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1958 AGREEMENT

Consideration of draft amendments to existing Regulations

Proposal for Supplement 18 to the 01 series of amendments to Regulation No. 6
(Direction indicators)

Submitted by the Working Party on Lighting and Light-Signalling (GRE) */

The text reproduced below was adopted by GRE at its sixtieth session. It is based on ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2008/51, not amended. It is submitted to WP.29 and AC.1 for consideration (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/GRE/60, para. 26).

*/ In accordance with the programme of work of the Inland Transport Committee for 2006-2010 (ECE/TRANS/166/Add.1, programme activity 02.4), the World Forum will develop, harmonize and update Regulations in order to enhance performance of vehicles. The present document is submitted in conformity with that mandate.

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Annex 1, amend to read:

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(iii) direction indicator lamps of Category 6, for which they are 30° above and 5° below the horizontal.
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Minimum horizontal visibility angles

Direction indicators for the front of the vehicle

- **Category 1**: for use at a distance not less than 40 mm from the headlamp;
- **Category 1a**: for use at a distance greater than 20 mm but less than 40 mm from the headlamp;
- **Category 1b**: for use at a distance less than 20 mm from the headlamp.

On and above the H plane for all lamps.

Under the H plane for lamps intended for M₂, M₃ or N₂ category of vehicles

Under the H plane for M₁ and N₁ category of vehicles

H plane: "horizontal plane going through the reference centre of the lamp"

Categories 2a and 2b: direction indicator…"
Annex 2.

Item 9, amend to read:

"9 Concise description

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Light source module specific identification code:..............................................................
Only for installation on M_1 and/or N_1 category vehicles: yes/ no 2/
Only for limited mounting height of equal to or less than 750 mm above the ground: yes/ no 2/

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