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Regulation No. 23 (Reversing lamps)

Proposal for Supplement 20 to Regulation No. 23 (Reversing and Manoeuvring lamps)

Submitted by the expert from the Netherlands

The text reproduced below was prepared by the expert from the Netherlands to harmonize the general wording used in the communication form with the corresponding wording in Regulation No. 7. The modifications to the existing text of the Regulation are marked in bold for new or strikethrough for deleted characters.

I. Proposal

Annex 1, amend to read:

"...

of a type of ~~reversing lamp~~ **device** pursuant to Regulation No. 23

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~~of a type of manoeuvring lamp pursuant to Regulation No. 23~~

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1. Trade name or mark of the device:

..."

II. Justification

1. For sake of uniformity and clarity, the general wording used in the communication form of UN Regulation No. 23 should be the same as the corresponding wording already used in UN Regulation No. 7.
2. UN Regulation No. 7 covers several lamps (front and rear position lamps, stop lamps and end-outline marker lamps) and in its communication form the generic wording "type of device" is used, rather than stating separately the different types of lamps.
3. Recently UN Regulation No. 23 had been amended by including manoeuvring lamps (ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2012/8) and now it covers several lamps too, as is the case for UN Regulation No. 7. The expert from the Netherlands, therefore, proposes to change the wording in UN Regulation No. 23 accordingly.
