The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh presents its compliments to the D-8 Secretariat and with reference to the latter’s Note Verbale No. IND/17/009 dated 06 January 2017, has the honour to forward herewith a filled up questionnaire regarding the Survey on the establishment of D-8 Automotive Association by the Bangladesh Steel and Engineering Cooperation.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of People’s Republic of Bangladesh avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the D-8 Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.

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D-8 Secretariat
Istanbul, Turkey
This survey prepared according to the decision of “Turkey would take responsibility for establishment of “D-8 Automotive Association”. Turkey will circulate a survey to check maximum benefit of such D-8 Automotive Association based on the existing Associations.” which discussed at the Automotive Task Force meeting at Arab Republic of Egypt on 9-11 May 2016.

1. Please specify your country.
   Bangladesh

2. Please specify the name of your association.
   Bangladesh Steel and Engineering Corporation

3. Do you see add value in the establishment of a D-8 Automotive Association?
   - Yes
   - No

4. Is your association willing to join the D-8 Automotive Association?
   - Yes
   - No

5. What are the benefits do you expect from D-8 Automotive Association? (Please mark)

   - Legislation - Development of a common legislative structure
   - Data Exchange
   - Trade Promotion
   - Industrial Cooperation Promotion
   - Engineering and R&D Promotion
   - Contribution to Automotive Engineering Education
   - Others - Please specify

(Please answer the questions between 6 and 12 which are chosen in Q5.)
6. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Legislation?

i) Common Road Transport Regulation
ii) Licences and fees
iii) Uniform Tax structure

7. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Data Exchange?

i) Technological data transfer
ii) Manufacturing data transfer
iii) Market analysis
iv) Training and skill development

8. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Trade Promotion?

i) Joint conference of sales promotion
ii) Joint approach for Market Expansion
iii) Liberal policy for Export/Import between members
iv) Combined effort for future advancement

9. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Industrial Cooperation Promotion?

i) Co-operation for improvement of technology
ii) Creation of Joint Venture Company
iii) Proper training for engineers and workers
iv) Establishment of automobile manufacturing plants
10. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Engineering and R&D Promotion?
   i) Regular training for engineers for all upcoming technologies
   ii) Higher education for engineers
   iii) Team of R&D
   iv) Exchange data between member countries
   v) There would be a unique standard for all the member countries

11. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of Contribution to Automotive Engineering Education?
   i) Need higher education for automotive engineering
   ii) Should arrange seminars, training workshop regularly for the engineers on automotive engineering
   iii) Research on the automotive engineering

12. What kind of cooperation do you expect in the field of ............. (other)?

13. Who should be the members of D-8 Automotive Association?

   ✓ Existing Country Associations
   ✓ OEMs- Vehicle Manufacturers
   ✓ Suppliers
   ✓ Distributors
   Others-Please specify
14. Who should establish D-8 Automotive Association?

- National Associations
- National OEMs - Vehicle Manufacturers
- National Suppliers
- Others - Please specify

15. Is your association willing and ready to contribute to the budget of the D-8 Automotive Association?

- Yes
- No

16. Can your association join the D-8 Automotive Association legally as per legal structure in your country?

- Yes
- No

17. Should there be a secretariat?

- Yes
- No

18. How often should the Board of Directors meet?

At least once a year.

19. In which stakeholders do the D-8 Automotive Association should cooperation?

- OEMs - Vehicle Manufacturers
- Suppliers
- Both
- None
20. Any other comments or suggestions.

In this automotive engineering sector all the engineers should be properly educated, trained on automotive engineering. For this D-8 can arrange education, training, seminar, workshop regularly for those engineers. There would be a unique standard and R&D station for automotive engineering. Also should be taken care of business promotion and manufacturing promotion.

21. Please specify name and communication informations of the person who filled the survey.

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