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## COMMUNIQUE # 14 – ROAD TRAILER IMPORTATION & LICENCING

September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Dear Participant,

This is important information to assist you in relation to the temporary importation of road trailers and the licencing of road trailers for use on Western Australian roads.

There are two distinct actions that need to be taken.

One relates to the actual **importation** of the trailer which is controlled by the Australian Government. This will determine whether your trailer will be allowed into the country.

The second relates to the **licencing** of the trailer to allow it to be used on the roads. This is controlled by the Western Australian Government and determines whether you will be allowed to legally use the trailer on the road in Western Australia.

### **Importation**

Carnet – include the details of the vehicle (boat trailer) on the Carnet.

Commercial Invoice – Complete an 'Application to Import a Small Road Trailer' and submit to the Australian Government for approval prior to shipping the vehicle (boat trailer). See the form and information brochure VSB10 attached.

### **Licencing**

Before you can use the trailer on Western Australia roads you must have permission.

Perth 2011 has negotiated a 'Special Permit' with the WA Government Department of Transport who have also agreed to waive the normal fee. This streamlined process requires you to fill out the 'Trailer Permit Form' attached and submit as directed. This needs to be done prior to arriving and using your trailer on the road.

Once the form is submitted, the Western Australian Department of Transport will process the form and provide the applicant with a permit for the trailer. This will be sent either by fax or email (you can request how you want this sent to you). You must then keep the permit with you at all times when you are driving on the road with the trailer.

**Please Note:** If you have made specific arrangements for pre-event training at Fremantle Sailing Club and your container is arriving and leaving directly from the Fremantle Sailing Club, you will not need to apply for a trailer permit as you will not need to take your trailer onto Western Australian roads.

Please contact Carolyne Bush [Carolyne.bush@perth2011.com](mailto:Carolyne.bush@perth2011.com) if you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely,



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