**TECHNICAL NOTE**

**About the use of retro-reflective vests in accordance with the provisions of**

**art. 88 of the Highway Code**

Considering the doubts that the public has been having about the proper form of transporting and using the equipment in question, it is important to clarify the following:

* The retro-reflective vests, made compulsory in accordance with the Highway Code, do not have to be stored in the passenger area of the vehicle, and may be stored in the trunk;
* There is no law that the person who must wear the vest must have his vest on when leaving the vehicle;

• There is only an infraction of the provisions in no.'s 4 and 7 of art. 88 of the Highway Code, when the individual who is placing a hazard warning triangle, performing repairs on the vehicle, or removing a load that has fallen in the road, is not wearing the hazard warning vest.