STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1966 No. 31

ROAD TRAFFIC

The Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) Regulations 1966

Made - - - -	13*th January* 1966
Laid before Parliament	25*th January* 1966
Coming into Operation	9*th February* 1966

The Minister of Transport, in exercise of her 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 her 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 9th February 1966, and may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) Regulations 1966.

(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 1963(d), as amended(e), shall have effect as though in Regulation 64(4) after sub-paragraph (*f*) there were added the following sub-paragraph :—

" or

(*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 with an approval mark incorporating the roman numeral III by virtue of Regulation 23A of those Regulations and being either mounted on a white background forming part of the reflector or surrounded by a white border at least ½ of an inch in width.".

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport the 13th January 1966.

(L.S.)

Barbara Castle,
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. 1963/1646 (1963 III, p. 3095).
(e) There are no relevant amending instruments.
(f) S.I. 1964/205 (1964 I, p. 345).
(g) The relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1966/30 (1966 I, p. 45).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1963 by exempting certain trailers from the need to exhibit at their rear a trailer plate, if they carry two obligatory reflectors of the kind mentioned in these Regulations.