

144A—Hydrogen-powered vehicles

- (1) A hydrogen-powered vehicle built after 1 January 2019, or a vehicle modified to be a hydrogen-powered vehicle after 1 January 2019, must have fixed conspicuously to its front and rear number plates—
 - (a) for a vehicle fitted with 1 hydrogen fuel container—a label that complies with subrule (2); or
 - (b) for a vehicle fitted with 2 or more hydrogen fuel containers—2 labels that comply with subrule (2).
- (2) For the purposes of subrule (1), a label complies with this subrule if—
 - (a) it is affixed to a plate made of metal that is at least 1 millimetre thick; and
 - (b) the label, and the plate to which it is affixed, is a regular pentagonal shape—
 - (i) each side of which is 20 millimetres long; and
 - (ii) each interior angle of which is 108°; and
 - (c) it has a yellow surface that complies with class 2 of Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1906.1-2017 *Retroreflective Materials and Devices for Road Traffic Control Purposes—Part 1: Retroreflective Sheeting*; and
 - (d) it is marked "H" in a black capital letter that is at least 10 millimetres high and has the orientation shown in the example; and
 - (e) it is fixed to the number plates so that the letter on the label is in an upright position; and
 - (f) it does not wholly or partly obscure any characters on the number plates.

Example of label for hydrogen-powered vehicle—



Note—

The example of the label is for illustrative purposes only and does not represent the label's actual size, dimensions or colour.

- (3) In this rule—

hydrogen-powered vehicle means a vehicle that—

- (a) is powered by a hydrogen fuel system; and
- (b) has 1 or more hydrogen fuel containers fitted to the vehicle for the system.



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