

## **VEHICLE SPEED MEASURING DEVICES**

### **SCOPE**

The essential requirements for vehicle speed measuring devices (Doppler and laser) before they are placed on the market and commissioned for use

### **LATVIAN REGULATIONS**

- Cabinet Regulation No. 704, adopted November 28, 2017 ["Requirements for Measuring Devices for Vehicle Speed Control"](#)
- Cabinet Regulation No. 624, adopted October 14, 2014 ["Procedures for the metrological control of measuring devices and initial verification marks"](#)

### **PRIOR AUTHORISATION**

Before placing a vehicle speed control measuring device on the market and commissioned for use the examination of national type approval must be performed by the Latvian national metrology institution, whose functions are performed by limited liability company "Latvian national metrology Centre" division "Metrology bureau" (Phone +371 67517728, E-mail: [latmb@latmb.lv](mailto:latmb@latmb.lv)).

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## **MAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR ECONOMIC OPERATORS**

### **THE ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

- definition of speed measuring devices according to their functionality;
- essential requirements for speed measuring devices and specific requirements for the Doppler radar and laser speed measuring devices;
- accuracy of speed measuring (maximum tolerances);
- requirements for the non-interference of the metrological parameters of speed measuring devices with regard to the different types and designs of speed measuring devices;
- requirements for the reading, maintenance and protection of speed measuring device data.

The vehicle speed measuring device which has been manufactured or placed on the market in any of the European Union Member States, in Turkey or any state of the European Economic Area and complies with the national legal framework ensuring an equivalent level of requirements to this Regulation shall be considered as complying with the requirements of this Regulation.