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ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

Motor Vehicles (Type Approval) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992

Made	*5th March 1992*
Coming into operation . .	*6th April 1992*

The Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 2(2)(**a**), 31A(1), 31D(1) and 218(1) of the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(**b**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Type Approval) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992 and shall come into operation on 6th April 1992.

Regulations amended

2. The Motor Vehicles (Type Approval) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1985(**c**) are amended as follows—

(1) For the shoulder note to regulation 2 (interpretation) substitute—

"*General interpretation*".

(2) Omit regulation 2(2).

(3) After regulation 2 insert—

"*Interpretation of instruments referred to in Schedule 1*

2A. The instruments referred to in column (3) of Schedule 1 shall, for the purposes of these Regulations, have effect as if—

(*a*) a reference to a vehicle in category M1 were a reference to a vehicle described as M1 in Council Directive 70/156/EEC of 6th February 1970; and

(*b*) a reference to a vehicle in category L5 were a reference to a vehicle described as L5 in ECE Regulation 78 of 15th October 1988.".

(4) In Schedule 1 for items 13E, 13F and 13G(**d**) substitute—

(**a**) *See* definition of "Department"
(**b**) S.I. 1981/154 (N.I. 1); Arts. 31A and 31D were inserted by S.I. 1985/755 (N.I. 6) Art. 3
(**c**) S.R. 1985 No. 294; relevant amending Regulations are S.R. 1987 No. 389 and S.R. 1988 No. 405
(**d**) Items 13E, 13F and 13G were inserted by the Schedule to S.R. 1987 No. 389

"13E	Brakes	ECE Regulation 13 as revised on 4th January 1979, amended on 11th August 1981 and amended and corrected on 26th November 1984. or		Design, construction and equipment requirements prescribed for category M1 vehicles in paragraphs 2, 5.1, 5.3.2 and 6 and, if applicable, in Annexes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 13.		16th November 1987	
		ECE Regulation 13 as revised on 4th January 1979, amended on 11th August 1981, amended and corrected on 26th November 1984, corrected on 31st December 1985 and amended on 1st April 1987, 5th October 1987 and 29th July 1988. or		Design, construction and equipment requirements prescribed for category M1 vehicles in paragraphs 2, 5.1, 5.3.2 and 6 and, if applicable, in Annexes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 13.		6th April 1992	
		ECE Regulation 13 as revised on 4th January 1979, amended on 11th August 1981, amended and corrected on 26th November 1984, corrected on 31st December 1985 and amended on 1st April 1987, 5th October 1987, 29th July 1988 and 22nd November 1990.		Design, construction and equipment requirements prescribed for category M1 vehicles in paragraphs 2, 5.1, 5.2.1 and 6 and, if applicable, in Annexes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 13.		6th April 1992	