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Documents

1. REGULATION No. 48 - Development
(Installation of lighting and
light-signalling devices)

1.1. Electrical connections

GRE agreed to resume the
consideration of this subject.
Information by the Chairman
of GTB describes how a package
proposal would be developed.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 3-9
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2000/16/Rev.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/2
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/9
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/33
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/41

1.2. Amendments concerning the
the AFS systems (first step)

The consideration of this
item will continue on the basis
of the proposals
tabled by GTB.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 14-16
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/15/Rev.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/36

1.3. Installation of retro-reflective
markings and materials

GRE agreed to resume the
consideration of the proposal
by GTB.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 21 and 22
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/13

1.4. Development of the Regulation

GRE agreed to continue its
consideration of various proposals,
to update the Regulation, including
the proposals by OICA and GTB.
Tabled is also a new proposal by
Italy concerning the definition of
a "single lamp" and a question
by the Netherlands, concerning
the interpretation of the
"number of lamps".

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 17-19 and 23-26
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/11
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/23
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/31
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/38
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/39
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/40

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2. AMENDMENTS TO ECE REGULATIONS

2.1. Regulation No. 37 (Filament lamps)

GRE will continue its consideration of the definition of the "white light". It may also wish to consider a proposal to introduce in the Regulation a new category of a filament lamp.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 38-43
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2000/10/Rev.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2000/10/Rev.1/Add.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/32

2.2. Regulation No. 65
(Special warning lamps)

GRE may wish to continue the consideration of the proposals by Germany and France. The experts are kindly requested to bring for this consideration their copies of informal document No. 12, which was distributed during the forty-fifth GRE session.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 44-47
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/1999/10/Rev.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/17

2.3. Regulation No. 98 (Headlamps with gas-discharge light sources)

In addition to the proposal concerning the bend lighting, GRE may wish to consider a proposal concerning cornering lamps, also by GTB. Consideration should also be resumed of the proposal by CLEPA concerning the failure mode operation.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 48-55
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/19
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/16/Rev.1
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/30

2.4. Regulations Nos. 50, 53 and 74

GRE may wish to consider the proposals by IMMA concerning the amber colour position lamps for motorcycles. The experts are kindly requested to refer also to informal document No. 12 of the forty-sixth session of GRE.

TRANS/WP.29/46,
paras. 76
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/25
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/26
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/27

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2.5. Regulation No. [112]

(Asymmetrical passing beam)

GRE agreed to continue its consideration of the proposal by GTB to introduce into the draft Regulation the provisions concerning bend lighting.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46
paras. 56 and 57
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/14/Rev.1

2.6. Regulation No. 104

(Retro-reflective markings for heavy and long vehicles and their trailers)

GRE may wish to consider a proposal by Germany to ease the provisions concerning combinations of vehicles.

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3. International harmonization of installation requirements

(4-wheeled vehicles)

The Chairman will inform GRE of the results of the informal meeting held in Ottawa from 4-7 September 2001. He may also wish to invite GRE to consider some results of that meeting.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
paras. 10-13
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/6

4. HARMONIZED PASSING BEAM PATTERN

4.1. Asymmetrical passing beam

GRE agreed to resume the consideration of the proposals by GTB. The experts are kindly requested to bring for this consideration their copies of informal document No. 11, which was tabled by Germany during the forty-fifth session of GRE.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 68
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/1997/14
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/1998/18
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/4

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Consideration of this item was postponed during the last session. GRE may therefore wish to consider the proposal by IMMA and take note of the related explanations.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 69
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2000/24
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/24

4.3. Harmonized driving beam pattern

GRE may wish to consider the proposal by GTB.

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5. OTHER BUSINESS

5.1. Glare of headlamps

GRE may wish to continue its consideration of this matter.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 70

5.2. Conditions for the illumination of stop lamps

GRE agreed to consider under this agenda item all various systems which may require or affect an illumination of stop lamps.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 71
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/1999/17
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2000/25

The experts are kindly requested to bring for this consideration their copies of informal document No. 4 of the forty-fourth session, and informal documents Nos. 1 and 2, tabled by the United States of America during the forty-fifth GRE session.

5.3. Advanced Front-lighting systems (AFS)

GRE may wish to consider the proposal for a new draft ECE Regulation concerning cornering lamps.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/45,
paras. 82-84
TRANS/WP.29/GRE/2001/35

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5.4. Possible amendments to the
Convention on Road Traffic
(Vienna 1968)

Information on this matter
may be given by an expert
from GTB.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 73

5.5. Technical requirements regarding
the use of headlighting during
day time

GRE agreed to include this item
into the agenda.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 77

5.6. Regulation No. 10
(Electromagnetic compatibility)

GRE agreed to consider the
proposal by France related
to ECE Regulation No. 97
(Protection of vehicles against
unauthorized use).

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46
para. 77
TRANS/WP.29/GRSG/2000/15

5.7. 1997 Agreement (Inspections),
Proposal for a draft Rule No. 2

GRE agreed to examine the
proposal with regard to the
periodical technical inspections
of vehicle lighting equipment.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 77
TRANS/WP.29/2001/19

5.8. Conversion to 42 Volt electrical
system

GRE should consider the
implications of this conversion,
affecting ECE Regulations.
The experts are kindly requested
to bring for this consideration
their copies of informal document
No. 11 of the forty-sixth GRE session.

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5.9. Implications of the use of
non-regulated lighting devices

GRE agreed to consider the question of the presence of non-regulated lamps on vehicles during the type approval pursuant to ECE Regulations concerning the installation of lighting and light-signalling devices.

TRANS/WP.29/GRE/46,
para. 77

5.10. Light source modules

GRE may wish to consider the subject on the basis of a proposal for draft amendments to Regulation No. 7 (Position, stop and end-outline marker lamps).

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