

GENERAL APPENDIX AFFILIATION OF CLUBS

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1. COMPETITION/SPORTING CAR CLUBS

When a club first joins Motorsport Australia and becomes affiliated, it is not eligible to vote at State Council. After at least a year of continuous operation, a club may apply for voting rights. Motorsport Australia is not obliged to grant such rights, or to affiliate a club, or to give reasons for not doing so.

The requirements for voting status are:

- (a) A minimum of 40 or more active members.
- (b) Prior period of a calendar year of active continuous operation as an affiliated club with 40 or more active members.
- (c) Completion by the designated officer of the application for affiliation, and payment of the relevant fee.

In the event of an affiliated club's membership falling below 40 and remaining below that level upon reaffiliation, the club shall revert to non-voting status for such time as the membership remains below 40 in total. Upon returning its active membership to 40 or more members, the club shall be entitled to voting status without a waiting period.

Through their delegates to State Council, a club with voting rights may exercise, at the rate of one per club, their vote on that body, irrespective of the number of members. A delegate from a non-voting club may debate issues at State Council and may move or second motions but may not vote.

2. ENTHUSIAST CLUBS

A club affiliated with Motorsport Australia as an Enthusiast Club will be considered only as a non-voting car club at all times, irrespective of its level of membership.