

DRIVERLESS BUSES

Changes to regulations, town planning and safety

The development and implementation of **driverless public transport** requires a profound transformation of policy, regulations, infrastructure, legal liability and cybersecurity.



LEGAL FRAMEWORK

Governments must establish **new highway regulations** that will enable the introduction of driverless vehicles into the traffic flow. In a number of countries they are already on the roads, but with a driver on board and for experimental purposes.



USA

Their use is authorised in the states of Nevada, California, Michigan, Florida and Washington D.C. for test purposes.



JAPAN

Prototypes are allowed to use the streets and highways.



EUROPEAN UNION

The United Kingdom, Germany, Sweden and Spain are granting licences to experimental models.



URBAN PLANNING

Cities shall have to be adapted for this type of transport and add the required infrastructure.



ACCIDENTS

The accident rate will drop and responsibility for accidents will not be attributed to human error but to the manufacturers.



CYBERSECURITY

The security of the digital systems will be vital, to prevent hacking that could endanger the road transport system.

