Proposal for Supplement 8 to the 01 series of amendments to UN Regulation No. 55 (Mechanical couplings)

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I. Proposal

Annex 1, item 2., amend to read:
"2. Manufacturer’s name for the Type of device or component:"

II. Justification

The current wording of item 2 in Annex 1 is redundant with item 3 and not aligned with other similar UN Regulations No. 58 or No. 73. The key point of item 2 is to identify the type of device or component approved.