Proposal for Supplement 1 to the 01 series of amendments

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The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from the Working Party “Brussels 1952” (GTB) in order to overcome interpretational problems that have been identified by the test laboratories. The modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new or strikethrough for deleted characters.

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I. Proposal

Paragraphs 5.3 to 5.3.2., amend to read:

“5.3. Replaceable and non-replaceable light sources and LED modules:
5.3.1. The system shall be equipped with one or a combination of:
5.3.1.1. light sources that are approved according to Regulation No. 37 and their series of amendments in force at the time of application for type approval and for which no restriction on the use is made;
5.3.1.2. light sources that are approved according to Regulation No. 99;
5.3.1.3. LED module(s).
5.3.2. If a light source is replaceable:
5.3.2.1. The lamp holder shall conform to the characteristics given on the data sheet of IEC Publication No. 60061, as referred to in the relevant light source Regulation.
5.3.2.2. The design of the device shall be such that the filament lamp can be fixed in no other position but the correct one.
5.3.3. The class C (basic) passing beam shall be equipped only with replaceable light sources or LED modules.”

II. Justification

This paragraph has been completely restructured and editorially improved to overcome interpretation problems that have been identified by the test laboratories.