

ASSOCIATION OF LAND ROVER CLUBS

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Dear All

GENERAL AND SCRUTINEERING & OFF ROAD COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Please find enclosed with this letter copies of the ALRC AGM and S&ORC meetings minutes held on the 17th March 2018 and the agendas for the next meetings to be held on the 7th July 2018 at the The British Motor Museum, Banbury Road, Gaydon, Warks, CV35 0BJ starting at 10.00am and 13.00.

The minutes are sent direct to the ALRC Council, all club secretaries and delegates who attend the meetings, the Scrutineering & Off Road Committee and Log Book Scrutineers but I would be grateful if you could distribute this information to all members of your clubs.

If you have any topics that you would like to raise at the next meetings please let me have them so they can be added to the agenda. Both meetings are open to any club members that wish to attend.

ADDITION TO THE ALRC SUPPLEMENTARY COMPETITION REGULATIONS

Due to the fact that the MSA have introduced from 1st January 2018, (instead of the published 2019 date) the requirement that fire extinguishers, where required by a discipline, be serviced in accordance with manufacturers guidelines, or every 24 months, whichever is sooner there was a discussion at the S&ORC meeting held on the 17th March 2018 about the ALRC regulations which cover this in the Trial Specific Technical Regulations. Details of this discussion and the proposed rule changes can be found in the S&ORC meeting minutes.

All competitive clubs should have received several information bulletins regarding fire extinguisher use direct from the MSA. It should also be noted that the MSA have allowed the use of 2kg dry powder fire extinguishers prior to the implementation date of 1st January 2019.

Following the SORC meeting, the ALRC Council agreed to ratify the following rule changes to the ALRC Competition Regulations. These rules will take effect from the 1st January 2019 with all competitors being advised at events to replace with new or get their extinguishers serviced prior to that date, whichever is appropriate for them.

I would be grateful if all competitive clubs would ensure that their members were notified of the changes to the fire extinguisher regulations.

Section E - Road Taxed Vehicle (RTV) Trial-Specific Technical Regulations

E.4. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Current wording:

E.4.1. It is recommended that all competing vehicles carry a fire extinguisher, minimum 1.75 litre AFFF or equivalent extinguishant / weight as specified in the current MSA Yearbook (Regulation K.3. *et seq* on page 164 and table 3 on page 176) operable or accessible from the driver's seat.

New wording:

E.4.1. It is recommended that all competing vehicles carry a fire extinguisher **to the minimum requirement as specified in the current MSA Yearbook. (Implementation 1st January 2019)**

Section F - Cross Country Vehicle (CCV) Trial-Specific Technical Regulations

F.4. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Current wording:

F.4.1. All competing vehicles must carry a fire extinguisher, minimum 1.75 litre AFFF or equivalent extinguishant / weight as specified in the 2017 MSA Yearbook (Regulation K.3. *et seq* on page 164 and table 3 on page 176) within reach of, or operable from the driver's seat.

New wording

F.4.1. All competing vehicles must carry a fire extinguisher to the **minimum requirement as specified in the current MSA Yearbook. (Implementation 1st January 2019)**

ALRC DATA PROTECTION PRIVACY POLICY

You will read in the minutes of the AGM that there was a discussion about the new General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) which takes effect on the 25th May 2018. All clubs will need to comply with this regulation and a copy of the ALRC Data Protection Privacy Policy and Notice are attached for you.

ALRC NATIONAL RALLY

Can you please remind your club members that entries for the ALRC National Rally events and camping can be made online or by post. Booking forms are available on the recently updated ALRC website – www.alrc.co.uk.

Yours sincerely



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Secretary

For and on behalf of The Association of Land Rover Clubs Ltd.

cc. All member Clubs, ALRC Council, S&ORC, Log Book Scrutineers, Delegates.