

## HEAVY VEHICLE MODIFICATIONS

## Checklist - K1

## SEATING CAPACITY ALTERATION AND SEAT BELT INSTALLATION

(Y=Yes, N= No or N/A=Not Applicable)

**1.0 Seats**

- 1.1 Are all additional seats of an automotive type and have they been tested to meet the requirements of the current issue of VSB 5A or VSB 5B.
- 1.2 Do all replacement seats meet the strength requirements given in the clause/s relating to **“Requirements”** of ADR 3/.. for the date of manufacture of the vehicle?
- 1.3 Are the seats mounted on existing anchorage points or anchorage points fitted in accordance with Sections 1, 2 and 3 of this Code?
- 1.4 If the additional or replacement seats are hinged or have hinged backs, do they meet the requirements for these seats given in the clause/s relating to **“Restraining Device for Hinged Seats or Seat Backs”** of ADR 3/..?
- 1.5 Are the head and leg space requirements of VSB 5A or VSB 5B met?
- 1.6 Are the occupants of seats installed in the trays of utilities or trucks provided with adequate rollover protection as required by VSB 5A or VSB 5B?
- 1.7 Are the additional seat(s) positioned away from areas where there would be a high probability of injury to the occupant(s) in an accident?
- 1.8 Is access to additional seats unimpeded?
- 1.9 With the installation of any additional seats, is access to exits, access aisles, doors, door latches, folding seat controls, etc. unobstructed?
- 1.10 Are seat backs, arm rests and other fittings padded to minimise injury to occupants in an accident?
- 1.11 Is adequate rear vision for the driver maintained?
- 1.12 Are all rearward facing seats fitted with irremovable head restraints?
- 1.13 Are category 2 and category 3 seats labelled or plated in accordance with this Modification Code and VSB 5A or VSB 5B?

**2.0 Seat Belts**

- 2.1 Is the type of seat belt fitted in accordance with that determined by the anchorage system specified for the particular application by ADR 5/.. **“Anchorages for Seat Belts”**?

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2.2 Are the seat belts fitted to existing approved anchorage points or to anchorage points certified under the Modification Code K2 - Seat Anchorage Certification and Seat Belt Anchorage Certification of this National Code of Practice?

2.3 Are the seat belts fitted, new seat belts compliant with the requirements of ADR 4/..?

3.0 General

3.1 Is the quality of workmanship of a satisfactory standard?

**NOTE: If the answer to any relevant question is "NO", the modification is not acceptable.**

Make:

Model:  Year of Manufacture:

Vehicle/Chassis No/VIN:

Vehicle Modifier:

Examined by:

Company (if applicable):

Certifying Officer No:

Modification Cert No:

Modification Plate No:

Signed:

Date:

(when printed)