STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ROAD TRAFFIC

The Passenger and Goods Vehicles (Recording Equipment) (Amendment) Regulations 1985

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The Secretary of State for Transport, being a Minister designated(**a**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**b**) in relation to the regulation and supervision of the working conditions of persons engaged in road transport and the regulation of the type, description, construction or equipment of vehicles, in exercise of the powers conferred by that section, and now vested in him(**c**), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Passenger and Goods Vehicles (Recording Equipment) (Amendment) Regulations 1985 and shall come into operation on 23rd December 1985.

2. In Regulation 4 (Installation or repair of recording equipment, checks and inspections) of the Passenger and Goods Vehicles (Recording Equipment) Regulations 1979(**d**) after paragraph (2) there shall be inserted the following paragraph:—

"(2A)(*a*) An approval or nomination issued before 31st December 1985 shall cease to have effect on that date.

(*b*) An approval or nomination issued on or after 31st December 1985 shall be issued—

(i) in the case of an approval or nomination issued on or after 30th September but before the 31st December in any year, for a period ending on the 31st December in the year following the year of the date of issue, and

(ii) in the case of any other approval or nomination, for a period ending on the 31st of December next following the date of issue.

(*c*) An approval or nomination issued before or after 31st December 1985 and not withdrawn may, on application before the date of its expiry (whether by virtue of sub-paragraph (*a*) or (*b*) above), be renewed for a further period ending on the 31st December next following and thereafter for successive periods so ending.".

Nicholas Ridley,
Secretary of State for Transport.

18th November 1985.

(**a**) S.I. 1975/1707 and 1972/1811.
(**b**) 1972 c. 68.
(**c**) S.I. 1979/571 and 1981/238.
(**d**) S.I. 1979/1746, amended by S.I. 1984/144.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations.*)

These Regulations amend the Passenger and Goods Vehicles (Recording Equipment) Regulations 1979 to provide that approvals or nominations issued under Regulation 4 of those Regulations shall cease to have effect on 31st December 1985 and that approvals and nominations shall be subject to renewal from year to year.

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