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Item 4.2.3 of the provisional agenda

**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).

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\*/ 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.

Annex 1, amend to read:

".....

- (ii) direction indicator lamps of Category 6, for which they are 30° above and 5° below the horizontal.

Minimum horizontal visibility angles

Direction indicators for the front of the vehicle

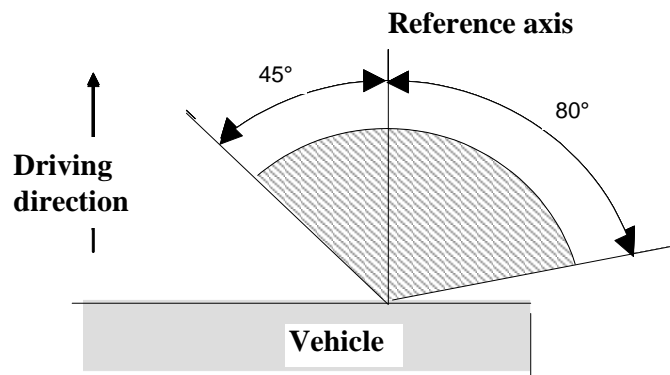
Category 1: for use at a distance not less than 40 mm from the headlamp;

Category 1a: for use at a distance greater than 20 mm but less than 40 mm from the headlamp;

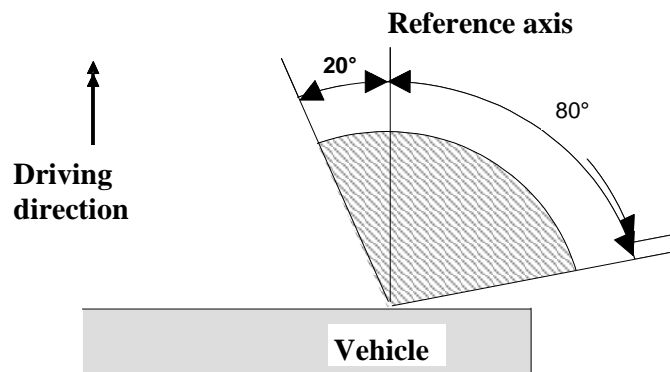
Category 1b: for use at a distance less than 20 mm from the headlamp.

On and above the H plane  
for all lamps.

Under the H plane for  
lamps intended for M<sub>2</sub>, M<sub>3</sub>  
or N<sub>2</sub> category of vehicles



Under the H plane for  
M<sub>1</sub> and N<sub>1</sub> 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  
              .....  
              Light source module specific identification code:.....  
              Only for installation on M<sub>1</sub> and/or N<sub>1</sub> 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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