

REGULATION CHANGES FOR CONSULTATION

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Existing Regulation

J4.1

Numbers must be displayed in a durable manner and be black, of a minimum size of 23cm high with stroke width of a minimum of 3.8cm on a white oblong background measuring not less than 48cm x 33cm which must extend at least 5cm beyond the outline of the numbers.

J4.1.1

If on a white vehicle the background must be delineated at 48cm x 33cm by a continuous black line, except for cars of period A to E.

Proposed Regulation

J4.1

Numbers must be displayed in a durable manner and be black, of a minimum size of 23cm high with stroke width of a minimum of 3.8cm on a white oblong background measuring not less than 48cm x 33cm which must extend at least 5cm beyond the outline of the numbers. **Alternatively, the numbers may be displayed on a white circular background providing the background extends at least 5cm beyond the outline of the numbers.**

J4.1.1

If on a white vehicle ~~the~~ **a background of the dimensions in (J)4.1.** must be delineated ~~at 48cm x 33cm~~ by a continuous black line, except for cars of period A to E.

Reason: To provide regulations for circular number backgrounds which are commonplace despite not being currently permitted.

Implementation date: 1st January 2014