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Fiat Club of NSW PO Box 3034 BANGOR NSW 2234

### **NSW HISTORIC VEHICLE SCHEME (HVS)**

The Fiat Club of NSW (FCNSW) is registered with TfNSW (RMS) to offer financial club members the opportunity to register their cars under the Historic Vehicle Scheme (HVS). This is often referred to as club registration or club plates, a reference to the early NSW club registration scheme. HVS is intended for vehicles which are not modified.

In October 2015 the HVS was extended to include an optional 60 day log book scheme, to allow members to use their cars for personal or maintenance use, up to 60 days per year, which brought NSW in line with most other State conditional registration schemes.

The FCNSW is registered with the RMS as a participating club for the log book scheme. The 60 day log book ran as a trial for four years, after which it became a permanent feature.

Each RMS recognized club has at least one responsible person, our Historic Plates Registrar, whose name is recorded with the RMS, to keep a list of club members and vehicles operating under the scheme, with the FCNSW as their primary club

The HPR is authorised by the RMS to sign and stamp the annual historic vehicle declaration (HVD) which accompanies each registration renewal, and any new registration applications, to confirm the vehicle's and the member's ongoing compliance with the scheme.

The HVS scheme allows members to register their historic cars for use at Fiat Club, and other listed or invited events, with a single and significantly lower, annual registration and CTP insurance fee. There is a one-off number plate fee charged the first year. The cost of full comprehensive vehicle insurance is also significantly reduced for vehicles on HVS.

HVS is available to club members with any car designed or manufactured by the Fiat group, or a related specialist body builder. Cars must be at least 30 years old, and not modified, other than for recognised safety upgrades, period accessories and period tuning options. HVS users must maintain a continuous financial club membership with an RMS recognised club. The club will consider additional non-Fiat vehicles for HVS on request.

Users only require a pink slip to register a vehicle on HVS, regardless of whether the vehicle is currently registered or unregistered. An annual, manual pink slip inspection is required at each registration renewal, however, a blue slip inspection will be required if you want to change back to full registration at any time.

The 60 days of personal or maintenance use are in addition to any Club activities.

Before each trip, you need to,

- carry a paper copy of the club magazine or event calendar / flyer to confirm the club event you are attending, or
- enter personal or maintenance runs in your RMS log book.

We recommend you keep these documents in your car at all times, your

- Certificate of Approved Operations (an RMS issued document),
- Current FCNSW membership card.

Please refer to the club website to see the Club's HVS rules, and to download the RMS application forms and FCNSW documents required for a new HVS registration, or call the historic plates registrar to discuss the scheme.