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SAFETY WARNINGS REGARDING THE USE OF OF OBDII / EOBD DIGITAL DIAGNOSTIC TESTERS

The following list of safety warnings has been drawn up in accordance with the requirements of Regulation (EU) 2023/988 on general product safety (GPSR). Its purpose is to protect users from potential hazards arising from the improper use of products. The warnings have been formulated in a simple and understandable manner so that they are accessible to a wide audience, including older people and those with reduced mobility.

The digital diagnostic testers offered by NTEC sp. z o.o. bear the CE mark, which certifies their compliance with EU safety standards.

Use the diagnostic tester strictly in accordance with its intended purpose and the manufacturer's instructions.

BASIC HAZARDS AND PRECAUTIONS

1. Electrical risk:

- Incorrect connection of the device to the vehicle's diagnostic socket may lead to malfunction of the tester or the vehicle's electrical system.
- Do not use the device if there is visible damage to the casing, cable or OBDII plug.
- Never connect or disconnect the device with wet hands.

2. Mechanical risk:

- Excessive force when inserting or removing the plug may damage the vehicle's OBDII connector or the tester itself.
- Dropping the device may damage the casing, screen or internal components.

3. Overheating risk:

- Prolonged use in high temperatures or in direct sunlight may affect the device's proper functioning.
- Do not cover the device whilst in use and do not use it near heat sources.

SPECIFIC RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH USE

4. Compatibility risks:

- Before use, ensure that the vehicle supports the OBDII / EOBD standard compatible with the device.
- Using the tester in a vehicle that does not support the relevant standard may result in a lack of communication or incorrect data readings.

5. Risks associated with data interpretation:

- The error codes and diagnostic parameters read should be interpreted in accordance with the vehicle's documentation or by a person with the appropriate technical knowledge.
- Incorrect interpretation of results may lead to misdiagnosis and unnecessary repairs.

6. Risks associated with use whilst driving:

- Do not operate the tester whilst driving.
- Using the device whilst driving may distract the driver and increase the risk of an accident.

7. Risks associated with improper use:

- Do not insert the plug at an incorrect angle or use excessive force.
- A dirty or damaged OBDII socket in the vehicle may affect the device's performance.

8. Risk of damage to the diagnostic port:

- Do not use the device for purposes other than diagnostics in accordance with its intended use.
- Incorrect use may result in damage to the tester, the diagnostic connector or the vehicle's electronic systems.

PRECAUTIONS DURING MAINTENANCE

9. Cleaning

- The device must only be cleaned with a dry, soft cloth.
- Do not use cleaning fluids, solvents or chemicals.

10. Condition check:

- Regularly check the condition of the casing, display, cable and OBDII plug.

11. Storage:

- Store the device in a dry and clean place, away from moisture, dust and heat sources.
- Avoid storing the device in places exposed to extreme temperatures.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS

12. Child safety:

- Keep out of reach of children.

13. Avoid modifications:

- Do not dismantle, modify or repair the device yourself.
- Unauthorised modifications may result in damage to the product and safety hazards.

14. What to do in the event of a fault:

- If the device exhibits abnormal behaviour, such as overheating, sparking, unusual odours or noises, switch it off immediately, disconnect it from the power supply and then contact the service department.
- If you observe any dangerous behaviour of the product, contact the manufacturer immediately.

IMPORTANCE OF FOLLOWING THE WARNINGS

Following the above warnings minimises the risk of personal injury, equipment failure and property damage. Ignoring these recommendations may lead to serious health and property risks. Ensure your own safety and that of your loved ones by observing the recommended precautions.

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