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## Road Safety Act 1986

### ROAD SAFETY (VEHICLES) REGULATIONS 2009

#### Declaration of Sideways Force Coefficient Routine Investigation Machine as a Class 3 Vehicle

##### 1. Purpose

The purpose of this notice is to declare Sideways Force Coefficient Routine Investigation Machines ('SCRIM') to be class 3 vehicles for the purposes of the Road Safety (Vehicles) Regulations 2009 (in this notice referred to as the Vehicles Regulations).

##### 2. Authorising provisions

This notice is made under regulation 193(2) of the Vehicles Regulations.

Regulation 193(2) of the Vehicles Regulations provides that the Roads Corporation, by notice published in the Government Gazette, may declare a category of vehicles to be class 3 vehicles.

Clauses 38 and 39 of Schedule 9 to the Vehicles Regulations are also relevant. They provide that the mass and dimension limits for a class 3 vehicle are the relevant dimension limits for that vehicle set out in Parts 4.1 and 4.2 of the Vehicles Regulations, except to the extent that the Roads Corporation specifies otherwise in a declaration under regulation 193(2).

##### 3. Commencement

This notice comes into operation on the date it is published in the Government Gazette.

##### 4. Revocation

The notice published in Government Gazette No. S 261 on 9 July 2009 entitled Notice Declaring Sideways Force Coefficient Routine Investigation Machines is revoked.

##### 5. Expiry

This notice expires on 9 November 2010.

##### 6. Declaration

I, George Mavroyeni, delegate of the Roads Corporation, declare that a SCRIM is a class 3 vehicle if –

- (a) it has no more than two axles; and
- (b) it is fitted with equipment for the testing and assessment of the skid resistance of road surfaces; and
- (c) any load of water being carried by it is for the sole purpose of testing and assessment of the skid resistance of road surfaces; and
- (d) the mass on its rear axle does not exceed 10.0 tonnes; and
- (e) its rear overhang does not exceed 2.20 metres.

Otherwise the dimension limits for a SCRIM are the relevant dimension limits specified in Part 4 of Schedule 9 to the Vehicles Regulations.

**Note:** Words and phrases in this notice have the same meanings as in the **Road Safety Act 1986** and the Regulations under that Act.

Dated 23 December 2009

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