16. 48) United Nations Regulation No. 48. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the installation of lighting and lightsignalling devices

Geneva, 1 January 1982

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Contracting Parties applying Regulation No. 48⁵

Participant	reg	plicati ulatic ccessi	-
Andorra	15	Dec	2023
Armenia	. 1	Mar	2018
Australia	25	Apr	2016
Belarus	. 3	May	1995
Belgium	17	Aug	1982
Bosnia and Herzegovina ⁶	28	Sep	1998 d
Bulgaria	22	Nov	1999
Croatia ⁶	17	Mar	1994 d
Czech Republic ⁷	2	Jun	1993 d
Egypt	. 5	Dec	2012
Estonia	29	Oct	1998
European Union ⁸	23	Jan	1998
Finland	18	Feb	1994
France	. 19	Dec	1986
Germany ^{9,10}	11	Apr	1983
Greece	4	Oct	1995
Hungary		Jan	1984
Italy ²	27	Jan	1987
Japan	2	Aug	2004
Latvia	19	Nov	1998
Lithuania		Jan	2002
Luxembourg	2	Aug	1985

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Malaysia	. 3	Feb	2006
Montenegro ¹¹	.23	Oct	2006 d
Netherlands (Kingdom of the)	. 3	Mar	1988
Nigeria	.18	Oct	2018
North Macedonia ⁶	. 1.	Apr	1998 d
Norway	. 6	Jan	1999
Pakistan	.24	Feb	2020
Philippines	. 3	May	2023
Poland	.14	Sep	1992
Republic of Moldova	.21	Sep	2016
Romania	. 5	Dec	1983
Russian Federation	. 19	Dec	1986
San Marino	.27	Nov	2015
Serbia ⁶	.12	Mar	2001 d
Slovakia ⁷	.28	May	1993 d
Slovenia ⁶	. 3	Nov	1992 d
Spain ⁹	. 1.	Jan	1982
Sweden	. 3	Jun	1997
Türkiye	.13	May	1999
Uganda	.20	Mar	2023
Ukraine	. 9	Aug	2002
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	.21	Feb	1985

Notes:

¹ The previous "01 series" of amendments to regulation No. 48 becomes supplement 1 to the original (see document TRANS/SC1/WP29/163/Amend.2).

² The notification of application of regulation 48 by Italy was accompanied by a proposal of amendment to supplement 1 of the said regulation and a statement to the effect that the Government of Italy's acceptance of regulation No. 48 was subject to the acceptance of the proposed amendments (which were circulated on 27 January 1987). Entry into force: 27 June 1987.

 3 The following State notified the Secretary-General, on the date indicated hereinafter, that at the present stage it cannot agree to the proposed amendments concerned (doc. ECE/TRANS/WP.29/2006/15 and Amend.1). Therefore, in accordance with article 12 (2) of the Agreement, the above-

mentioned proposed amendments to Regulation No. 48 will not enter into force for that State on the date of its adoption.

Participant:	Date of the notification:
Bosnia and Herzegovina	29 Sep 2006

⁴ For additional references to the texts of the annexed regulations and their amendments, see doc. <u>TRANS/WP.29/343</u> as updated annually.

⁵ For technical reasons and in order to align this chapter with all others in the publication, the date indicated is no longer the date of effect of the regulation for the Contracting Party, but the date of receipt of the notification of application by the Secretary-General.

⁶ The former Yugoslavia applied Regulation No. 48 as from 31 January 1985. See also note 1 under "Bosnia and Herzegovina", "Croatia", "former Yugoslavia", "Slovenia", "The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" and "Yugoslavia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

⁷ Czechoslovakia applied Regulation No. 48 as from 18 September 1982. See also note 1 under "Czech Republic" and note 1 under "Slovakia" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

⁸ In a letter dated 29 July 1998, the European Community informed the Secretary-General of the following:

"The accession of the EC has the effect that the [...] regulations adhered to are not (in cases where a Member State already applied a regulation: no longer) applied by Member States by virtue of their status as Contracting Parties to the Agreement but exclusively in their capacity as Member States of the Contracting Party European Community. Thus, the 14 Member States already Contracting Parties themselves, now apply all [these] regulations by virtue of the EC's accession."

... By the EC accession, Ireland has not become a Contracting Party. Only the EC has become a Contracting Party. Ireland being a Member State of this Contracting Party applies the [...] regulations [adhered to by the EC] by virtue of the EC's accession.

It will be recalled that, as at 29 July 1999, States Members of the EC are: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

⁹ Contracting State having proposed the Regulation and date of entry into force of the Regulation for that State in accordance with article 1 (3).

¹⁰ The German Democratic Republic applied Regulation No. 48 as from 1 January 1982.

With regard to the above, the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany in a communication received on 14 January 1991, informed the Secretary-General of the following:

- [Regulation No. 48 which had] been applied by both the Federal Republic of Germany and the German Democratic Republic shall continue to apply...

The notification further states that it "... does not constitute a general statement of position by the Federal Republic of Germany on the question of state succession in relation to treaties."

Moreover, it should be noted that Regulation No. 48 was proposed by the Government of the German Democratic Republic.

See also note 2 under "Germany" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.

¹¹ See note 1 under "Montenegro" in the "Historical Information" section in the front matter of this volume.