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DRAFT PROPOSAL FOR AMENDMENTS TO REGULATION No. 6

(Direction indicators)

Transmitted by the expert from the Working Party "Brussels 1952" (GTB)

Note: The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from GTB, in order to insert into Regulation No. 6 additional provisions which would allow testing of direction indicators incorporating multiple light sources with regard to the activation of the operating tell-tale prescribed in Regulation No. 48. The modifications to the current text of the Regulation are marked in **bold** characters.

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A. PROPOSAL

Insert a new paragraph 2.2.4., to read:

"2.2.4. For a direction indicator equipped with more than one light source (including those specified in paragraph (i) of footnote 3 to paragraph 6.1. of this Regulation), information regarding the activation criteria for the operating tell-tale (see paragraph 6.5.8. of Regulation No. 48);"

Paragraph 2.2.4. (former), renumber as paragraph 2.2.5.

Paragraph 6.1., footnote 3, delete paragraph (ii) and renumber the former paragraph (iii) as paragraph (ii).

Annex 2

Item 9., add at the end:

**"For direction indicators equipped with more than one light source:
Activation criteria for the operating tell-tale:" "**

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B. JUSTIFICATION

This proposal to amend Regulation No. 6 is a consequence of the proposal to insert into Regulation No. 48 new provisions in order to cover the activation of the operating tell-tale for direction indicators with multiple light sources. This issue has been addressed by GRE at several instances, and a proposal regarding footnote 3 to paragraph 6.1. was adopted at the forty-sixth session. However, it was recognized that this solution only covers lamps designed for two light sources and it should be replaced by a general approach which covers lamps with more than one light source.
