DRAFT PROPOSAL FOR AN AMENDMENT TO REGULATION No. 48
(Revised text of paragraph 6.2.9. of TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2005/36)

Transmitted by the expert from CLEPA

Proposal:

The wording of item 6.2.9. as presented in document TRANS/WP.29/2005/36 by GTB should be amended as follows:

Actual text:

“6.2.9. ….. to dipped-beam headlamps

Dipped-beam headlamps with a lights source [and/] or LED modules(s) having a total objective luminous flux which exceeds 2,000 lumen shall only be installed in conjunction with the installation of headlamp cleaning device(s) according to Regulation No. 45.7/

In addition, with respect to vertical inclination, the provisions of paragraph 6.2.6.2.2. above shall not be applied.”

Amend to read:

“6.2.9. ….. to dipped-beam headlamps

Dipped-beam headlamps with a filament having an objective luminous flux which exceeds 2,000 lumen as well as principal dipped beams headlamps incorporating one or more LED module(s) shall only be installed in conjunction with the installation of headlamp cleaning device(s) according to Regulation No; 45. in addition, with respect to vertical inclination, the provisions of paragraph 6.2.6.2.2. above shall be applied”

Justification

CLEPA believes that headlamps cleaning devices and light levelling devices should be installed also when LED modules are installed. The paragraph as it stands would provoke adverse reactions from the road users. For a better understanding, refer to Inf GRE-55- Y