
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1992 No. 1342

ROAD TRAFFIC

**The Motor Vehicles (Type Approval for Goods Vehicles)
(Great Britain) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1992**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>4th June 1992</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>8th June 1992</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>1st July 1992</i>

The Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 54(1) and 61 of the Road Traffic Act 1988(1), and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with section 195(2) of that Act, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Type Approval for Goods Vehicles) (Great Britain) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1992 and shall come into force on 1st July 1992.

Preliminary

2. The Motor Vehicles (Type Approval for Goods Vehicles) (Great Britain) Regulations 1982(2) are further amended in accordance with the following provisions.

Amendments as to exhaust emissions

3.—(1) In regulation 4—

- (a) in paragraph (3), for “If a vehicle or vehicle part” there is substituted “Save as provided in paragraph (3A) of this regulation, if a vehicle or vehicle part”;
- (b) after paragraph (3), there is inserted the following new paragraph—

“(3A) The provisions of paragraph (3) of this regulation do not apply in respect of items 2B, 2C, 2D and 2E in Schedule 1”;
- (c) in paragraph (14), for “item 2B and column (5) of items 2C and 2D” there is substituted “items 2B, 2C and 2D, and column (6) of items 2E, 7 and 8”.

(1) 1988 c. 52.

(2) S.I. 1982/1271; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1987/1508, 1988/1523, 1989/1579 and 1992/225.

(2) In Schedule 1—

- (a) in item 2B, in column (3)(a), in the third of the alternative sets of particulars of instruments or other documents, for “and amended on 1st June 1984” there is substituted “and amended on 1st June 1984 and corrected on 16th May 1989”;
- (b) for item 2C, there is substituted item 2C as specified in Schedule 1 to these Regulations;
- (c) for item 2D, there is substituted item 2D as specified in Schedule 1 to these Regulations;
- (d) after item 2D, there is inserted new items 2E, 2F, 2G and 2H as specified in Schedule 1 to these Regulations;
- (e) in item 7, in column (6), there is inserted “See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B”; and
- (f) in item 8, in column (6), there is inserted “See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B”.

(3) In Part 1 of Schedule 1B—

- (a) in paragraph 1, for the words “Items 2B, 2C and 2D” there is substituted “Items 2B, 2C, 2D, 2E, 7 and 8”;
- (b) in paragraph 3(1)(a), for the words “sub-paragraph (2)” there is substituted “sub-paragraphs (2) or (3)”; and
- (c) after paragraph 3(2) there are inserted the following sub-paragraphs—

“(3) This sub-paragraph applies in relation to item 2D where a vehicle is fitted with an engine which is described in the Annex to the type-approval certificate granted before the 1st July 1992 in accordance with Council Directive [88/77/EEC](#)(3).

(4) Expressions used in paragraph (3), which are also used in article 3 of Council Directive [91/542/EEC](#)(4), have the same meaning as in that article.”

(4) For Part II of Schedule 1B there is substituted the new Part II as specified in Schedule 2 to these Regulations.

Amendments as to speed limiters

4. In Schedule 1, in column (4) of item 9, for the words “of less than” there is substituted “not exceeding” and in column (5), opposite the second entry in column (3) there is inserted “1.2.1992”.

Signed by authority of The Secretary of State for Transport

Kenneth Carlisle
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Transport

4th June 1992

(3) OJ L36, 9.2.88, p.33.

(4) OJ L295, 25.10.91, p.1.

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SCHEDULE 1

(Regulations 3(2)(b), (c) and (d))

(1) Item No	(2) Subject Matter	(3) Particulars of instruments or other document containing requirements, and of the nature of the requirements			(4) Vehicles exempted from requirement	(5) Date of application	(6) Date of cessation of application
		(a) Description, reference number and date of instrument	(b) Official journal reference of community instrument	(c) Nature of requirement and place in instrument where stated			
2C	Exhaust emissions	Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28 May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976, Commission Directive 78/665/EEC of 14 July 1978 Council Directive 83/351/EEC of 16 June 1983 and Council Directive 88/76/EEC of 3 December 1987.	L76, 6.4.70, p.1 (SE 1970 (1) p.171), L159, 15.6.74, p.61, L32, 3.2.77, p.32 L223, 14.8.78, p.48, L197, 20.7.83, p.1 and L36, 9.2.88, p.1.	Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex 1, paragraph 6 and either (a) paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.1, or (b) paragraph 8.3 and paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.3. 1. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed to exceed a 30 mph on the level under their own power or if they have unladen weight of 400 kg. 2. Vehicles fuelled by liquid petroleum gas.	See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B	See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B	

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		<p>Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28 May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976, Commission Directive 78/665/EEC of 14 July 1978, Council Directive 83/351/EEC of 16 June 1983, Council Directive 88/76/EEC of 3 December 1987 and Council Directive 88/436/EEC of</p>	<p>L76, 6.4.70, p.1 (SE 1970(I) p.171), L159, 15.6.74, p.61, L32, 3.2.77, p.32, L223, 14.8.78, p.48, L197, 20.7.83, p.1, L36, 9.2.88, p.1 and L214, 6.8.88, p.1.</p>	<p>Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I, paragraph 6 and either— (a) paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.1, or paragraph 8.3 and paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.3</p> <p>1. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed to exceed a speed of 30 mph on the level under their power or if they have an unladen weight of less than 400kg.</p> <p>2. Vehicles fuelled by liquid petroleum gas.</p>	<p>See</p>	<p>See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B</p>	

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		6 August 1988 as corrected on 8 November 1988.					
		or					
		Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28 May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976, Commission Directive 78/665/EEC of 14 July 1978, Council Directive 83/351/EEC of 16 June 1983, Council Directive 88/76/	L76, 6.4.70, p.1 (SE 1970(I) p.171), L159, 15.6.74, p.61, L32, 3.2.77, p.32, L223, 14.8.78, p.48, L197, 20.7.83, p.1, L36, 9.2.88, p.1, L214, 6.8.88, p.1, L226, 3.8.89, p.1 and L238, 15.8.89, p.43.	Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I, paragraph 6 and either (a) paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.1, or (b) paragraph 8.3 and paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.3.	1. Vehicles propelled by compression ignition engines. 2. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed to exceed a speed of 30 mph on the level under their own power or if they have an unladen weight of less than 400kg. 3. Vehicles fuelled by liquid petroleum gas.	See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B	

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		<p>EEC of 3 December 1987 and Council Directive 88/436/EEC of 6 August 1988 as corrected on 8 November 1988, and Council Directive 89/458/EEC of 18 July 1989 and Commission Directive 89/491/EEC of 17 July 1989.</p>					
2D	Exhaust emissions	<p>Council Directive 88/77/EEC of 3 December 1987 or</p> <p>or</p> <p>ECE Regulation 49 of 15 April 1982 as amended</p>	<p>L36, 9.2.88, p33</p>	<p>Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I, paragraph 6.</p> <p>Design construction and equipment requirements</p>	<p>1. Vehicles propelled by spark ignition engines.</p> <p>2. Vehicles whose maximum gross weight does not exceed 3500kg.</p>	<p>See regulation 4 and Schedule 1B</p> <p>1.7.1992</p>	<p>See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B</p> <p>See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B</p>

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		on 14 May 1990.		in paragraph 5.	<p>3. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed not to exceed a speed of 30 mph on the level under their own power or if they have an unladen weight of less than 400kg.</p> <p>4. Vehicles fuelled by liquid petroleum gas.</p>		
2E	Exhaust emissions	ECE Regulation 83 of 5 November 1989		Design, construction and equipment requirements as prescribed in paragraphs 5 and 7.	<p>1. Vehicles propelled by compression ignition engines with less than 4 wheels.</p> <p>2. Vehicles with unladen mass of</p>	1992	See regulation 4(14) and Schedule 1B

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					less than 400kg.		
					3. Vehicles with a design speed of less than 30 mph.		
					4. Vehicles fuelled by liquid petroleum gas.		
2F	Exhaust emissions	Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28 May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976, Commission Directive 78/665/EEC of 14 July 1978, and Council	L76, 6.4.70, p.1 (SE 1970(I) p.171), L159, 15.6.74, p.61, L32, 3.2.77, p.32, L223, 14.8.78, L197, 20.7.83, p.1. L36, 9.2.88, p.1, L214, 6.8.88, p.1, L226, 3.8.89, p.1, L238, 15.8.89, p.43, and L242,	Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I, paragraph 6 and either (a) paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.1, or (b) paragraph 8.3 and paragraph 5 as modified by	1. Vehicles with a reference mass which in expression shall for the purposes of this item have the same meaning as in Council Directive 91/441/EEC exceeding 2840kg propelled by engines.	15.7.1992	

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		Directive 83/351/EEC of 16 June 1983, Council Directive 88/76/EEC of 3 December 1987 and Council Directive 88/436/EEC of 6 August 1988 as corrected on 8 November 1988. Council Directive 89/458/EEC of 18 July 1989, Commission Directive 89/491/EEC of 17 July 1989 and Council Directive 91/441/EEC of 26 June 1991.	30.8.91, p.1.	paragraph 8.3.	2. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed not to exceed a speed of 30 mph on the level under their own power or if they have an unladen weight of less than 400kg.		
2G	Exhaust emissions	Council Directive 88/77/EEC	L36, 9.2.88, p33 and	Design construction and	1. Vehicles propelled by spark	17.1992	

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		EEC of 3 December 1987 and 91/542/EEC of 1 October 1991.	L295, 25.10.91, p1.	equipment ignition requirements in Annex I, paragraph 6.	<p>2. Vehicles with less than 4 wheels if they are constructed not to exceed a speed of 30 mph on the level under their own power or if they have an unladen weight of less than 400kg.</p>		
2H	Gaseous emissions	Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28	L76, 6.4.70, p1 (SE 1970 (I) p171), L159, 15.6.74, p61, L32, 3.2.77, p32, L223, 14.8.78, p48 and L197,	Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I, paragraphs 5 and 6 and, in relation to vehicles	<p>1. Vehicles with 4 or more wheels.</p> <p>2. Vehicles fuelled solely by liquid petroleum gas.</p>	15.7.1992	

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		May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976 and Commission Directive 78/665/EEC of 14 July 1978 and Council Directive 83/351/EEC of 16 June 1983.	20.7.83, p1,	designed to carry more than 6 persons, paragraph 8.1.			
		or	Council Directive 70/220/EEC of 20 March 1970 as amended by Council Directive 74/290/EEC of 28 May 1974, Commission Directive 77/102/EEC of 30 November 1976, Commission	L76, 6.4.70, p1 (SE 1970 (I) p171), L159, 15.6.74, p61, L32, 3.2.77, p32, L223, 14.8.78, p48, L197, 20.7.83, p1, L214, 6.8.88, p1, L36, 9.2.88, p1, L226, 3.8.89, p1, L238, 15.8.89,	Design, construction and equipment requirements in Annex I paragraph 6 and either:— (a) paragraph 5 as modified by paragraph 8.1 applies and paragraph 5 in the	1.7.1992	

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		ECE Regulation 15 as revised on 20 October 1981, corrected on 9 June 1982 and amended on 1 June 1984.		Design, construction and equipment requirements in paragraphs 5 and 6 and, in relation to vehicles designed to carry more than 6 persons, paragraph 12.9.		1.7.1992	
		or					
		ECE Regulation 83 of 5 November 1989.	Design, construction and equipment requirements as prescribed in paragraphs 5, (except 5.2.1.1.4.1.), 6 and Annex I. Part B.		1.7.1992		

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SCHEDULE 2

(Regulation 3(4))

“PART II

TABLE (SEE PART I)

(1) Item in Schedule 1	(2) Class of vehicle	(3) Application Date	(4) Cessation Date	
			(a)	(b)
2B	1. Vehicles, propelled by spark ignition engines, with a maximum gross weight of:—			
	(a) not more than 2000kg	20.6.1984	30.6.1990	30.9.1991
	(b) more than 2000kg	20.6.1984	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
	2. Vehicles propelled by compression ignition engines	1.10.1990	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
2C	1. Vehicles propelled by spark ignition engines	1.7.1988	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
	2. Vehicles propelled by compression ignition engines	1.10.1990	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
2D	All vehicles	1.10.1990	30.6.1992	30.9.1993
2E	All vehicles	1.7.1992	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
7	All vehicles	See Schedule 1A	30.6.1992	30.12.1992
8	All vehicles	See Schedule 1A	30.6.1992	30.9.1993”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These regulations further amend the Motor Vehicles (Type Approval for Goods Vehicles) (Great Britain) Regulations 1982.

These amendments introduce new type approval requirements as to exhaust emissions for the vehicles to which the regulations apply, other than vehicles which are expressly exempted. The new type approval requirements are contained in the Council and Commission Directives specified in the second and third alternatives in item 2C in Schedule 1 to the regulations, the ECE Regulations specified in items 2D and 2E in that Schedule, the Council and Commission Directives specified in item 2F of that Schedule and in the Council Directive specified in item 2G of that Schedule. The requirements for three wheeled vehicles are specified in a new item 2H of that Schedule. Also, new provisions are made about the dates of the cessation of the requirements as to fuel and fuel input respectively specified in items 7 and 8 of Schedule 1 to the 1982 regulations as a result of the addition to that Schedule of new items 2F and 2G.

Regulation 4 amends the requirements of item 9 of Schedule 1 which were introduced by the Motor Vehicles (Type Approval for Goods Vehicles) (Great Britain) (Amendment) Regulations 1992 (S.I.1992/25). The effect of the amendment is to correct the application of these regulations so as to apply to vehicles with a maximum gross weight exceeding 7.5 tonnes and to insert an application date.

Copies of the Council and Commission Directives and of the ECE Regulations referred to in the amendments to the regulations can be obtained from Her Majesty's Stationery Office.