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REGULATION No. 51

(Noise emissions)

Addendum 1 Revision 1

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Paragraph 5.1., amend to read:

"5.1. Type approval shall only be granted if,

(a) the vehicle type meets the requirements of paragraphs 6. and 7. below when tested according to measurement method A of Annex 3, and

(b) starting at 1 July 2007 and for a maximum period of two years, the results of the test run of that vehicle type in accordance with the measurement method B of Annex 10 have been added to the test report in Annex 9 and communicated to the European Commission and those Contracting Parties that express an interest in receiving the data. This does not include any tests done in connection with the extension of existing approvals according to Regulation No. 51. Furthermore, for the purpose of this monitoring procedure a vehicle is not considered to be a new type if the vehicle differs only in respect to paragraphs 2.2.1. and 2.2.2."

Paragraph 2.2.2. of Annex 10 add the following text at the end of the existing text of footnote 2/:

“Snow tyres and special tyres according to UN/ECE Regulation 117 should be excluded during type-approval- and COP-measurements on request of the manufacturer.”