Item and Method of Inspection	Reject If
1 Lamps	
All lamps must comply with designated requirements. Lenses and bulbs must meet CMVSS/FMVSS standards. For reference, please see the Inspection & Approval Protocol for Vehicle Lamps, Lights and Reflectors Document. All lamps mentioned except hazard lamps are to be inspected with head lamps and all other auxiliary lamps on and with brakes applied.	
a) operation and condition of all required lamps	 a) any lamp fails to illuminate, is missing, broken, cracked, insecurely mounted, has moisture visible in interior. any LED in head lamp assembly required for frontal illumination does not function or device does not meet requirements as set out below 25% or more of LEDs of any one lamp assembly not required for frontal illumination are nonfunctional, or device does not meet requirements as set out below
b) device markings on all lamps Markings must be visible on the device lens.	 b) device does not meet CMVSS, DOT or SAE standards or bear CMVSS, DOT, SAE or ECE code labels or clearly show compliance markings. any lens or device covered or coated by a material/ substance that reduces light transmittance (internal or external) lens/illumination device type mismatch
c) headlamps	iens, mammation device type mismaten
A crack is allowed in a halogen lamp with replacement bulb if lamp does not allow moisture in lens.	
i) number and location	 i) not two or four on front as far apart as possible low-beam devices are not most outboard light source (or uppermost if arranged vertically) on a four-lamp configuration
ii) colour	ii) not white
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible, do not operate on high and low beams, not fully adjustable, not operated by headlamp control
iv) height	iv) height is not between 56 cm and 137 cm (22 to 54 in.) above road surface when measured at centre of lamp
v) mounting	v) not permanently mounted

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vi) markings	vi) not clearly labelled with CMVSS/DOT/SAE or compliant ECE code frontal illumination markings – any JIS markings present
Compliant ECE code frontal illumination markings :	
C R CR C/R HC HR HCR HC/R DC DR DCR DC/R	
Device must NOT have single directional arrow (\rightarrow) associated with either of these markings.	
A double arrow (↔) indicates a switchable beam pattern device and inspector must confirm correct low beam projection setting for LHD traffic pattern.	
d) tail lamps	
i) number and location	i) not two, not located on rear as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) not red
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible, proper filament not lit, not operated by headlamp control
iv) height	iv) height is not between 38 cm to 183 cm (15-72 in.) above the road surface
v) obstructions	 v) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object – covered or coated by material/substance that reduces light transmittance (internal or external)
vi) markings	vi) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
JIS and ECE code markings are acceptable.	
e) stop lamps	
i) number and location	i) not two, not facing rear as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) not red
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible, proper filament not lit
iv) obstructions	iv) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
v) markings JIS and ECE code devices are acceptable.	v) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
f) high-mount stop lamp	
i) presence Required on passenger vehicles manufactured on and after January 1, 1987.	i) not equipped

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ii) operation	ii) inoperative, connected to turn signal, not activated by brake lamp switch
iii) obstructions	iii) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
iv) markings	iv) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
JIS and ECE code devices are acceptable.	
g) turn-signal lamps	
i) number and location	i) not four, two not facing front, two not facing rear, as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) front are not amber, rear are not amber or red
iii) operation	iii) proper filament not lit, do not flash between 50 and 130 times per minute, not clearly visible, not operated by turn signal control
iv) obstructions	iv) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
v) markings	v) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
JIS and ECE code devices are acceptable.	
h) hazard lamps	
i) number and location	i) not four, two not facing front, two not facing rear as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) front are not amber, rear are not amber or red
iii) operation	iii) proper filament not lit, do not flash simultaneously when hazard switch activated
iv) obstructions	iv) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
v) markings	v) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
JIS and ECE code devices are acceptable	
i) side-marker lamps	
One marker lamp may serve as both side marker and park lamp provided it can be seen from both side and front, and side and rear.	
i) number and location	 i) not four, two not located on each side, not installed as close to the corners as practicable and at 90 degrees (+/- 5 degrees) to road surface
ii) colour	ii) front are not amber, rear are not red
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible, not activated by head lamp control
iv) height	iv) height is less than 38 cm (15 in.) above road surface

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v) obstructions	v) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
vi) markings JIS and ECE code devices are acceptable	vi) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
j) clearance lamps (if equipped)	
Required on vehicles 2.05 m (80 in.) and wider.	
i) number and location	i) not four, two are not facing front, two are not facing rear, not positioned as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) front-facing are not amber, rear-facing are not red
iii) operation	iii) not activated by headlamp control, not clearly visible
k) park lamps (where fitted)	
Tail lamp filament may serve as a park lamp	
i) number and location	i) not four, two are not located on front, two not located on rear as far apart as practicable
ii) colour	ii) front are not white or amber, rear are not red
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible
iv) obstructions	iv) covered or obscured by any non-OEM part or object
v) markings JIS and ECE code markings are acceptable	v) bulbs do not meet CMVSS or are not labelled as such
l) back-up lamps (where fitted)	
i) number and location	i) not two, not located on rear
ii) colour	ii) not white
iii) operation	iii) not clearly visible when vehicle is reversing
m) interior lamp (IN SERVICE TAXI ONLY)	
i) number and location	i) not at least one, not located so that there is sufficient light to illuminate interior
n) sign lamp (IN SERVICE TAXI ONLY)	
i) location	i) not on roof
ii) operation	ii) not clearly visible, inoperative
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o) daytime running lamps	
 i) presence Required on all vehicles manufactured on or after December 1, 1989. 	i) not equipped
ii) location	ii) not located on front of vehicle
iii) colour	iii) not white or amber
iv) operation	iv) do not operate continuously when engine is running and master lighting switch is not in the "ON" position
p1) front fog lamps (if equipped)	
i) lens type	i) not lens designation SAE "F" or ECE "B" or "F3"
ii) number and location	ii) more than two, mounted more than 30 cm below headlights, not located on front
iii) colour	iii) not white or amber
iv) operation	iv) not wired to tail light circuit
	 not operational on park, high or low frontal headlight beam
p2) rear fog lamps (if equipped)	
i) lens type	i) not lens designation SAE "F2" or ECE "F" or "B"
ii) number and location	ii) more than two, mounted less than 10 cm from rear stop lamp, not located on rear
iii) colour	iii) not red
iv) operation	iv) not operational on park, high or low frontal headlight beam
v) indicator	v) not equipped with an independent, non-flashing operational tell-tale warning light visible to driver
q) high-beam driving lamps (if equipped)	
i) lens type	i) not lens designation "Y"
ii) number and location	ii) more than two, not located on front of vehicle
iii) colour	iii) not white
iv) operation	iv) not wired to high beam circuit, operate on high- beam only

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r) low-beam driving lamps (if equipped)	r) the low beam driving lamps fail to meet any of the following requirements:
	lens designation not "Z"
	 not located on front of vehicle
	 not white in colour
	 does not illuminate correctly and only when headlamp control is switched to low beam
i) location	i) not mounted between 40 cm and 1.06 m
s) off road lamps (if equipped)	s) not covered with opaque cover
t) licence plate lamp(s)	
i) presence	i) missing
ii) colour	ii) any other colour than white
iii) operation and condition	iii) inoperative, broken, loose, does not function as OEM, projects white light to rear of vehicle
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	i) Not at least one head lamp that operates on low beam.
	ii) Not at least one operative red lamp on the rear of the vehicle.
	iii) Not at least one operative stop lamp on rear of vehicle.
	iv) Signal lamp on either side, front or rear, not operative.
2. Reflex Reflectors	
A lamp or cover that emits a reflection may be considered a reflector.	
a) All compliance markings	a) any reflector does not meet CMVSS/FMVSS, DOT/ SAE, or is labelled as such
b) clearance reflectors	
NOTE: replicar and replikit vehicles will require clearance reflectors if the vehicle resembles a model year for which clearance lamps were required.	
i) number and location	i) not four, two not located on front, two not located on rear
ii) colour	ii) front are not amber, rear are not red

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- iii) condition
- c) side-marker reflectors

See above note regarding replica and replikit vehicles, for application.

Front and rear park lenses may serve as side marker reflectors providing they can be seen from the side and clearly have passive light reflective qualities.

- i) number and location
- ii) colour
- iii) condition

Reject If

- iii) not clearly visible, corroded, darkened, peeling, broken, cracked, insecurely mounted, missing, modified so as to impair effectiveness
 - adhesive conspicuity tape used as replacement

- i) two are not located on each side
- ii) front are not amber, rear are not red
- iii) not clearly visible, corroded, darkened, peeling, broken, cracked, insecurely mounted, missing, modified so as to impair effectiveness

