
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 1248
ROAD TRAFFIC

The Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment)
(No. 5) Regulations 1968

<i>Made</i>	31st July 1968
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	13th August 1968
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	3rd September 1968

The Minister of Transport, in exercise of his powers under section 64(1) of the Road Traffic Act 1960(a), as amended by section 51 of and Schedule 4 to the Road Traffic Act 1962(b), and of all other powers him enabling in that behalf, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with the provisions of section 260(2) of the said Act of 1960, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations shall come into operation on the 3rd September 1968 and may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 1968.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1966(d), as amended (e), shall have effect as though, in Regulation 66(4), for sub-paragraph (g), there were substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

“(g) to any trailer carrying two obligatory reflectors in accordance with the Road Vehicles Lighting Regulations 1964(f), as amended (g), such reflectors being marked either “AU4OL III” or “AU4OL IIIA” or with an approval mark incorporating the roman numeral III by virtue of Regulation 23 of those Regulations and being either mounted on a white background forming part of the reflector or surrounded by a white border at least $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch in width.”

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport the 31st July 1968.

(L.S.)

Richard Marsh,
Minister of Transport.

(a) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 16.

(b) 10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 59

(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

(d) S.I. 1966/1288 (1966 III, p. 3493).

(e) There is no relevant amending Instrument.

(f) S.I. 1964/205 (1964 I, p. 345).

(g) The relevant amending Instruments are S.I. 1965/870, 1966/30, 1968/1247 (1965 I, p. 2367; 1966 I, p. 45).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend sub-paragraph (g) of Regulation 66(4) of the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1966 by adding further kinds of obligatory reflectors to those already specified in that sub-paragraph, which exempts certain trailers from the need to exhibit a trailer plate at their rear if they carry two obligatory reflectors as provided in that sub-paragraph.