

Decision number: ADDEND101375

Approval expiry date: 30/06/2023

Dear Applicant,

NOTIFICATION OF VEHICLE APPROVAL: APPLICATION APP61677

Transitional import approval granted under section 146G of the *Road Vehicle Standards Rules 2019* – trailer (aggregate trailer mass of 4.5 tonnes or less) import approval

I have considered your application in accordance with the provisions of the *Road Vehicle Standards Rules* 2019 (the Rules).

I grant the transitional import approval under section 146G of the Rules. on the basis that I am satisfied that you have met the criteria for granting a trailer (aggregate trailer mass of 4.5 tonnes or less) import approval in respect of one or more nonstandard road vehicles, or road vehicles that do not have an identification plate. Granting of the approval is on the basis that the:

- road vehicle is a road trailer with an aggregate trailer mass (ATM) of 4.5 tonnes or less, and
- person receiving the approval provides the Minister a written statement from the original manufacturer of the trailer stating that, at the time of manufacture, the ATM of the trailer was 4.5 tonnes or less, and
- Minister is satisfied that the trailer is capable of being modified to comply with the requirements set out in Vehicle Standards Bulletin 1 (version 5).

Under section 146H of the Rules, the person who holds this approval is taken to be the holder of an import approval within the meaning of paragraph 22(2)(c) of the *Road Vehicle Standards Act 2018* (RVSA) for the vehicles listed in the Schedule to this decision notice.

General Conditions of Approval

It is a condition of a transitional import approval that the holder of the approval, when requested in writing by the Minister or an inspector and within such reasonable time as specified in the request:

- provide any information or documents specified in the request:
 - o that the Minister or inspector reasonably requires for the purposes of assessing whether the holder of the approval is complying with the RVS legislation, or
 - that the Minister or inspector reasonably requires for the purposes of assessing whether the holder of the approval is complying with the *Motor Vehicle Standards Act 1989* or *Motor Vehicle Standards Regulations 1989* to the extent they continue to apply by virtue of the Road Vehicle Standards (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Act 2018, or

- o about the road vehicle or vehicles to which the approval applies, and
- provide written answers to questions, specified in the request, about the road vehicle or vehicles to which the approval applies.

Specific Conditions of Approval

In accordance with paragraph 146M(a) of the Rules, this approval is also subject to the following specified conditions:

• These vehicles may only be supplied to the market (delivered to a person to tow behind a road vehicle) if they comply with the requirements of Vehicle Standards Bulletin 1.

You may request that we provide reasons for the decision to specify conditions on this approval. Such a request must be made in writing to ROVERinfo@infrastructure.gov.au quoting the approval number near the top of this document. We will provide reasons within 28 days of your request.

You may also apply to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal (AAT) for review of the decision to specify conditions on the approval. Please see https://www.aat.gov.au/ for further information.

Contact us

For further information, or to contact us regarding matters that are not listed in the ROVER portal, please see http://infrastructure.gov.au/vehicles, email ROVERinfo@infrastructure.gov.au, or call between 9:00am and 5:00pm AEST, Monday to Friday:

- 1800 815 272 (free call within Australia)
- +61 2 6274 7444 (outside Australia)

Albert Fulivai

Associate Administrator

21/07/2022

Further Information

Taking delivery of vehicle from Customs

This letter may be used to support Customs Clearance for these vehicles.

Supply to the market

A transitional import approval does not permit a road vehicle to be provided for the first time in Australia for the purposes of section 24 of the RVSA.

Registration requirements

A transitional import approval does not exempt these vehicles from State or Territory registration requirements. You should determine these requirements from the motor vehicle registration authority in the State or territory where you intend to register the vehicle.

Offences

The holder of an approval may commit an offence or contravene a civil penalty provision if a condition of the approval is breached. A person commits and offence if the person imports a road vehicle into Australia where they were not permitted to do so at the time of the importation.

Review

An application may be made to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal for a review of this decision or you may request, under section 28 of the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*, reasons for my decision. Any applications or requests should be made within 28 days of receipt of this notice.

I am the person authorised under section 234 of the *Road Vehicle Standards Rules 2019* to make these approvals in relation to section 146G.

SCHEDULE

Vehicle No.	Year	Make	Model	VIN / Chassis Number
ADDEND101375	2022	Henan WECARE INDUSTRY CO LTD	RV-550HF	R33PD1753NA220198

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