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Proposal for an amendment to Regulation No. 54 (Tyres for Commercial Vehicles and their Trailers)

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The text reproduced below was prepared by the experts from the European Tyre and Rim Technical Organisation (ETRTO) amending the tyre marking requirements of Regulation No. 54. The modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new or strikethrough for deleted characters.

* In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2012–2016 (ECE/TRANS/224, para. 94 and ECE/TRANS/2012/12, programme activity 02.4), 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 2.17.1.3.1., amend to read:

"2.17.1.3.1. The values of the "d" symbols expressed in millimetres are shown below:

<i>Nominal rim diameter code ("d" symbol)</i>	<i>Value of the "d" symbol expressed in mm</i>
8	203
9	229
10	254
11	279
12	305
13	330
14	356
15	381
16	406
17	432
18	457
19	482 483
20	508
21	533
22	559
24	610
25	635
14.5	368
16.5	419
17.5	445
19.5	495
20.5	521
22.5	572
24.5	622
26	660
28	711
30	762

"

II. Justification

The value of the rim diameter is calculated by multiplying the rim diameter code by 25.4 and rounding to the nearest integer. For the code 19 rim: Round(482.6) = 483.
