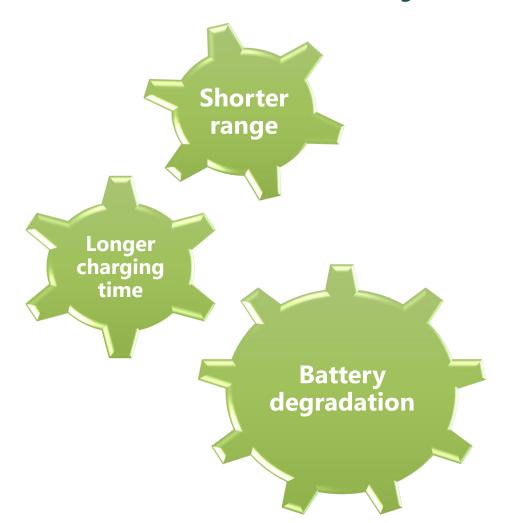
Accountability & Liability







Additional risks of hybrid and electric vehicles





Tampering temptation





To have a look at:

- The New Zealand benchmark:

 https://www.via.org.nz/videos/2017/10/20/new-zealand-vehicle-importation-compliance-process/
- ➤ The WP.29 IWG Safer and Cleaner Used and New Vehicles

https://wiki.unece.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=164 397099&src=contextnavpagetreemode

Conclusions



- > Verifying conception and fitness
- > The process requires reliable data
- >Importer countries sovereignty
- >Stakeholders responsibility and accountability



Thank you for your attention!

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