

# STATE ROAD RACE CHAMPIONSHIP REGULATIONS 2009

## 1. THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Motorcycling WA (MWA) shall approve a series of events during the 2009 calendar year known as the State Road Race Championship Series.

The 2009 State Road Race Championships Series will be run over five (5) rounds. Each of these "rounds" will be contested by all classes and each championship round consists of three (3) legs for each solo and sidecar championship.

Competitors will count ALL legs towards the final point score to determine each championship. If a leg is not run on a specified day, it shall NOT be re-run.

The competition will be conducted under Motorcycling Australia permit as issued by MWA and run under the rules as stated in the 2009 Manual of Motorcycle Sport (hereafter referred to as MOMS), these State Championship Regulations and the Series Supplementary Regulations.

## 2. ELIGIBLE CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES / GRADES

The competition is open to holders of current NATIONAL Motorcycling Australia competition licences.

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| 2.1 | <b>PRODUCTION SUPERBIKES*</b> | A,B grade with C at promoters discretion    |
| 2.2 | <b>SUPERSPORT</b>             | A,B,C grade with D at promoters discretion  |
| 2.3 | <b>SIDECARS</b>               | A,B,C grade with D at promoters discretion  |
| 2.4 | <b>125cc GP **</b>            | A,B,C grade with D at promoters discretion. |

\* Production Superbike State Championship Class to be known as The WA Superbike Championships.

\*\* 125ccGP class will be incorporated within the Formula 2 Class *Series*.

**Eligibility and Definition of:** Supersport, Production Superbikes and Sidecars as per 2009 Manual of Motorcycle Sport (or as amended during the season).

The intent of these regulations is to mirror the national Championship Rules, but modified to suit the structure of the State Road Race Championship.

Such amendments will be clearly notified to riders in the Supplementary Regulations.

## 3. MINIMUM NUMBERS REQUIRED TO CONSTITUTE A CLASS

### ***At a Round:***

The minimum number of entries required to constitute a Championship class will be five (5).

There will be a minimum of five (5) starters in each class for Championship points to be allocated for that leg.

If there are insufficient starters in the leg, then the class can still compete but there will be no championship points allocated for that leg.

### ***Series:***

There must be at least five starters in a class in at least 3 of the 5 rounds for a Championship to be declared in that class.

#### **4. ALLOCATION OF GRID POSITIONS**

Grid positions for the first race/leg of the first round only, will be determined by qualifying.

All remaining races/legs will start as per the finishing order of the previous race/leg.

Grid positions for subsequent races/ legs will be determined from the finishing order of the previous race/leg, as per MOMS RR 15.22.1.2 and 3 and 4.

Riders who do not start (DNS) or finish (DNF) in a leg will be allocated positions at the rear of their grid (for their class in a mixed class event) for the next leg.

#### **5. STARTING PROCEDURE**

All solo and sidecar races will be clutch starts from echelon style grids.

#### **6. POINT SCORE SYSTEM**

Points will be allocated to the first twenty (20) placegetters in each leg of the Championships in accordance with MOMS 15.22.11 (page 138)

In the event of a tie at the completion of an event and or in a Series, GCR 15.22.11.2 and 15.22.11.3 shall be used to declare the winner.

#### **7. SEEDED RACING NUMBERS**

The competitors who finished 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Production Superbike and Sidecar classes of the 2008 MWA State Road Race Championships may use the seeded numbers 1, 2 and 3 respectively.

The competitors who finished 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Supersport class of the 2008 MWA State Road Race Championships may use the seeded numbers 4,5 and 6 respectively.

Competitors taking this option will have their normal permanent racing number withheld by MWA to allow it to be returned if/when the competitor no longer qualifies to use the seeded numbers.

#### **8. AWARDS**

Motorcycling WA will present *medallion* awards to the first three placegetters in each championship class at the completion of the season.

*The Promoter will provide awards at each round (as stated in the Series Supplementary Regulations).*

#### **9. CLUB FEES**

Each club promoting a Championship round shall pay a fee determined annually by MWA for the provision of Championship medallion Awards.

MWA will Invoice the promoter/s accordingly at the completion of the Series.

**Signed : Motorcycling WA 100209**