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## ERSO Newsletter October 2008

This newsletter informs you of all the latest developments and newly added information. Please click on the links below to learn more.

### Knowledge section updates

Recent additions on the [Knowledge section](#) of the ERSO website are:

- [Powered Two Wheelers](#) – With two wheels in line, minimal bodywork and high power to weight ratio, PTW's are a economical means of transport. Riding a PTW gives a special sensation which is attractive to some groups of riders. Riding a PTW is also much more dangerous than using another motor vehicle. Read more about the use and the safety of [Powered Two Wheelers](#) on the Knowledge section of the ERSO website.
- [eSafety](#) – eSafety is defined here as a vehicle-based intelligent safety systems which could improve road safety in terms of exposure, crash avoidance, injury reduction and post-crash phases. This text discusses a variety of measures which are being promoted widely as 'eSafety' measures, the knowledge about which is slowly evolving, including information on the costs and benefits of measures. Read more about [eSafety](#) on the Knowledge section of the ERSO website.

### Data section updates

Recent additions on the [Data section](#) of the ERSO website includes information concerning [road accident investigation](#). This section highlights some of the recommendations that are made by SafetyNet in reference to the organisation of transparent and independent road accident investigation. There recommendations are derived from the SafetyNet report '[Recommendations for Transparent and Independent Road Accident Investigation](#)'.

### The end of SafetyNet

As you might know, the ERSO website is one of the key results of SafetyNet, which is an integrated project funded by DG-TREN of the European Commission. After four and a half years the SafetyNet project will be completed on October 31' 2008. This has several implications for the ERSO website. First of all many final reports are expected to be delivered by the end of the project. So be sure to visit the ERSO website for updates. Finally is it expected that the ERSO website will be incorporated on [the website of DG-TREN](#) which already offers links to many SafetyNet products. During the transfer of the ERSO website to DG-TREN the website remains available at [www.erso.eu](http://www.erso.eu).

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