



STOWARZYSZENIE
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The Association of Automotive Parts Distributors and Producers (SDCM), herein duly represented by Alfred Franke, the President, expresses full and unwavering support to the "right to repair" defended by ANFAPE, which ensures that vehicle owners, as long as properly informed, enjoy freedom of choice in the automotive aftermarket, allowing them to choose between the spare parts marketed by vehicle assemblers and matching quality parts offered by independent operators.

The Repairs Clause in Poland has been in force since 2007 – it was introduced into Polish legislation by way of amending the Industrial Property Act. The campaign for the implementation of the Repairs Clause lasted two years – due to our activities we managed to prevent the monopoly of car manufacturers on the sale of visible spare parts, which significantly strengthened competition and mobilised the companies to lower the prices of spare parts for the benefit of motorists.

I wish you success in further activities concerning „right to repair” in Brazil.


Yours sincerely,

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