



# CIRCULAR NO 17-3-1

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## INTERPRETATIONS

Attached are interpretations issued by the Board in respect of Australian Design Rule No.17 - Fuel Systems for Goods Vehicles (February, 1984). They should be read in conjunction with Circular No. 0-11-1.

### **Interpretation No .1 (Clause 17.4.9)**

**Question:** In the case of the dual fuel tanks being provided on a vehicle, is the cross over pipe and relative fittings subject to the 20mm protrusion requirement of Clause 17.4.9?

**Answer:** No, Clause 17.4.9 relates to drain fittings and does not apply to fuel cross-over pipes.

### **Interpretation on No. 2 (Clauses 17.5.1, 17.5.4 and 17.6.3)**

**Question:** Do the requirements of Clauses 17.5.1, 17.5.4 and 17.6.3 apply to a fuel tank filler neck extension which can be removed with or without the use of tools?

**Answer:** The requirements of Clauses 17.5.1, 17.5.4 and 17.6.3 apply to the fuel tank with any filler neck extension.