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## Agreement

### Concerning the Adoption of Uniform Technical Prescriptions for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be Fitted and/or be Used on Wheeled Vehicles and the Conditions for Reciprocal Recognition of Approvals Granted on the Basis of these Prescriptions\*

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## Regulation No. XXX

### Uniform provisions concerning the approval of light-signalling devices and systems for power-driven vehicles and their trailers

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## Introduction

This regulation is the outcome of the decision to simplify the UN lighting and light-signalling regulations by combining the provisions of the individual UN Regulations 4,6,7,23,38,50,77,87 and 91 into a single regulation. The objective was to reduce the number of regulations through an editorial exercise without changing any of the detailed technical requirements already in force up to the date of entry into force of this regulation.

Although this regulation departs from the traditional approach of having a separate regulation for each device, by combining all light signalling devices into a single regulation, this simplified regulation will contain all provisions and operate according to the existing structure of series of amendments, their transitional provisions and supplements. The transitional provisions associated with a new series of amendments of the regulations will be identified for each class of the device as applicable.

It is expected that all contracting parties to the 1958 agreement will adopt this regulation but they still have the freedom to choose to adopt, or not to adopt, particular devices. These decisions will be recorded in ECE/TRANS/WP.29/343 that records the status of the annexed Regulations and of the amendments).

There is no requirement for the devices to carry the traditional type approval markings. These markings will be replaced by the UN secure internet database in accordance with Schedule 5 of the 1958 Agreement where all type approval documentation is held. This approach is necessary because the principle of grouping a number of devices into a single regulation is incompatible with the use of detailed approval markings on the devices. The use of the “Unique Identifier” giving access to the UN secure internet database will provide all information necessary to check conformity of the individual devices with their actual type approval documentation.

## 1. Scope

This Regulation applies to the following functions (devices):

Light signalling function (device)	Paragraph No.
Front position lamp	4-01
Front end-outline marker lamp	4-01
Rear position lamp (steady luminous intensity)	4-2
Rear position lamp (variable luminous intensity)	4-2
Rear end-outline marker lamp (steady luminous intensity)	4-2
Rear end-outline marker lamp (variable luminous intensity)	4-2
Parking lamp (Forward and rearward facing)	4-3
Daytime running lamp	4-4
Stop lamp (steady luminous intensity)	4-5
Stop lamp (variable luminous intensity)	4-5

Stop lamp (central high mounted) (steady luminous intensity)	4-5
Stop lamp (central high mounted) (variable luminous intensity)	4-5
Stop lamp (Motorcycle)	4-5
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed more than 40 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	4-6
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed between 40 mm and 20 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	4-6
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed less than 20 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	4-6
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed on vehicles of category L	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp (steady luminous intensity)	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp (variable luminous intensity)	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp to be installed on vehicles of category L	4-6
Side direction indicator lamp for vehicles M1 and vehicles N1, M2 and M3 up to 6000 mm in length	4-6
Side direction indicator lamp for vehicles N2 and N3 and vehicles N1, M2 and M3 more than 6000 mm in length	4-6
Side marker lamp for all vehicle categories	4-7
Side marker lamp for M1 vehicles	4-7
Reversing lamp	4-8
Rear fog lamp (steady luminous intensity)	4-9
Rear fog lamp (variable luminous intensity)	4-9
Manoeuvring lamp	4-10
Rear registration plate illuminating device:	4-11
Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 340 x 240 mm or less (tall plate).	
Rear registration plate illuminating device:	4-11
Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 520 x 120 mm or less (wide plate).	

Rear registration plate illuminating device:

4-11

Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 255 x 165 mm or less (plate for agricultural or forestry tractors).

Rear registration plate illuminating device:

4-11

Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 330 x 165 mm or less.

Rear registration plate illuminating device:

4-11

Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 440 x 220 mm or less.

## 2. Definitions

For the purposes of this Regulation:

- 2.1 All the definitions given in UN Regulation No. 48 and its series of amendments in force at the time of application for type approval shall apply, except:
- 2.1.1 "*Lamp*" means light-signalling devices except retro-reflecting devices and marking plates/devices/materials.
- 2.1.2. "*Lamps of different type*" means lamps, which differ in such essential respects as:
- a) the trade name or mark:
    - (i) lamps bearing the same trade name or mark but produced by different manufacturers are considered as being of different types;
    - (ii) lamps produced by the same manufacturer differing only by the trade name or mark are considered as being of the same type.
  - b) the characteristics of the optical system (levels of intensity, light distribution angles, , inclusion or elimination of components capable of altering the optical effects by reflection, refraction, absorption and/or deformation during operation, etc.).
  - c) the category or categories of light source(s) used and/or the specific identification code (s) of the light source module(s).
  - d) the category of the lamp, if any;
  - e) the variable intensity control, if any;
  - f) the sequential activation of light sources, if any.

A change of the colour of the light source or the colour of any filter does not constitute a change of type.

- 2.1.3 “Unique Identifier” means the mark on the device that includes a unique sequential number issued by the type approval authority. This number is the key to entry into the UN secure internet database in accordance with Schedule 5 of the 1958 Agreement where all type approval documentation is held.

### **3. Administrative Provisions**

#### **3.1. APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL**

- 3.1.1 The application for type approval shall be submitted by the holder of the trade name or mark or by his duly accredited representative.
- 3.1.2 It shall be accompanied by:
- 3.1.2.1. the documents and sample(s) indicated in the following paragraphs 2.3. to 2.7. and related subparagraphs;
- 3.1.2.2. the "Communication concerning approval" provided in Annex 1 to this Regulation
- 3.1.2.3 drawings, sufficiently detailed to permit identification of the type and, if applicable, of the category of the lamp, showing:
- a) geometrically in what position(s) the lamp (and if applicable for category S3 or S4 lamps the rear window) may be mounted on the vehicle;
  - b) the axis of observation to be taken as the axis of reference in the tests (horizontal angle  $H = 0^\circ$ , vertical angle  $V = 0^\circ$ ); and the point to be taken as the centre of reference during the tests;
  - c) the limit of the apparent surface of the function(s);
  - d) The position intended for the “Unique Identifier”.
  - e) in case of LED module(s) also the space reserved for the specific identification code(s) of the module(s);
  - f) in the case of an interdependent lamp system, the interdependent lamp or the combination of interdependent lamps;
- 3.1.2.4. a brief technical description stating in particular, with the exception of lamps with non-replaceable light sources:
- a) the category or categories of filament light source(s) prescribed; this filament light source category shall be one of those contained in UN Regulation No. 37;
  - b) the category or categories of LED light source(s) prescribed; this LED light source category shall be one of those contained in UN Regulation No. 128;
  - c) the light source module specific identification code;
- 3.1.2.5. However, in the case of a type of lamp differing only by the trade name or mark from a type that has already been approved it is sufficient that the application is accompanied by:

- 3.1.2.5.1. a declaration by the lamp manufacturer that the type submitted is identical (except in the trade name or mark) with and has been produced by the same manufacturer as the type already approved, the latter being identified by its approval code;
- 3.1.2.5.2. two samples bearing the new trade name or mark or equivalent documentation.
- 3.1.2.6. in the case of a lamp with variable intensity, a concise description of the variable intensity control. For a double-intensity lamp, an arrangement diagram and a specification of the characteristics of the system ensuring the two levels of intensity;
- 3.1.2.7. if applicable in the case of a non-replaceable filament light source(s) or light source module(s) equipped with non-replaceable filament light source(s), the documents according to paragraph 3.3.5.4. of this UN Regulation;
- 3.1.2.8. at the discretion of the applicant, the description may specify if the device may be installed on the vehicle with different inclinations of the reference axis in respect to the vehicle reference planes and to the ground, or rotate around its reference axis; these different conditions of installation shall be indicated in the communication form.
- 3.1.2.9. If not otherwise specified for the relevant lamp, the following samples:
  - a) two complete samples of the device.

If application is made for the approval of lamps which are not identical but are symmetrical and suitable for mounting one on the left and one on the right side of the vehicle, the two samples submitted may be identical and be suitable for mounting only on the right or only on the left side of the vehicle.
  - b) for a variable-intensity lamp, a sample of the variable intensity control or a generator providing the same signal(s).
- 3.1.2.10. In the case of a category S3 or S4 stop lamp which is intended to be mounted inside the vehicle, a sample plate or sample plates (in case of different possibilities) having the equivalent optical properties corresponding to those of the actual rear window(s).
- 3.2 APPROVAL
- 3.2.1. If the lamp(s) submitted for approval in pursuance of paragraph 3.1. meet the requirements of this Regulation:
  - 3.2.1.1. approval shall be granted;
  - 3.2.1.2. notice of approval or of extension or refusal or withdrawal of approval of a type of a device pursuant to this UN Regulation shall be communicated to the Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement which apply this UN Regulation, by means of a form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this UN Regulation;
  - 3.2.1.3. An approval number shall be assigned to each type approved and shall be indicated on the "Communication concerning approval" provided in Annex 1 to this Regulation.



A contracting party may assign the same approval number to light-signalling lamps or systems incorporating a number of devices but shall not assign the same number to another type of device of the same function.”

- 3.2.1.4. Notice of approval or of extension, refusal or withdrawal of approval of a vehicle type pursuant to this Regulation shall be communicated by means of a secure internet database in accordance with Schedule 5 of the 1958 Agreement to the Contracting Parties applying this Regulation, using the communication form conforming to the model in Annex 1.

The identification symbols to be referenced in the paragraph 9.1. of Annex 1 shall be as follows:

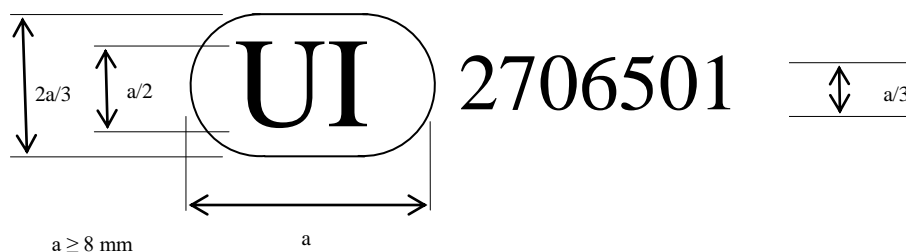
Light signalling function (device)	Identification symbol	Paragraph No.
Front position lamp	A	4-01
Front end-outline marker lamp	AM	4-01
Rear position lamp (steady luminous intensity)	R1	4-2
Rear position lamp (variable luminous intensity)	R2	4-2
Rear end-outline marker lamp (steady luminous intensity)	RM1	4-2
Rear end-outline marker lamp (variable luminous intensity)	RM2	4-2
Parking lamp (Forward and rearward facing)	None	4-3
Daytime running lamp	RL	4-4
Stop lamp (steady luminous intensity)	S1	4-5
Stop lamp (variable luminous intensity)	S2	4-5
Stop lamp (central high mounted) (steady luminous intensity)	S3	4-5
Stop lamp (central high mounted) (variable luminous intensity)	S4	4-5
Stop lamp (Motorcycle)	MS	4-5
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed more than 40 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	1	4-6
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed between 40 mm and 20 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	1a	4-6
Front direction indicator lamp to be installed less than 20 mm from dipped beam headlamp or front fog lamp	1b	4-6

Front direction indicator lamp to be installed on vehicles of category L	11	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp (steady luminous intensity)	2a	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp (variable luminous intensity)	2b	4-6
Rear direction indicator lamp to be installed on vehicles of category L	12	4-6
Side direction indicator lamp for vehicles M1 and vehicles N1, M2 and M3 up to 6000 mm in length	5	4-6
Side direction indicator lamp for vehicles N2 and N3 and vehicles N1, M2 and M3 more than 6000 mm in length	6	4-6
Side marker lamp for all vehicle categories	SM1	4-7
Side marker lamp for M1 vehicles	SM2	4-7
Reversing lamp	AR	4-8
Rear fog lamp (steady luminous intensity)	F1	4-9
Rear fog lamp (variable luminous intensity)	F2	4-9
Manoeuvring lamp	ML	4-10
Rear registration plate illuminating device:  Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 340 x 240 mm or less (tall plate).	L-1a	4-11
Rear registration plate illuminating device:  Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 520 x 120 mm or less (wide plate).	L-1b	4-11

Rear registration plate illuminating device:	L-1c	4-11
Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 255 x 165 mm or less (plate for agricultural or forestry tractors).		
Rear registration plate illuminating device:	L-2a	4-11
Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 330 x 165 mm or less.		
Rear registration plate illuminating device:	L-2b	4-11
Illuminated area for use on a vehicle mounted a registration plate, the size of which is 440 x 220 mm or less.		

### 3.3 MARKINGS

- 3.3.1 Every device belonging to an approved type shall comprise a space of sufficient size for the Unique Identifier (UI) mark as referred to in Schedule 5 of the 1958 Agreement.
- 3.3.2. This mark shall be clearly legible and indelible and shall follow the format in the example shown below:



The above Unique Identifier marked on the device shows that the type concerned has been approved and that the relevant information on that type approval can be accessed on the UN secure internet database by using 2706501 as the Unique Identifier.

### 3.3.2. GENERAL PRESCRIPTIONS ON MARKINGS

- 3.3.2.1. The space on the device shall be shown in the drawings mentioned in paragraph 3.1.2.3
- 3.3.2.2. The Unique Identifier mark shall be placed on an inner or outer part (transparent or not) of the device which cannot be separated from the transparent part of the device emitting the light. In any case the Unique Identifier mark shall be visible when the device is fitted on the vehicle or when a movable part such as the hood or boot lid or a door is opened.

- 3.3.2.3. The “Other markings” indicated in paragraphs 5.5. and 5.6. shall be affixed, in an indelible and clearly legible manner, on the device but does not need to fulfil the requirements of this paragraph.
- 3.3.3. REQUIREMENTS FOR MARKINGS FOR LIGHT SIGNALLING DEVICES (EXCEPT [RETRO REFLECTING DEVICE] [RETRO-REFLECTOR])
- 3.3.3.1. With the exception of devices with non-replaceable light sources, marking indicating:
- (a) the category or categories of light source(s) prescribed; and/or
  - (b) the light source module specific identification code;
- 3.3.3.2. in the case of devices with:
- (a) an electronic light source control gear; or
  - (b) a variable luminous intensity control; and/or
  - (c) a secondary operating mode; and/or
  - (d) non-replaceable light sources; and/or
  - (e) light source module(s);
- marking of the rated voltage or range of voltage and rated maximum wattage;
- 3.3.3.3. in the case of devices with light source module(s) on the light source module(s) marking of:
- (a) the trade name or mark of the applicant;
  - (b) the specific identification code of the module;- This specific identification code shall comprise the starting letters “MD” for “MODULE” followed by the approval mark without the circle as prescribed in paragraph 4.2.1]. The approval mark does not have to be the same as the one on the lamp in which the module is used, but both marks shall be from the same applicant;
  - (c) the rated voltage or range of voltage and rated maximum wattage.
- 3.3.3.4. on the electronic light source control gear or a variable luminous intensity control being part of the lamp but not included into the lamp body, marking of the name of the manufacturer and its identification number.
- 3.4. MODIFICATIONS OF A TYPE OF LAMP FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AND THEIR TRAILERS AND EXTENSION OF APPROVAL
- 3.4.1. Every modification of a type of lamp shall be notified to the Type Approval Authority which approved the type. The Authority may then either:
- 3.4.1.1. Consider that the modifications made are unlikely to have an appreciable adverse effect and that in any case the device still complies with the requirements; or
- 3.4.1.2. Require a further test report from the technical service responsible for conducting the tests.

- 3.4.2. Confirmation or refusal of approval, specifying the alterations, shall be communicated by the procedure specified in paragraph 4.3. of this UN Regulation, to the Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement applying this UN Regulation.
- 3.4.3. The Type Approval Authority issuing the extension of approval shall assign a series number for such an extension and inform thereof the other Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement applying the UN Regulation under which the approval has been granted by means of a communication form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this UN Regulation.
- 3.5. CONFORMITY OF PRODUCTION
- The conformity of production procedures shall comply with those set out in the Agreement, Appendix 2 (E/ECE/324-E/ECE/TRANS/505/Rev.2), with the following requirements:
- 3.5.1. Lamps shall be so manufactured as to conform to the type approved under this regulation. The compliance with the requirements set forth in paragraphs 4 and 5 of this UN Regulation shall be verified as follows:
- 3.5.1.1. The minimum requirements for conformity of production control procedures set forth in Annex 4 to this UN Regulation shall be complied with;
- 3.5.1.2. The minimum requirements for sampling by an inspector set forth in Annex 5 to this UN Regulation shall be complied with;
- 3.5.2. The authority which has granted type approval may at any time verify the conformity control methods applied in each production facility. The normal frequency of these verifications shall be once every two years.
- The Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement to which this UN Regulation is annexed are not precluded by Article 3 of that Agreement from prohibiting, for devices installed on vehicles registered by them, certain colours for which provision is made in this UN Regulation, or from prohibiting for all categories or for certain categories of vehicles registered by them stop-lamps having only steady luminous intensity.
- 3.5.3. In the case of non-replaceable filament light source(s) or light source module(s) equipped with non-replaceable filament light source(s), the applicant shall annex to the type approval documentation a report, acceptable to the Authority responsible for type approval that demonstrates compliance of these non-replaceable filament light source with the requirements as specified in paragraph 2.11 of IEC 60809, Edition 3.
- 3.6. PENALTIES FOR NON-CONFORMITY OF PRODUCTION
- 3.6.1 The approval granted may be withdrawn if the requirements in this UN Regulation are not met;
- 3.6.2 If a Contracting Party to the 1958 Agreement which applies this UN Regulation withdraws an approval it has previously granted, it shall forthwith so notify the other Contracting Parties applying this UN Regulation, by means of a communication form conforming to the model in Annex 1.
- 3.7 PRODUCTION DEFINITELY DISCONTINUED

If the holder of the approval completely ceases to manufacture a device approved in accordance with this UN Regulation, he shall so inform the authority which granted the approval. Upon receiving the relevant communication, that authority shall inform thereof the other Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement applying this UN Regulation by means of a communication form conforming to the model in Annex 1 to this UN Regulation.

3.8. NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF TECHNICAL SERVICES RESPONSIBLE FOR CONDUCTING APPROVAL TESTS, AND OF ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS

The Contracting Parties to the 1958 Agreement which apply a Regulation shall communicate to the United Nations Secretariat the names and addresses of the Technical Services responsible for conducting approval tests and of the Administrative Departments which grant approval and to which forms certifying approval or extension or refusal or withdrawal of approval, or the definitive discontinuation of production issued in other countries, are to be sent.

## 4. General Technical Requirements

Each device submitted for approval shall conform to the requirements set forth in paragraphs 4 and 5.

- 4.1 The requirements contained in sections 4 "General technical requirements" and 5 "Specific technical requirements" and in the Annexes referenced in the said sections of UN Regulations Nos. 48, 53, 74 or 86, and their series of amendments in force at the time of application for the lamp type approval shall apply to this UN Regulation.

The requirements pertinent to each lamp and to the category/ies of vehicle on which the lamp is intended to be installed shall be applied, where its verification at the moment of lamp type approval is feasible.

- 4.2 The devices must be so designed and constructed that in normal conditions of use, and notwithstanding the vibrations to which they may be subjected in such use, their satisfactory operation remains assured and they retain the characteristics prescribed by this UN Regulation.

- 4.3 Light sources:

- 4.3.1 In the case of replaceable light source(s):

- 4.3.1.1 Any category or categories of light source(s) approved according to UN Regulation No. 37 and/or UN Regulation No. 128 may be used, provided that no restriction on the use is made in UN Regulation No. 37 and its series of amendments in force at the time of application for type approval or in UN Regulation No. 128 and its series of amendments in force at the time of application for type approval.

- 4.3.1.2. In the case of a light source category or categories or type(s) is restricted for use in lamps on vehicles in use and originally equipped with such lamps, the applicant for type approval of the lamp shall declare that the lamp is only intended for installation on those vehicles; this shall be noted in the communication form.

- 4.3.1.3. The design of the device shall be such that the light source(s) can be fixed in no other position but the correct one.
- 4.3.1.4. The light source(s) holder shall conform to the characteristics given in IEC Publication 60061. The holder data sheet relevant to the category of light source(s) used, applies.
- 4.3.2 In the case of light source modules, it shall be checked that:
  - 4.3.2.1 The design of the light source module(s) shall be such as:
    - (a) That each light source module can only be fitted in no other position than the designated and correct one and can only be removed with the use of tool(s);
    - (b) If there are more than one light source module used in the housing for a device, light source modules having different characteristics can not be interchanged within the same lamp housing.
  - 4.3.2.2. The light source module(s) shall be tamperproof.
  - 4.3.2.3. A light source module shall be so designed that regardless of the use of tool(s), it shall not be mechanically interchangeable with any replaceable approved light source.
  - 4.3.2.4. In the case of non-replaceable filament light source(s) or light source module(s) equipped with non-replaceable filament light source(s), the applicant shall annex to the type approval documentation a report, acceptable to the Authority responsible for type approval, that demonstrates compliance of these non-replaceable filament light source(s) with the requirements as specified in paragraph 2.11 of IEC 60809, Edition 3.
- 4.4. INDEPENDENT AND INTERDEPENDENT LAMPS
  - 4.4.1. An assembly of two independent lamps to be type approved as lamp marked "D" is applicable to front and rear position lamps, stop lamps, and direction indicator lamps of categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b;
  - 4.4.2. An interdependent lamp system is applicable to front and rear position lamps, daytime running lamps and direction indicator lamps of categories 2a, 2b.
- 4.5. LAMPS AS SUCH OR GROUPED, COMBINED, RECIPROCALLY INCORPORATED:
  - 4.5.1. Lamps having been approved as front or rear position lamps, are deemed being also approved end-outline marker lamps.
  - 4.5.2. Front and rear position lamps which are grouped or combined or reciprocally incorporated may also be used as end-outline marker lamps.
  - 4.5.3. Position lamps or daytime running lamps, which are reciprocally incorporated with another function, using a common light source, and designed to operate permanently with an additional system to regulate the intensity of the light emitted, are permitted.
  - 4.5.4. However, in the case of rear position lamp reciprocally incorporated with a stop lamp, the device shall either:
    - (a) Be a part of a multiple light source arrangement, or

- (b) Be intended for use in a vehicle equipped with a failure monitoring system for that function.

In either case, a note shall be made within the communication document.

- 4.5.5. If the front position lamp incorporates one or more infrared radiation generators, the photometric and colour requirements for this front position lamp shall be met with and without the operation of the infrared radiation generator(s).

#### 4.6. FAILURE PROVISIONS

- 4.6.1. In case of failure of a single lamp containing more than one light source the following provisions shall apply:

- 4.6.1.1. A group of light sources, wired so that the failure of any one of them causes all of them to stop emitting light, shall be considered to be one light source.

- 4.6.1.2. If not otherwise specified, the lamp shall comply with the minimum intensity required in the table of standard light distribution in space as shown in Annex 3 when any one light source has failed. However, for lamps designed for only two light sources, 50 per cent of the minimum intensity in the axis of reference of the lamp shall be considered sufficient, provided that a note in the communication form states that the lamp is only for use on a vehicle fitted with an operating tell-tale which indicates when any one of these two light sources has failed.

- 4.6.2. In case of failure of the variable intensity control of:

- (a) A rear position lamp category R2 emitting more than the maximum value of category R or R1;
  - (b) A rear end-outline marker lamp category RM2 emitting more than the maximum value of category RM1;
  - (c) A stop lamp category S2 emitting more than the maximum value of category S1;
  - (d) A stop lamp category S4 emitting more than the maximum value of category S3;
  - (e) A direction indicator of category 2b emitting more than the maximum value of category 2a,

Requirements of steady luminous intensity of the respective category shall be fulfilled automatically.

#### 4.7. TEST CONDITIONS

- 4.7.1. All measurements, photometric and colorimetric, shall be made:

- 4.7.1.1. In case of a lamp with replaceable light source, if not supplied by an electronic light source control gear or a variable intensity control, with an uncoloured or coloured standard filament light source of the category prescribed for the device, supplied with the voltage necessary to produce the reference luminous flux required for that category of filament light source,



- 4.7.1.2. In the case of a light source, which is operated independently from vehicle supply voltage and fully controlled by the system, or in the case of a light source supplied by a special power supply, the test voltage as specified by the applicant shall be applied to the input terminals of the light source or 6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V shall be applied to the input terminals of that system/power supply. The test laboratory may require from the manufacturer this special power supply needed to supply the light sources.
- 4.7.1.3. In the case of a lamp equipped with non-replaceable light sources (filament light sources and other), with the light sources present in the lamp.
- 4.7.1.3.1. If operating directly under vehicle voltage system conditions:  
All measurements on lamps equipped with non-replaceable light sources shall be made at 6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V, or at a voltage as specified by the applicant with respect to any other vehicle voltage system.
- 4.7.1.3.2. If operated independently from vehicle supply voltage and fully controlled by the system, or in the case of a light source supplied by a special power supply, the test voltage as specified in paragraph 3.7.1.3.1. of this UN Regulation shall be applied to the input terminals of that system/power supply. The test laboratory may require from the manufacturer this special power supply needed to supply the light sources.
- 4.7.1.4. In the case of a system that uses an electronic light source control gear or a variable intensity control, being part of the lamp applying at the input terminals of the lamp the voltage declared by the manufacturer or, if not indicated, 6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V respectively.
- 4.7.1.5. In the case of a system that uses an electronic light source control gear or a variable intensity control, not being part of the lamp the voltage declared by the manufacturer shall be applied to the input terminals of the lamp.
- 4.7.2. However, in the case of light sources operated by a variable intensity control to obtain variable luminous intensity, photometric measurements shall be performed according to the applicant's description.
- 4.7.3. The test laboratory shall require from the manufacturer the light source control gear or a variable intensity control needed to supply the light source and the applicable functions.
- 4.7.4. The voltage to be applied to the lamp shall be noted in the communication form in Annex 1 to this UN Regulation.
- 4.7.5. The limits of the apparent surface in the direction of the reference axis of a light-signalling device shall be determined.
- 4.7.5.1. However, in the case where a device is intended to be installed at a mounting height (reference axis specified by the manufacturer) of equal to or less than 750 mm above the ground, the photometric intensity is verified only up to an angle of 5° downwards.
- 4.7.6. In the case of a category S3 or S4 stop lamp, which is intended to be mounted inside the vehicle a sample plate or sample plates (in case of different possibilities) as supplied (see paragraph 2.1.4.6. of this UN Regulation) shall be positioned in front of the lamp to be tested, in the geometrical position(s) as described in the application drawing(s) (see paragraph 2.1.3.1. of this UN Regulation).

- 4.8 PHOTOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS
  - 4.8.1. Measurement provisions
    - 4.8.1.1. During photometric measurements, stray reflections shall be avoided by appropriate masking.
    - 4.8.1.2. In case the results of measurements should be challenged, measurements shall be carried out in such a way as to meet the following requirements:
      - 4.8.1.2.1. The distance of measurement shall be such that the law of the inverse of the square of the distance is applicable;
      - 4.8.1.2.2. The measuring equipment shall be such that the angular aperture of the receiver viewed from the reference centre of the light is comprised between 10' and 1 degree;
      - 4.8.1.2.3. The intensity requirement for a particular direction of observation shall be deemed to be satisfied if that requirement is met in a direction deviating by not more than one-quarter of a degree from the direction of observation.
    - 4.8.1.3. In the case where the device may be installed on the vehicle in more than one or in a field of different positions the photometric measurements shall be repeated for each position or for the extreme positions of the field of the reference axis specified by the manufacturer.
  - 4.8.2. Measurement methods
    - 4.8.2.1. The photometric performance shall be checked in accordance with the relevant sub-paragraph of paragraph 3.7.
    - 4.8.2.2. For multiple replaceable light sources:

When equipped with light source(s) at 6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V, the luminous intensity values produced shall be corrected. For these replaceable filament light sources the correction factor is the ratio between the reference luminous flux and the mean value of the luminous flux found at the voltage applied (6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V).

For LED light sources the correction factor is the ratio between the objective luminous flux and the mean value of the luminous flux found at the voltage applied (6.75 V, 13.5 V or 28.0 V).

The actual luminous fluxes of light source used shall not deviate more than 5 per cent from the mean value. Alternatively and in case of filament light sources only, a standard filament light source may be used in turn, in each of the individual positions, operated at its reference flux, the individual measurements in each position being added together.
    - 4.8.2.3. Each signalling lamp shall conform to the intensities of light emitted outside the reference axis and within the angular fields defined in the diagrams in Annex 2 to this Regulation, the intensity of the light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall:
      - 4.8.2.3.1. In each direction corresponding to the points in the light distribution table reproduced in Annex 3 to this Regulation, be not less than the product of the minimum specified in the table of each function below, by the percentage specified in the said table of the direction in question;

- 4.8.2.3.2. In no direction within the space from which the light-signalling device is visible, exceed the maximum specified in the table of each function below;
- 4.8.3. When an assembly of two independent lamps, to be type approved as lamps marked "D" and having the same function, is deemed to be a single lamp, it shall comply with the requirements for:
- (a) Maximum intensity if all lamps together are lit;
  - (b) Minimum intensity if either lamp has failed.
- 4.8.4. Interdependent lamp system:
- An interdependent lamp system shall meet the requirements when all its interdependent lamps are operated together. However if the interdependent lamp system, providing one of the lamp functions listed in paragraph 4.7., is partly mounted on the fixed component and partly mounted on a movable component, the interdependent lamp(s) specified by the Applicant shall meet the outboard geometric visibility, colorimetric and photometric requirement, at all fixed positions of the movable component(s). In this case, the inboard geometric visibility requirement is deemed to be satisfied if this (these) interdependent lamp(s) still conform to the photometric values prescribed in the field of light distribution for the approval of the device, at all fixed positions of the moveable component(s).
- 4.8.5 The provisions of the relevant paragraphs of Annex 3 to this UN Regulation on local variations of intensity must be observed.
- 4.8.6. If not otherwise specified, the intensities shall be measured with the light source continuously alight and, in the case of devices emitting red light, in coloured light.
- 4.8.7. In the case of devices of categories R2, RM2, S2, S4 and 2b, the time that elapses between energising the light source(s) and the light output measured on the reference axis to reach 90 per cent of the value measured in accordance with paragraph 5 shall be measured for the extreme levels of luminous intensity produced by the device. The time measured to obtain the lowest luminous intensity shall not exceed the time measured to obtain the highest luminous intensity.
- 4.8.8. The variable intensity control shall not generate signals which cause luminous intensities:
- 4.8.8.1. Outside the range specified in paragraph 5 and
  - 4.8.8.2. Exceeding the respective steady luminous intensity maximum specified in paragraph 5 below for the specific device:
    - (a) For systems depending only on daytime and night time conditions: under night time conditions;
    - (b) For other systems: under standard conditions<sup>1</sup>.
- 4.8.9 Particulars of the methods of measurement to be used are given in Annex 3.

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<sup>1</sup> Good visibility (meteorological optical range MOR > 2,000 m defined according to WMO, Guide to Meteorological Instruments and Methods of Observation, Sixth Edition, ISBN: 92-63-16008-2, pp 1.9.1/1.9.11, Geneva 1996 ) and clean lens.

- 4.8.10. If a rear position lamp is reciprocally incorporated with a stop-lamp producing either steady or variable luminous intensity, the ratio between the luminous intensities actually measured of the two lamps when turned on simultaneously at the intensity of the rear position lamp when turned on alone should be at least 5: 1 in the field delimited by the straight horizontal lines passing through  $\pm 5^\circ$  V and the straight vertical lines passing through  $\pm 10^\circ$  H of the light distribution table.

#### 4.9 COLOUR OF LIGHT EMITTED

The colour of the light emitted shall be measured inside the field of the light distribution grid defined for the specific function in the relevant paragraph of Annex 3. To check these colorimetric characteristics the test procedure described in paragraph 4.3. shall be applied. Outside this field no sharp variation of colour shall be observed.

However, for lamps equipped with non-replaceable light sources, the colorimetric characteristics should be verified with the light sources present in the lamp, in accordance with relevant subparagraphs of paragraph 4.3. of this Regulation.

## 5. Specific Technical Requirements

### 5.1 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING FRONT POSITION LAMPS, (SYMBOLS A, MA) AND FRONT END-OUTLINE MARKER LAMPS, (SYMBOLS AM)

- 5.1.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	<i>A lamp marked "D" (paragraph 2.3.5.2.2.)</i>
Front position lamps, front end-outline marker lamp A or AM	4	140	70
Front position lamps incorporated in a headlamp	4	140	-

- 5.1.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp must in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in Paragraph [2] of Annex 3, be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 4.1.1. above, multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table of the direction in question.
- 5.1.3. Throughout the fields defined in the diagrams in Part A of Annex 2, the luminous intensity of the light emitted must be not less than 0.05 cd for front position lamps and front end-outline marker lamps;
- 5.1.4. The colour of the light emitted shall be white.

5.2. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING REAR POSITION LAMPS, (SYMBOLS R1, R2, MR) AND REAR END-OUTLINE MARKER LAMPS, (SYMBOLS RM1, RM2)

5.2.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	<i>A lamp marked "D" (paragraph 2.3.5.2.2.)</i>
Rear position lamps, rear end-outline marker lamp			
R1 or RM1 (steady)	4	17	8.5
R2 or RM2 (variable)	4	42	21

5.2.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp must in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in Paragraph [2] of Annex 3, be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 5.2.1., multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table for the direction in question.

5.2.3. However, a luminous intensity of 60 cd shall be permitted for rear position lamps reciprocally incorporated with stop-lamps below a plane forming an angle of 5° with and downward from the horizontal plane;

5.2.4. Throughout the fields defined in the diagrams in Part A of Annex 2, the luminous intensity of the light emitted must be not less than 0.05 cd for rear position lamps and end-outline marker lamps,

5.2.5. The colour of light emitted shall be red.

This requirement shall also apply within the range of variable luminous intensity produced by:

- (a) Rear position lamps of category R2;
- (b) Rear end-outline marker lamps of category RM2;

5.3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING PARKING LAMPS (SYMBOLS 77R)

5.3.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	
forward facing parking lamps	2	60	-
rearward facing parking lamps	2	30	-

- 5.3.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp must, in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in Paragraph [2] of Annex 3, be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 5.3.1., multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table for the direction in question.
- 5.3.3. Throughout the fields defined in the diagrams in Part C of Annex 2, the luminous intensity of the light emitted must be not less than 0.05 cd for front and rear parking lamps and end-outline marker lamps;
- 5.3.4. The colour of light emitted shall:
- for forward facing parking lamps be white;
  - for rearward facing parking lamps be red.

5.4. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING DAYTIME RUNNING LAMPS (SYMBOLS RL)

- 5.4.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be as specified in the table below:

in the reference axis not less than the minimum intensity, and not more than the maximum intensity in any direction the lamp is visible :

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	
Daytime running lamps, (steady)	400	1200	-
Daytime running lamps, (variable)	?	?	-

- 5.4.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp must, in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in Paragraph [2] of Annex 3, be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 5.4.1., multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table of the direction in question.
- 5.4.3. Moreover, throughout the field defined in the diagram in Part B of Annex 2, the intensity of the light emitted shall not be less than 1.0 cd.
- 5.4.4. In the case of a daytime running lamp containing more than one light source, the daytime running lamp shall comply with the minimum intensity required and the maximum intensity shall not be exceeded when all light sources are activated.
- 5.4.5. In case of failure of any one light source in a single lamp containing more than one light source, one of the following provisions shall apply:
- The light intensity at the points of standard light distribution defined in Paragraph [6] of Annex 3 shall be at least 80 per cent of the minimum intensity required, or
  - The light intensity in the axis of reference shall be at least 50 per cent of the minimum intensity required, provided that a note in the

communication form states that the lamp is only for use on a vehicle fitted with an operating tell-tale.

- 5.4.6. The colour of the light emitted shall be white.
- 5.4.7. The daytime running lamp shall be subjected to the heat resistance test specified in Annex 6

#### 5.5 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING STOP-LAMPS (SYMBOLS S1, S2, S3, S4 MS)

- 5.5.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be as specified in the table below:

in the reference axis not less than the minimum intensity, and not more than the maximum luminous intensity in any direction the lamp is visible:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	<i>A lamp marked "D" (paragraph 2.3.5.2.2.)</i>
Stop-lamps			
S1 (steady)	60	260	130
S2 (variable)	60	730	365
S3 (steady)	25	110	55
S4 (variable)	25	160	80
MS (steady)	40	185	N.A.

- 5.5.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp shall, in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in Paragraph 2 of Annex 3 (for S1, S2 and MS stop lamps), or Paragraph 3 of Annex 3 (for S3 and S4 stop lamps), be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 4.5.1., multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table of the direction in question.

- 5.5.3. Throughout the fields defined in the diagrams in Part A of Annex 2, the luminous intensity of the light emitted shall be not less than 0.3 cd for stop-lamps;

- 5.5.4. The colour of the light emitted shall be red.

In the case of a category S3 or S4 stop lamp, which is intended to be mounted inside the vehicle, the colorimetric characteristics shall be verified with the worst case combination(s) of lamp and rear window(s) or sample plate(s).

These requirements shall also apply within the range of variable luminous intensity produced by Stop lamps of categories S2 and S4.

#### 5.6 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING DIRECTION-INDICATOR LAMPS (Symbols 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 5, 6, 11, 11a, 11b, 11c, 12)

- 5.6.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be not more than the maximum intensity as specified in the table below in any direction the lamp is visible and:

- a) in the case of direction indicators of categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 11, 11a, 11b, 11c, 12 in the reference axis not less than the minimum intensity, or
- b) in the case of direction indicators of categories 5 or 6 in direction A according to Annex 2 not less than the minimum intensity.

<i>Direction indicator of category</i>	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	<i>A lamp marked "D" (see paragraph 2.3.5.2.2.)</i>
1	175	1000	500
1a	250	1200	600
1b	400	1200	600
2a (steady)	50	500	250
2b (variable)	50	1000	500
5	0.6	280	140
6	50	280	140
11	90	1000	N.A.
11a	175	1000	N.A.
11b	250	1200	N.A.
11c	400	1200	N.A.
12	50	500	N.A.

5.6.2. Outside the reference axis the intensity of the light emitted by each lamp shall, in each direction corresponding to the points in the table of standard light distribution reproduced in

- a) Paragraph [2] of Annex 3 for categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, or
- b) Paragraph [4] of Annex 3 for category 5, or
- c) Paragraph [5] of Annex 3 for category 6,

be not less than the minimum specified in paragraph 4.6.1., multiplied by the percentage specified in the said table of the direction in question.

5.6.3. Failure provisions

For direction-indicator lamps of categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a and 2b a signal for activation of the tell-tale prescribed in paragraph 6.5.8. of Regulation No. 48 shall be produced if (notwithstanding the provisions stated in paragraph 4.6):

- (a) Any one light source has failed, or
- (b) In the case of a lamp designed for only two filament light sources, the intensity in the axis of reference is less than 50 per cent of the minimum intensity, or



- (c) As a consequence of a failure of one or more light sources, the intensity in one of the following directions as indicated in Annex 4 to this Regulation is less than the minimum intensity required:
  - (i)  $H=0^\circ$ ,  $V=0^\circ$
  - (ii)  $H=20^\circ$  to the outside of the vehicle,  $V=+5^\circ$
  - (iii)  $H=10^\circ$  to the inside of the vehicle,  $V=0^\circ$ .

5.6.4. Test procedure:

5.6.4.1. In divergence from paragraphs 3.8.2.3. and 3.8.2.3.1., for category 5 direction indicators, to the rear, a minimum value of 0.6 cd is required throughout the fields specified in Part A of Annex 2;

5.6.5. Throughout the fields defined in the diagrams in Part A of Annex 2, the intensity of the light emitted shall be not less than 0.7 cd for devices of category 1b, not less than 0.3 cd for devices of categories 1, 1a, 2a, 11, 11a, 11b, 11c, 12 and for those of category 2b by day; it shall not be less than 0.07 cd for devices of category 2b by night;

5.6.6. In general the intensities shall be measured with the light source(s) continuously alight.

However, depending on the construction of the device, for example, the use of light-emitting diodes (LED), or the need to take precautions to avoid overheating, it is allowed to measure the lamps in flashing mode.

- a) This shall be achieved by switching with a frequency of  $f = 1.5 \pm 0.5$  Hz with the pulse width greater than 0.3 s, measured at 95 per cent peak light intensity. In all other cases the voltage as required in paragraph 4.3.1. shall be switched with a rise time and fall time shorter than 0.01 s; no overshoot is allowed.
- b) In the case of measurements taken in flashing mode the reported luminous intensity shall be represented by the maximum intensity.

5.6.7. In the case of devices of category 2b the time that elapses between energizing the light source(s) and the light output measured on the reference axis to reach 90 per cent of the value measured in accordance with paragraph 4.4.2.3. shall be measured for the extreme levels of luminous intensity produced by the direction indicator. The time measured to obtain the lowest luminous intensity shall not exceed the time measured to obtain the highest luminous intensity.

5.6.8. The variable intensity control shall not generate signals which cause luminous intensities outside the range specified in paragraph 5.6.1. and exceeding the category 2a maximum specified in paragraph 5.6.1.:

- (a) For systems depending only on daytime and night time conditions: under night time conditions;

- (b) For other systems: under reference conditions as demonstrated by the manufacturer.<sup>2</sup>

5.6.9. The colour of the light emitted shall be amber.

5.6.10. For any direction indicator lamp except those equipped with filament light source(s), the luminous intensities measured after one minute and after 30 minutes of operation in flashing mode ( $f = 1.5$  Hz, duty factor 50 per cent), shall comply with the minimum and maximum requirements. The luminous intensity distribution after one minute of operation can be calculated by applying at each test point the ratio of luminous intensity measured in HV after one minute and after 30 minutes of operation as above described.

5.6.11. For direction indicator lamps of categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 11, 11a, 11b, 11c, 12 the flash may be produced by sequential activation of their light sources if the following conditions are met:

- (a) Each light source, after its activation, shall remain lit until the end of the ON cycle;
- (b) The sequence of activation of the light sources shall proceed in a uniform progressive manner from inboard towards the outboard edge of the apparent surface;
- (c) It shall be one continuous line with no repeating alternation in the vertical direction (e.g. no waves).
- (d) The variation shall finish no more than 200 ms after the beginning of the ON cycle;
- (e) For the orthogonal projection in the direction of the axis of reference of a rectangle, circumscribing the apparent surface of the direction indicator shall have its longer sides parallel to the H-plane, the ratio of the horizontal to the vertical sides shall not be less than 1.7.

Compliance to the conditions mentioned above shall be verified in flashing mode.

5.7. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING SIDE MARKER LAMPS (symbols SM1, SM2)

5.7.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

Side-marker lamp category		SM1	SM2
Minimum intensity	In the axis of reference	4.0 cd	0.6 cd
	Within the specified angular field, other than above	0.6 cd	0.6 cd

<sup>2</sup> Good visibility (meteorological optical range MOR > 2,000 m defined according to WMO, Guide to Meteorological Instruments and Methods of Observation, Sixth Edition, ISBN: 92-63-16008-2, pp 1.9.1/1.9.11, Geneva 1996 ) and clean lens.

Side-marker lamp category		SM1	SM2
Maximum intensity	Within the specified angular field <sup>1</sup>	25.0 cd	25.0 cd
Angular field	Horizontal	±45 deg.	±30 deg.
	Vertical	±10 deg.	±10 deg.

<sup>1</sup> In addition, for red side-marker lamp, in the angular field from 60° to 90° in horizontal direction and ±0° in vertical direction towards the front of the vehicle, the maximum intensity is limited to 0.25 cd.

5.7.2. Outside the reference axis and within the angular fields defined in the diagrams in Part D of Annex 2, the intensity of the light emitted by each of the two side-marker lamps supplied shall:

- a) in each direction corresponding to the points in the light distribution table reproduced in Paragraph 8 of Annex 3, be not less than the product of the minimum specified in paragraph 5.7.1. by the percentage specified in the said table for the direction in question;
- b) in no direction within the space from which the side-marker lamp is visible, exceed the maximum specified in paragraph 5.7.1.

5.7.3. For SM1 and SM2 categories of side-marker lamps it may be sufficient to check only five points selected by the Type Approval Authority.

5.7.4. The colour of the light emitted shall be amber. However it can be red, if the rearmost side-marker lamp is grouped or combined or reciprocally incorporated with the rear position lamp, the rear end-outline marker lamp, the rear fog lamp, the stop lamp, or is grouped with or has part of the light emitting surface in common with the rear retro-reflector.

5.8. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING REVERSING LAMPS (symbols AR)

5.8.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd</i>		
		in or above the h plane	below the h plane, down to 5°D	below 5°D
Reversing lamps	80	300	600	8000

5.8.2. The light intensity at the points of standard light distribution defined in Paragraph 6 of Annex 3

5.8.3. The colour of the light emitted shall be white.

5.9. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING REAR FOG LAMPS (symbols F1, F2)

- 5.9.1. The light emitted by each of the two devices supplied shall be in the reference axis, of not less than the minimum intensity and of not more than the maximum intensity specified below:

	<i>Minimum luminous intensity in cd</i>	<i>Maximum luminous intensity in cd when used as</i>	
		<i>A single lamp</i>	-
F1 rear fog lamps (steady luminous intensity)	150	300	-
F2 rear fog lamps (variable luminous intensity)	150	840	-

- 5.9.2. The light intensity at the points of standard light distribution defined in Paragraph 7 of Annex 3
- 5.9.3. The variable intensity control shall not generate signals which cause luminous intensities outside the range specified in paragraph 5.9.1. and exceeding the category F1 maximum specified in paragraph 5.9.1.:
- (a) for systems depending only on daytime and night time conditions: under night time conditions;
  - (b) for other systems: under standard conditions<sup>3</sup>
- 5.9.4. The apparent surface in the direction of the reference axis shall not exceed 140 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- 5.9.5. The colour of the light emitted shall be red.
- 5.9.6. The rear fog lamp shall be subjected to the test specified in Annex 6.
- 5.10. Technical requirements concerning manoeuvring lamps (symbols ML)
- 5.10.1. The intensity of light emitted shall not exceed 500 cd in all directions in which the light can be observed, when installed in any mounting position specified by the applicant.
- 5.10.2. The device must be so designed that the light emitted directly towards the side, the front or the rear of the vehicle does not exceed 0.5 cd within the angular field as defined below.
- (a) The vertical minimum angle  $\varphi_{\min}$  (in degrees) is:  

$$\varphi_{\min} = \arctan (1\text{-mounting height})/10;$$
where h is mounting height in m
  - (b) The vertical maximum angle  $\varphi_{\max}$  (in degrees) is:  $\varphi_{\max} = \varphi_{\min} + 11.3$
- The measurement shall be limited to a horizontal angle ranging from +90° to -90° with respect to the line which cuts the reference axis and which is perpendicular to the vertical longitudinal plane of the vehicle.

<sup>3</sup> Good visibility (meteorological optical range MOR > 2,000 m defined according to WMO, Guide to Meteorological Instruments and Methods of Observation, Sixth Edition, ISBN: 92-63-16008-2, pp .9.1/1.9.11, Geneva 1996.) and clean lens.

The measurement distance shall be 3.0 m minimum.

5.10.3. The colour of the light emitted shall be white.

5.11. Technical requirements concerning rear registration plate lamps (symbol "L")

The devices for the illumination of rear registration plates shall be so constructed that the whole surface of the plate will be visible within the angles given in Part E of Annex 2.

5.11.1. Measuring procedure

However, the luminance measurements shall be made on a diffuse colourless surface with known diffuse reflection factor<sup>4</sup>. The diffuse colourless surface shall have the dimensions of the registration plate or the dimension exceeding one measuring point. Its centre shall be placed in the centre of the positions of the measuring points.

This diffuse colourless surface(s) shall be placed in the position normally occupied by the registration plate and 2 mm in front of its holder.

Luminance measurements shall be made perpendicularly to the surface of the diffuse colourless surface with the tolerance of 5° in each direction at the points shown in Paragraph 9 Annex 3, each point representing a circular area of 25 mm in diameter. The measured luminance shall be corrected for the diffuse reflection factor 1.0.

5.11.2. Photometric characteristics

At each of the points of measurement shown in Paragraph 9 Annex 3, the luminance B shall be at least equal to 2.5 cd/m<sup>2</sup>.

The gradient of the luminance between the values B<sub>1</sub> and B<sub>2</sub>, measured at any two points 1 and 2 selected from among those mentioned above, shall not exceed 2 x B<sub>0</sub>/cm, B<sub>0</sub> being the minimum luminance measured at the various points, i.e.:

$$\frac{B_2 - B_1}{\text{distance 1 - 2 in cm}} \leq 2 \times B_0/\text{cm}$$

5.11.3. The colour of the light emitted shall be white.

## 6. Transitional Provisions

This section is reserved for future use


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<sup>4</sup> CIE Publication No.17 –1970, paragraph 45-20-040

# Annex 1

## Communication

(Maximum format: A4 (210 x 297 mm))

	issued by:	Name of Administration: ..... ..... ..... .....
Concerning <sup>2</sup> :		Approval granted Approval extended Approval refused Approval withdrawn Production definitively discontinued
of a type of device pursuant to Regulation No. <b>NEW2</b> (4, 6, 7, 23, 38, 50, 77, 87, 91, 119)		
Device <sup>2</sup> :	Rear-registration plate illuminating device Direction indicator Stop lamp Position lamp End-outline marker lamp Reversing lamp Manoeuvring lamp Rear fog lamp Parking lamp Daytime running lamp Side marker lamp Cornering lamp	for a vehicle / motorcycle

<sup>1</sup> Distinguishing number of the country which has granted/extended/refused/withdrawn approval (see approval provisions in the Regulation)

<sup>2</sup> Strike out what does not apply.

Approval No:		Extension No:	
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1. Trade name or mark of the device: .....
2. Manufacturer's name for the type of device: .....
3. Manufacturer's name and address: .....
4. If applicable, name and address of the manufacturer's representative: .....  
.....
5. Submitted for approval on: .....
6. Technical Service responsible for conducting approval tests: .....
7. Date of report issued by that Service: .....
8. Number of report issued by that Service: .....
9. Concise description:
  - 9.1. In case of
    - 9.1.1. A rear-registration plate illuminating device<sup>1</sup>:  
Illuminating a: tall plate/wide plate/agricultural or forestry plate  
Geometrical conditions of installation (position(s) and inclination(s) of the device in relation to the space to be occupied by the registration plate and/or different inclinations of this space): .....
    - 9.1.2. A direction indicator:  
The category<sup>2</sup>: 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 5, 6, 11, 11a, 11b, 12  
Number, category:.....  
Sequential activation of light sources: yes/no<sup>2</sup>
    - 9.1.3. A reversing lamp:  
In the case of a reversing lamp, this device shall be installed on a vehicle only as part of a pair of devices: yes/no<sup>2</sup>
    - 9.1.4. A manoeuvring lamp:  
The maximum mounting height: .....
  - 9.2. By category of lamp:  
For mounting either outside or inside or both<sup>2</sup>  
Colour of light emitted: red/white/amber/colourless<sup>2</sup>  
Number, category and kind of light source(s): .....  
Voltage and wattage: .....  
Light source module: yes/no<sup>2</sup>  
Light source module specific identification code: .....  
Only for installation on M<sub>1</sub> and/or N<sub>1</sub> category vehicles: yes/no<sup>2</sup>  
Only for limited mounting height of equal to or less than 750 mm above the ground, if applicable: yes/no<sup>2</sup>.....

Geometrical conditions of installation and relating variations, if any: .....

Application of an electronic light source control gear/variable intensity control:

(a) Being part of the lamp: yes/no<sup>2</sup>

(b) Being not part of the lamp: yes/no<sup>2</sup>

Input voltage(s) supplied by an electronic light source control gear/variable intensity control: .....

Electronic light source control gear/variable intensity control manufacturer and identification number (when the light source control gear is part of the lamp but is not included into the lamp body): .....

Variable luminous intensity, if applicable: yes/no<sup>2</sup>

Function(s) produced by an interdependent lamp forming part of an interdependent lamp system, if applicable: .....

10. Position of the approval mark: .....

11. Reason(s) for extension (if applicable): .....

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12. Approval granted/extended/refused/withdrawn<sup>2</sup>: .....

13. Place: .....

14. Date: .....

15. Signature: .....

16. The list of documents deposited with the Type Approval Authority which has granted approval is annexed to this communication and may be obtained on request.

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## Annex 2

### Light distribution in space, horizontal and vertical

The angles shown in these arrangements are correct for devices to be mounted on the right side of the vehicle.

#### Part A: Front and rear position, end-outline marker, stop, front and rear direction indicators, daytime running and front and rear parking lamps

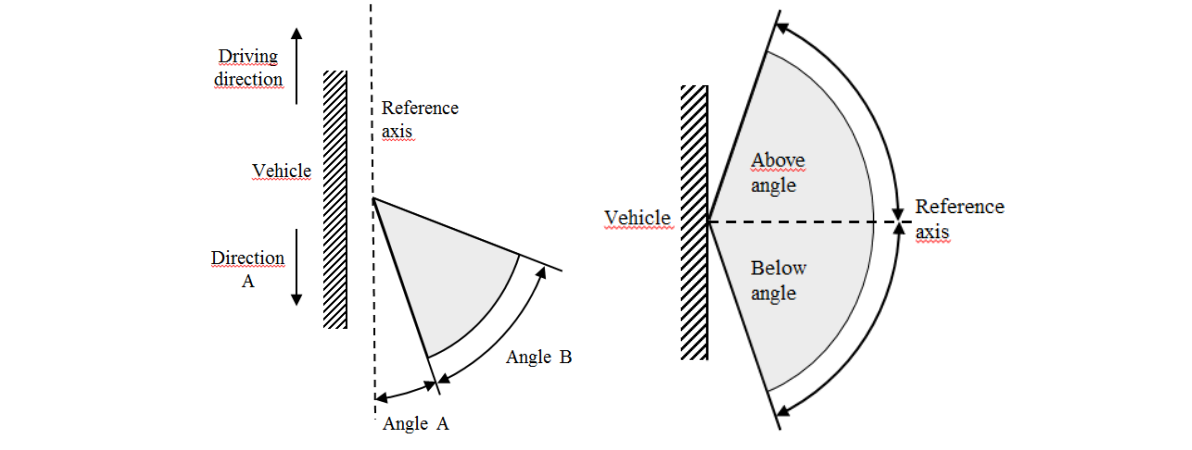
Device	Additional information	Min. horizontal angles (inboard/outboard)	Min. vertical angles (above/below)
- Front position (A) - Front position (MA) when used as a pair - Front direction indicator (1, 1a, 1b)	- On and above the H-plane for all lamps. - Below the H-plane for lamps intended for M <sub>2</sub> or M <sub>3</sub> vehicles - For M1 and N1 vehicles on and above 750 mm	45° / 80°	15° / 15° 15° / 5° <sup>3</sup> 5° / 15° <sup>4</sup>
- Front position (A)	Below the H-plane for M <sub>1</sub> vehicles when mounted with the H-plane below 750 mm	20° / 80°	
- Front direction indicator (1, 1a, 1b)	Below the H-plane for M <sub>1</sub> and N <sub>1</sub> vehicles when mounted with the H-plane below 750 mm	20° / 80°	
Front position (MA) when used solitary	-	80° / 80°	
- Front end-outline marker (AM) - Rear end-outline marker (RM1, RM2)	-	0° / 80°	

<sup>3</sup> For lamps intended to be installed with the H-plane of the lamp at a mounting height of less than 750 mm above the ground, for which they are 15° above and 5° below the horizontal;

<sup>4</sup> Optional lamps intended to be installed with the H-plane of the lamp at a mounting height of more than 2100 mm above the ground, for which they are 5° above and 15° below the horizontal;

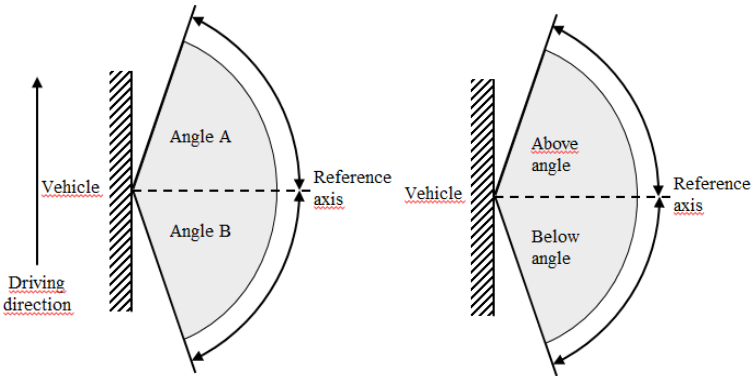
- Rear position			
- Rear direction indicator (2a, 2b)		45° / 80°	
- Rear position			
- Rear direction indicator (2a, 2b)	Under the H plane for M <sub>1</sub> or N <sub>1</sub> vehicles	20° / 80°	
- Front facing parking			
- Rear facing parking		0° / 45°	
Stop (S1, S2)		45° / 45°	
Stop (S1, S2)	Under the H plane for M <sub>1</sub> or N <sub>1</sub> vehicles	20° / 45°	
Stop (S3, S4)		10° / 10°	10° / 5°
Daytime running		20° / 20°	10° / 5°

### Part B: Side direction indicators and side parking lamps

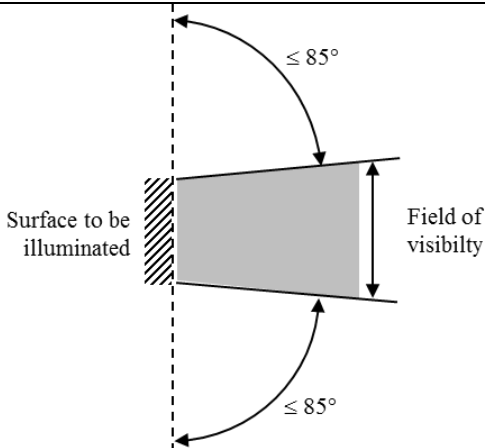
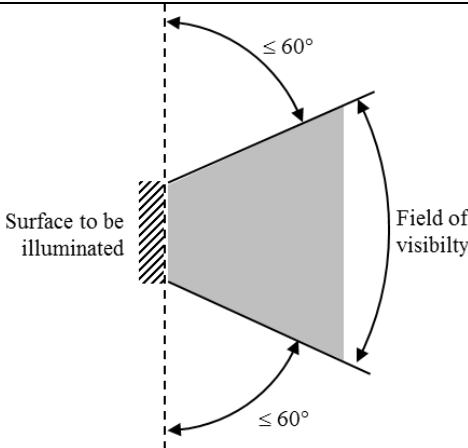
			
Device	Additional information	Horizontal angles (A/B)	Min. vertical angles (above/below)
Side direction indicators (5)	-	Max. 5° / Min. 55°	15° / 15°
Side direction indicators (6)	-	Max. 5° / Min. 55°	30° / 5°
Side parking	-	Max. 0° / Min. 45°	15° / 15° 15° / 5° <sup>5</sup>

<sup>5</sup> For lamps intended to be installed with the H-plane of the lamp at a mounting height of less than 750 mm above the ground, for which they are 15° above and 5° below the horizontal

### Part C: Side marker lamps

			
Device	Additional information	Min. horizontal angles (A/B)	Min. vertical angles (above/below)
Side marker (SM1)	-	45° / 45°	10° / 10°
Side marker (SM2)	-	30° / 30°	10° / 10°

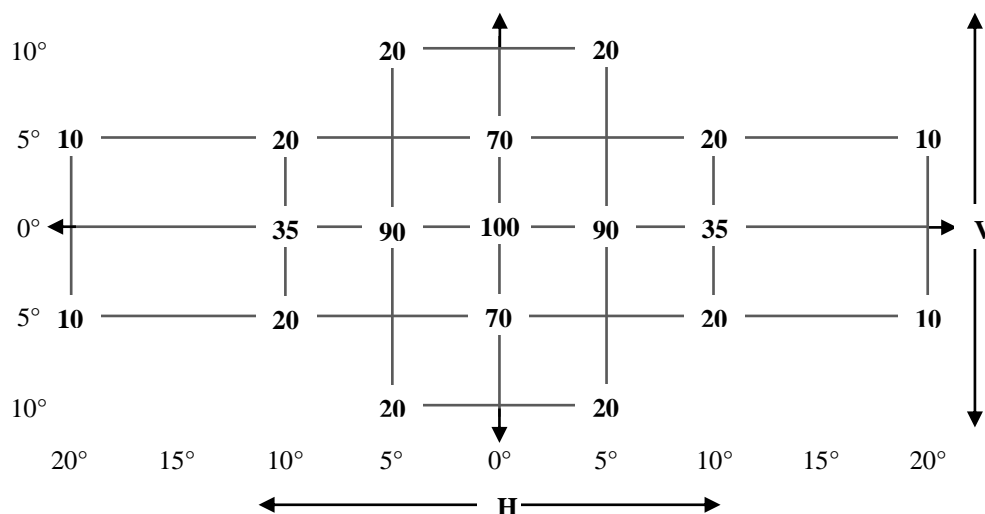
### Part D: Rear registration plate lamps, field of visibility

	
<b>Vertical section</b>	<b>Horizontal section</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The field-of-visibility angles shown above relate only to the relative positions of the illuminating device and the space for the registration plate.</li><li>2. The field of visibility of the registration plate when mounted on the vehicle remains subject to the relevant national regulations.</li><li>3. The angles shown take account of the partial occultation caused by the illuminating device. They must be adhered to in the directions in which there is most occultation. The illuminating devices must be such as to reduce the areas partly occulted to the minimum strictly necessary.</li></ol>	

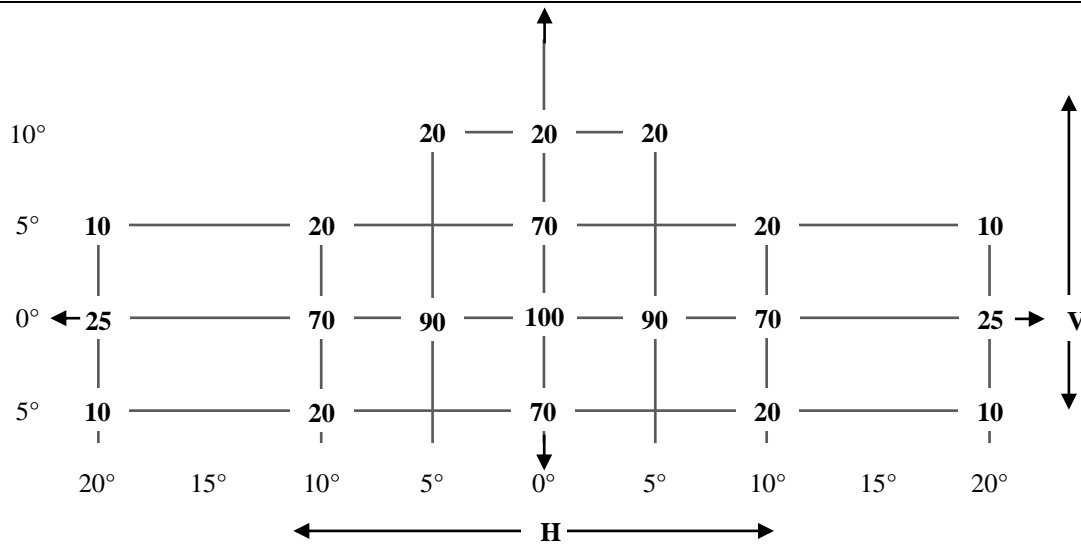
## Annex 3

### Standard light distributions

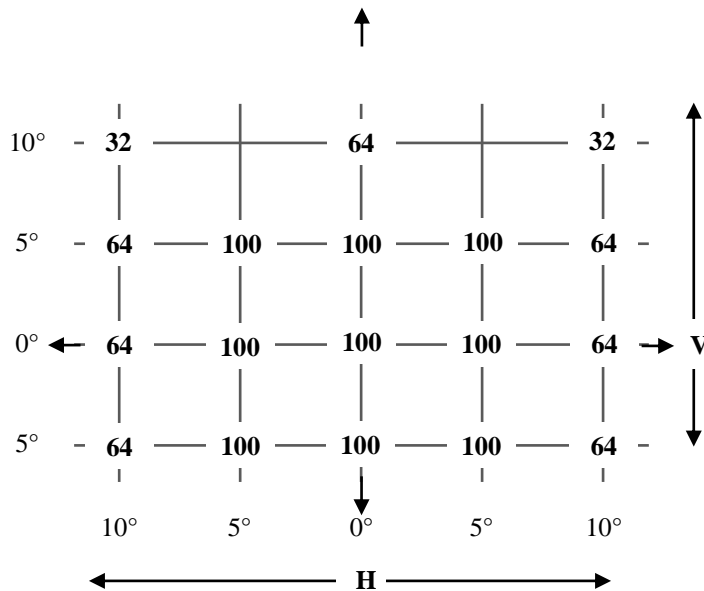
1. If not otherwise specified:
  - 1.1. The direction  $H = 0^\circ$  and  $V = 0^\circ$  corresponds to the reference axis. (On the vehicle, it is horizontal, parallel to the median longitudinal plane of the vehicle and oriented in the required direction of visibility.) It passes through the centre of reference. The values shown in the tables give, for the various directions of measurement, the minimum intensities as a percentage of the minimum intensities required.
  - 1.2. Within the field of light distribution schematically shown as a grid, the light pattern should be substantially uniform, i.e. the light intensity in each direction of a part of the field formed by the grid lines shall meet at least the lowest minimum value being shown on the grid lines surrounding the questioned direction as a percentage.
2. Standard light distribution
  - 2.1 Standard light distribution for front and rear position lamps, stop lamps (S1, S2 and MS) and direction indicator lamps of categories 1, 1a, 1b, 2a, 2b, 11, 11a, 11b, 11c, 12.



- 2.1 Standard light distribution for Daytime Running Lamps

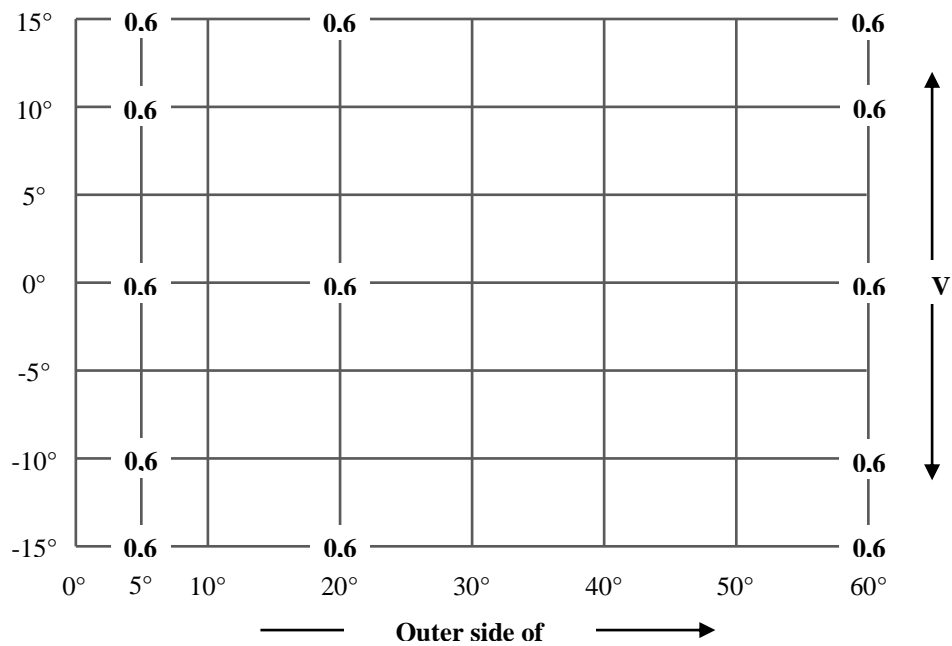


2.2 Standard light distribution for category S3 and S4 stop-lamp



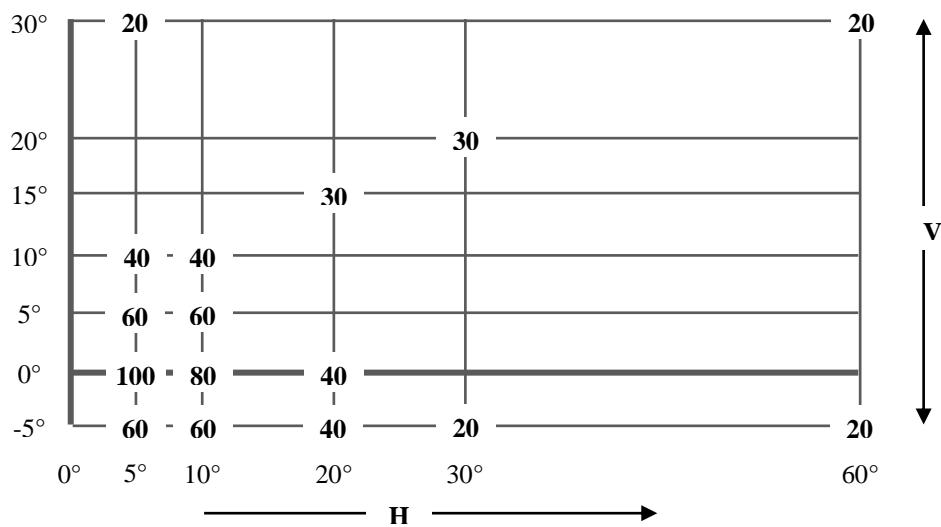
2.3 Standard light distribution for direction indicators of category 5

The reference axis,  $H = 0^\circ$  and  $V = 0^\circ$ , corresponds to the direction A as prescribed in Annex 2



2.4 Standard light distribution for direction indicators of category 6

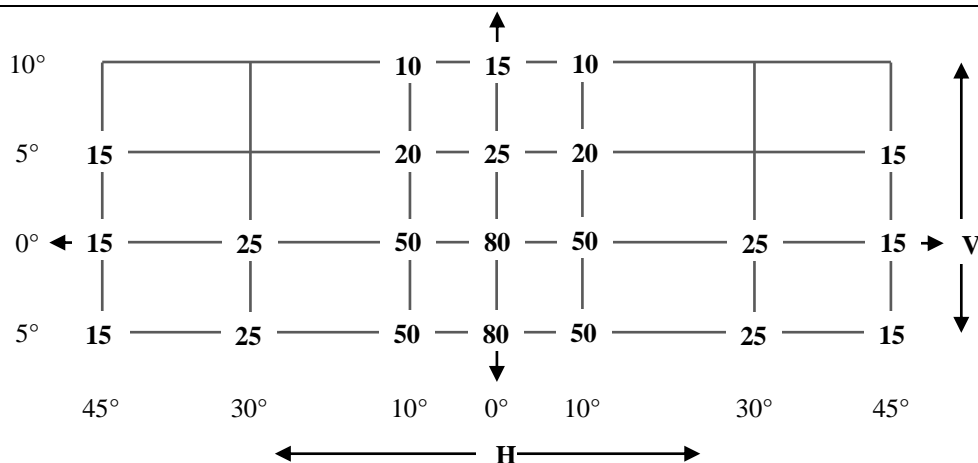
The reference axis,  $H = 5^\circ$  and  $V = 0^\circ$ , corresponds to the direction A as prescribed in Annex 2



(outer side of the vehicle)

2.5 Standard light distribution for reversing lamps

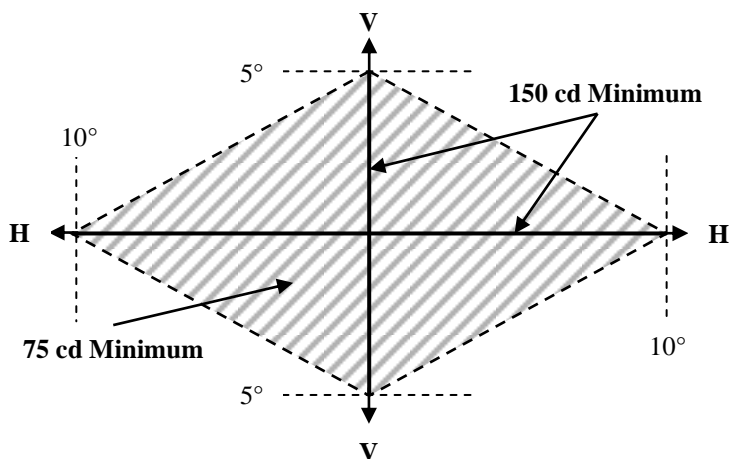
The measuring points expressed in degrees of angle with the axis of reference and values of the minimum intensities of the light emitted.



The values inside the table are in cd.

The directions  $H = 0^\circ$  and  $V = 0^\circ$  correspond to the axis of reference. On the vehicle they are horizontal, parallel to the median longitudinal plane of the vehicle and oriented in the required direction of visibility. They pass through the centre of reference. The values shown in the table give, for the various directions of measurement, the minimum intensities in cd.

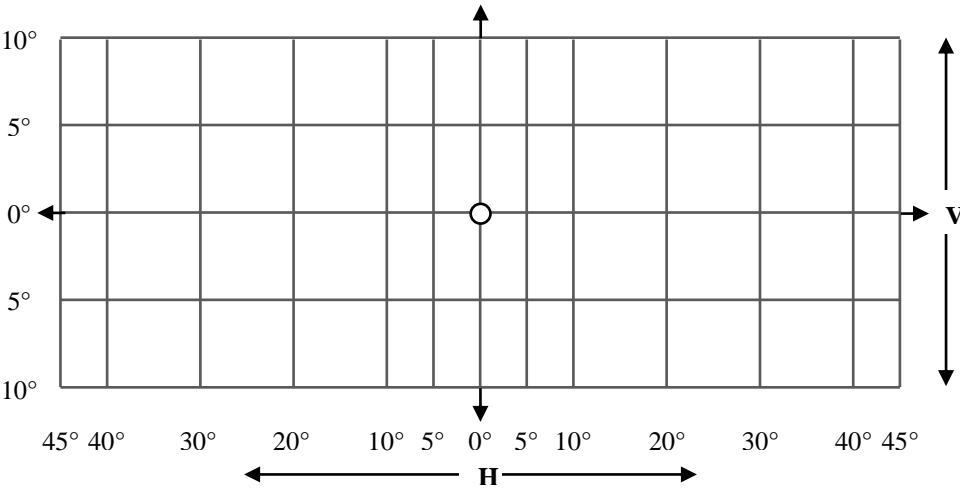
## 2.6 Standard light distribution for rear fog lamps



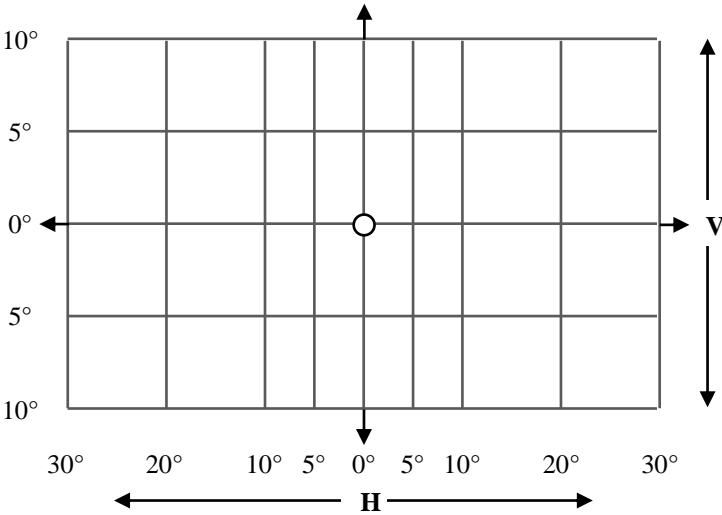
If visual examination of a light appears to reveal substantial local variations of intensity, a check shall be made to ensure that, outside the axes, no intensity measured within the rhombus defined by the extreme directions of measurement is below 75 cd (see diagram above).

## 2.7. Standard light distribution for side-marker lamps :

### 2.7.1. SM1 category of side-marker lamps



2.7.2. SM2 category of side-marker lamps



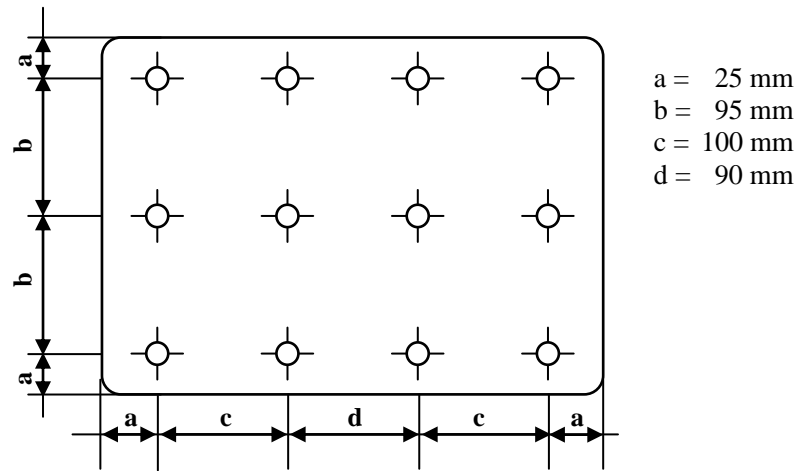
2.7.3. SM1 and SM2 category of side-marker lamps

For SM1 and SM2 category of side-marker lamps it may be sufficient to check only five points selected by the Type Approval Authority.

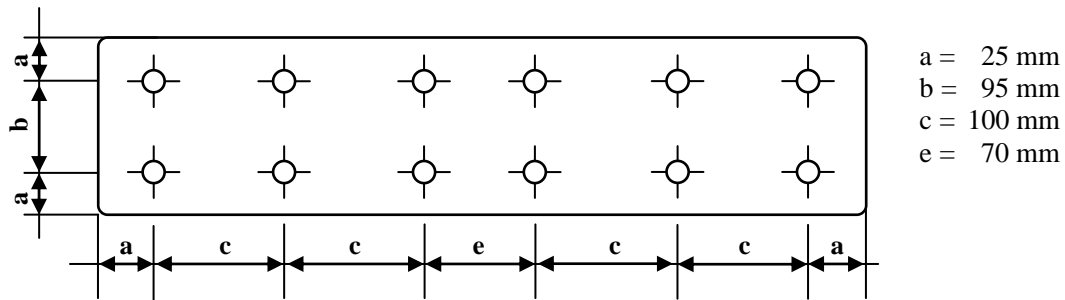


3. Measurement points for rear registration plate lamps

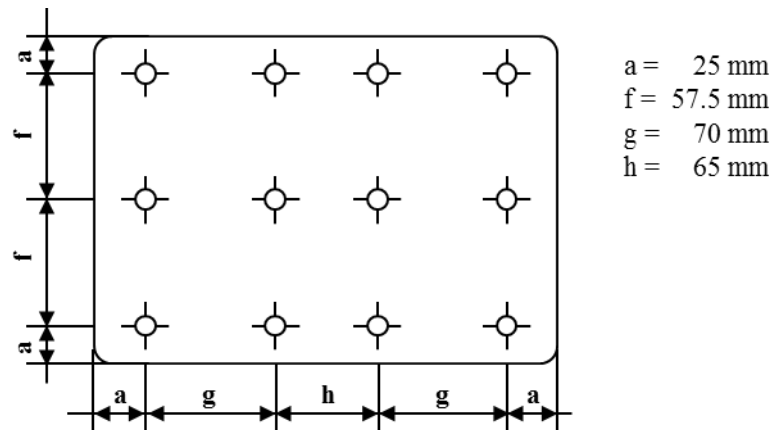
3.1 Category 1a - tall plate (340 x 240 mm)



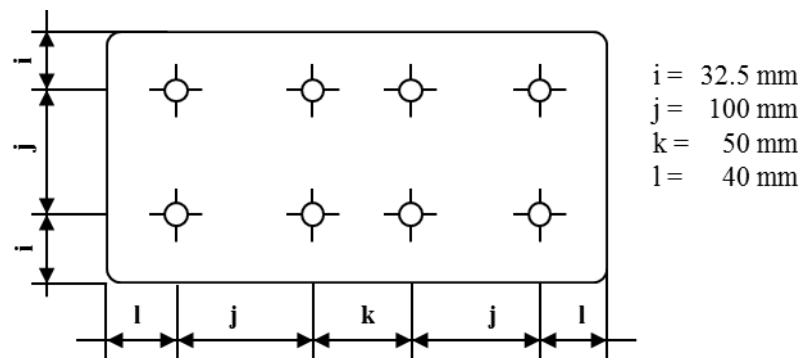
3.2 Category 1b - wide plate (520 x 120 mm)



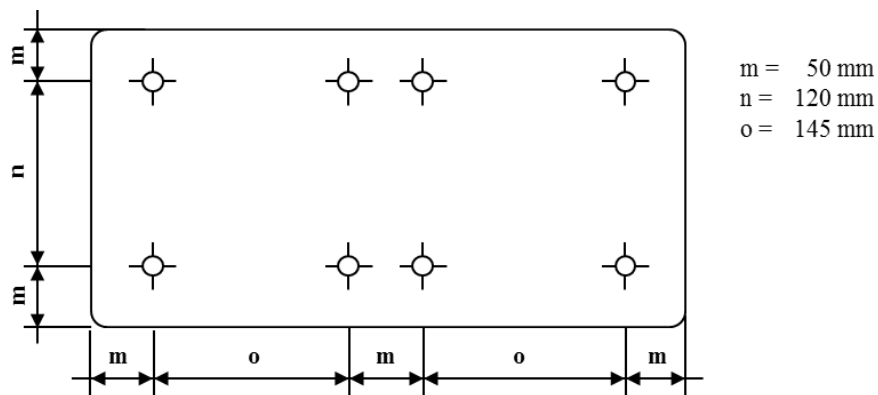
3.3. Category 1c - plate for agricultural or forestry tractors (255 x 165 mm)



3.4. Category 2a - small plate (330 x 165 mm)

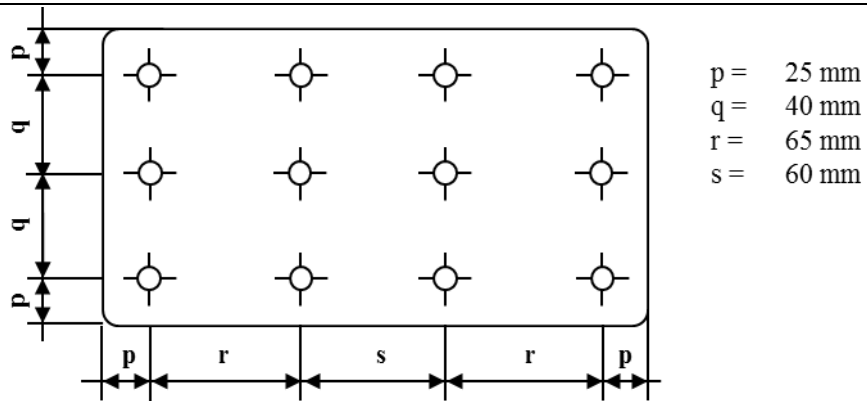


3.5. Category 2b – wide plate (440 x 220 mm)

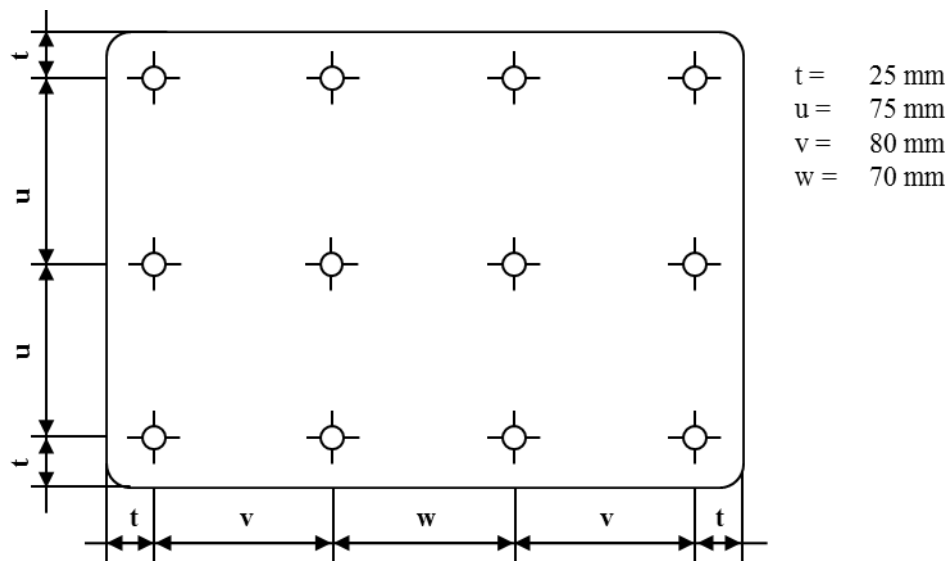


*Note:* In the case of devices for illuminating two or all of the plates, the measurement points used are obtained by combining the corresponding drawings above in accordance with the outline indicated by the make or manufacturer; however, if two measurement points are less than 30 mm apart, only one shall be used.

3.6. Category 1 (240 x 130 mm) for vehicles of class L



3.7. Category 2 (280 x 200 mm) for vehicles of class L



## Annex 4

### Minimum requirements for conformity of production control procedures

#### 1. General

1.1 The conformity requirements shall be considered satisfied from a mechanical and geometric standpoint, if the differences do not exceed inevitable manufacturing deviations within the requirements of this Regulation.

1.2 With respect to photometric performances, the conformity of mass-produced lamps shall not be contested if, when testing photometric performances of any lamp chosen at random according to paragraph 3.7 of this Regulation.

1.2.1 No measured value deviates unfavourably by more than 20% from the values prescribed in this Regulation

For the minimum values required throughout the fields specified in Annexes 2 and 3 the respective maximum deviations of the measured values shall correspond to the values shown in the table below:

Required minimum value	Equivalent 20 per cent	Equivalent 30 per cent
cd	cd	cd
0,7	0,5	0,3
0,6	0,4	0,2
0,3	0,2	0,1
0,07	0,05	0,03
0,05	0,03	0,02

1.2.1.1. For rear registration plate lamps:

With respect to the gradient of luminance the unfavourable deviation shall be:

2.5 x Bo/cm	comparable to	20 per cent
3.0 x Bo/cm	comparable to	30 per cent

1.2.2 If, in the case of a lamp equipped with a replaceable light source and if results of the test described above do not meet the requirements, tests on lamps shall be repeated using another standard light source.

1.3 The chromaticity coordinates shall be complied with when tested under conditions of paragraph 3.7 of this Regulation.

1.4. In the case of non-replaceable filament light source(s) or light source module(s) equipped with non-replaceable filament light source, at any conformity of production check:

1.4.1. the holder of the approval mark shall demonstrate the use in normal production and show the identification of the non-replaceable filament light source(s) as indicated in the type approval documentation;

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- 1.4.2. in the case where doubt exists in respect to compliance of the non-replaceable filament light source(s) with lifetime requirements and/or, in the case of colour coated filament light sources, with colour endurance requirements, as specified in paragraph 2.11 of IEC 60809, Edition 3, conformity shall be checked as specified in paragraph 2.11 of IEC 60809, Edition 3.
2. Minimum requirements for verification of conformity by the manufacturer
- For each type of lamp the holder of the approval mark shall carry out at least the following tests, at appropriate intervals. The tests shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation.
- If any sampling shows non-conformity with regard to the type of test concerned, further samples shall be taken and tested. The manufacturer shall take steps to ensure the conformity of the production concerned.
- 2.1 Nature of tests
- Tests of conformity in this Regulation shall cover the photometric and colorimetric characteristics.
- 2.2 Methods used in tests
- 2.2.1 Tests shall generally be carried out in accordance with the methods set out in this Regulation.
- 2.2.2 In any test of conformity carried out by the manufacturer, equivalent methods may be used with the consent of the competent authority responsible for approval tests. The manufacturer is responsible for proving that the applied methods are equivalent to those laid down in this Regulation.
- 2.2.3 The application of paragraphs 2.2.1 and 2.2.2 requires regular calibration of test apparatus and its correlation with measurements made by a competent authority.
- 2.2.4 In all cases the reference methods shall be those of this Regulation, particularly for the purpose of administrative verification and sampling.
- 2.3 Nature of sampling
- Samples of lamps shall be selected at random from the production of a uniform batch. A uniform batch means a set of lamps of the same type, defined according to the production methods of the manufacturer.
- The assessment shall in general cover series production from individual factories. However, a manufacturer may group together records concerning the same type from several factories, provided these operate under the same quality system and quality management.
- 2.4 Measured and recorded photometric and colorimetric characteristics
- The sampled lamp shall be subjected to photometric measurements for the minimum values at the points listed in Annex 3. and the required chromaticity coordinates.
- 2.5 Criteria governing acceptability
- The manufacturer is responsible for carrying out a statistical study of the test results and for defining, in agreement with the competent authority, criteria governing the acceptability of his products in order to meet the requirements laid down for verification of conformity of products in paragraph 2.5.1 of this Regulation .

The criteria governing the acceptability shall be such that, with a confidence level of 95%, the minimum probability of passing a spot check in accordance with Annex 5 (first sampling) would be 0.95.

## Annex 5

### Minimum requirements for sampling by an inspector

1. General provisions
  - 1.1. The conformity requirements shall be considered satisfied from a mechanical and a geometric standpoint, in accordance with the requirements of this Regulation, if any, if the differences do not exceed inevitable manufacturing deviations.
  - 1.2. With respect to photometric performance, the conformity of mass-produced lamps shall not be contested if, when testing the photometric performances as set forth in Paragraph 3.7 of this Regulation of any lamp chosen at random:
    - (a) No measured value deviates from the values prescribed in Paragraph 1.2.1. in Annex 4 .
    - (b) If, in the case of a lamp equipped with a replaceable light source and if results of the test described above do not meet the requirements, tests on lamps shall be repeated using another standard light source.
  - 1.3. Lamps with apparent defects are disregarded.
  - 1.4. The chromaticity coordinates shall be complied when tested under conditions of paragraph 3.7. of this Regulation.
2. First sampling

Four lamps are selected at random. The first sample of two is marked A, the second sample of two is marked B.

  - 2.1. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall not be contested if the deviation of any specimen of samples A and B (all four lamps) is not more than 20 per cent.

In the case, that the deviation of both lamps of sample A is not more than 0 per cent the measurement can be terminated.
  - 2.2. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall be contested if the deviation of at least one specimen of samples A or B is more than 20 per cent.

The manufacturer shall be requested to bring his production in line with the requirements (alignment) and a repeated sampling according to paragraph 3 shall be carried out within two months' time after the notification. The samples A and B shall be retained by the Technical Service until the entire COP process is finished.
3. First repeated sampling

A sample of four lamps, is selected at random from stock manufactured after alignment. The first sample of two is marked C, the second sample of two is marked D.

  - 3.1. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall not be contested if the deviation of any specimen of samples C and D (all four lamps) is not more than 20 per cent.

In the case, that the deviation of both lamps of sample C is not more than 0 per cent the measurement can be terminated.

- 3.2. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall be contested if the deviation of at least one specimen of samples C or D is:
  - 3.2.1. More than 20 per cent but the deviation of all specimen of these samples is not more than 30 per cent.

The manufacturer shall be requested again to bring his production in line with the requirements (alignment).

A second repeated sampling according to paragraph 4 shall be carried out within two months' time after the notification. The samples C and D shall be retained by the Technical Service until the entire COP process is finished.
  - 3.2.2. One specimen of samples C or D is more than 30 per cent. In this case the approval shall be withdrawn and paragraph 5 shall be applied.
- 4. Second repeated sampling

A sample of four lamps is selected at random from stock manufactured after alignment. The first sample of two is marked E, the second sample of two is marked F.

  - 4.1. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall not be contested if the deviation of any specimen of samples E and F (all four lamps) is not more than 20 per cent. In the case, that the deviation of both lamps of sample E is not more than 0 per cent the measurement can be terminated.
  - 4.2. The conformity of mass-produced lamps shall be contested if the deviation of at least one specimen of samples E or F is more than 20 per cent. In this case the approval shall be withdrawn and paragraph 5 shall be applied.
- 5. Approval withdrawn

As required according to paragraphs 4.1. and 4.2., approval shall be withdrawn according to paragraph 2.7 of this Regulation.



## Annex 6

### Heat resistance test for rear fog lamps and daytime running lamps

- 1.1. The lamp shall be subjected to a one-hour test of continuous operation following a warm-up period of 20 minutes. The ambient temperature shall be  $23\text{ °C} \pm 5\text{ °C}$ . The light source used shall be a light source of the category specified for the lamp, and shall be supplied with a current at a voltage such that it gives the specified average power at the corresponding test voltage. However, for lamps equipped with non-replaceable light sources (filament light sources and other), the test shall be made with the light sources present in the lamp, in accordance with paragraph 3.7 of this Regulation.
- 1.2. Where only the maximum power is specified, the test shall be carried out by regulating the voltage to obtain a power equal to 90 per cent of the specified power. The specified average or maximum power referred to above shall in all cases be chosen from the voltage range of 6, 12 or 24 V at which it reaches the highest value; for lamps equipped with non-replaceable light sources the test conditions set in paragraph 3.7 of this Regulation shall be applied.
- 1.3. After the lamp has been stabilized at the ambient temperature, no distortion, deformation, cracking or colour modification shall be perceptible. In case of doubt the intensity of light shall be measured according to paragraph 4 of this Regulation. At that measurement the values shall reach at least 90 per cent of the values obtained before the heat resistance test on the same device.