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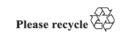
Proposal for Supplement 20 to the 01 series of amendments to Regulation No. 53 and for Supplement 2 to the 02 series of amendments to Regulation No. 53 (Installation of lighting and light-signalling devices for L₃ vehicles)

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The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from IMMA with the aim to align the text of Regulation No. 53 with Regulation No. 48, and to correct a mistake in the past amendment process. The modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new or strikethrough for deleted characters.

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^{*} In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2016–2017 (ECE/TRANS/254, para. 159 and ECE/TRANS/2016/28/Add.1, cluster 3.1), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update Regulations in order to enhance the performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

I. Proposal

Paragraph 6.3.7., to be deleted:

"6.3.7. May not be "reciprocally incorporated" with any other lamp, except amber front position lamp."

Paragraphs 6.3.8. to 6.3.9.4. (former), renumber as paragraphs 6.3.7. to 6.3.8.4., respectively.

II. Justification

- 1. This proposal aims to align the text of Regulation No. 53 with Regulation No. 48, and to correct a mistake in the past amendment process.
- 2. A similar proposal (ECE/TRANS/GRE/2010/22) to delete paragraph 6.3.7., among other paragraphs, was adopted at the sixty-third session of the Working Party on Lighting and Light-Signalling (GRE) and entered into force as Supplement 12 to the 01 series of amendments.
- 3. In parallel to this process, another proposal ECE/TRANS/GRE/2009/67 was also under consideration, including an amendment to paragraph 6.3.7. to allow amber front position lamps. This proposal was adopted at the sixty-fourth session of GRE and entered into force as Supplement 13. Thus, although paragraph 6.3.7. had already been deleted by Supplement 12, it was inadvertently reinstated by Supplement 13.

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