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## Type approval specifications for variable-message road sign panels.

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**2. Member State**

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**3. Originating Department**

Ministry of Equipment, Housing, Transport and the Sea, Directorate of Road Safety and Traffic, Road and Motorway Engineering Department.

**4. Notification Number**

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**5. Title**

Type approval specifications for variable-message road sign panels.

**6. Products Concerned**

Variable-message road sign panels.

**7. Notification Under Another Act**

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**8. Main Content**

These draft technical regulations give technical specifications for variable-message road sign panels and lay down the conditions for type approval of such equipment: administrative details, testing, checks.

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**9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

The greatly increased use of this type of sign makes it necessary to draw up technical specifications, which will be suitable for all technologies and will ensure that the signs are visible and comprehensible to users and possess the reliability necessary for this type of equipment.

**10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Decree of 24 November 1967, amended on 13 June 1979, relating to road and motorway signs (Article 7.2 relating to variable-message panels).



**11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

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**12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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