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The European Commission's Intelligent Car report "Towards Europe-wide, safer, cleaner and efficient mobility" has been adopted at its first reading by the European Parliament in its Strasbourg Plenary session last week.

The key eSafety issues brought forward in the Commission's Intelligent Car Report are the deployment of the pan-European emergency call system eCall by 2010 and an accelerated introduction of Electronic Stability Control (ESC), in order to reach 100 per cent availability of ESC by 2012.

The report also urges stakeholders to work towards improving awareness and affordability of intelligent vehicle systems, and to improve safety of nomadic devices. On the environmental side, the report calls for the development of a methodology for measuring the impact of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) on reducing CO2 emissions.

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