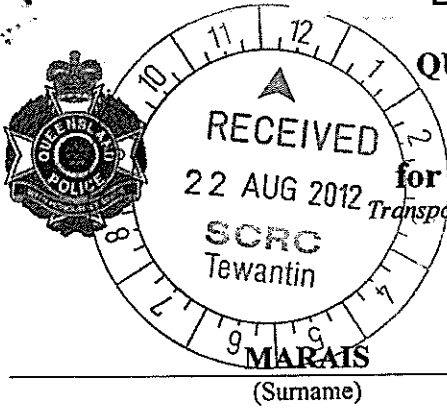


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QUEENSLAND POLICE SERVICE

PERIOD PERMIT
for Conditional Registered Vehicle
Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995
and Regulations thereunder

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SCRC CORRESPONDENCE



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Charles James
(Given name(s))

of 298 Tablelands Road Cooran QLD 4568

(Address)

whose signature appears hereon, is hereby permitted, subject to the conditions hereunder to:

Conduct organised commercial quad bike tours of the Woondum National Park on a designated route namely Tablelands road Cooran between 298 Tablelands road Cooran and Traveston road (Sunshine Coast Regional Council), and Traveston road to Hill road Cooran and Hill road Cooran to Mothar Mountain Rock Pools (Woondum National Park).

Permit shall remain in force from 09/08/2012 to 08/08/2013, unless sooner suspended, surrendered or cancelled.

CONDITIONS

1. Vehicle must comply with conditions as stated in the Department of Transport and Main Roads Performance Guideline for LO6(A) Designated route permit for conditionally registered vehicles in Queensland.
2. Amend/delete condition (Insert Appropriate Condition Number) of the above stated Performance Guideline which now reads as follows:
3. Original or copy of permit issued to be carried by the driver of the unit and produced on request by police officer or authorised officer. (A photocopy of the permit will be accepted as a true copy.)
4. Other Conditions:
 - (a) This permit is to be read as the designated route permit as required by condition LO6(A) as per the "Guidelines for Conditionally Registered Vehicles in Queensland.
 - (b) Use of vehicles is restricted to the designated route only.
 - (c) The permit holder is responsible for the safe conduct of all activities and tours and is to ensure that a high standard of road safety is maintained whilst activities are being conducted.
 - (d) Vehicles are restricted to use during daylight hours no earlier than 8:30am and no later than 5:00pm each day.
 - (e) Riders must comply with the Traffic Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995 and Regulations for the entire route.
 - (f) Riders must comply with any and all conditions imposed by the Sunshine Coast Regional Council when traversing Tablelands Road and any and all conditions imposed by the Department of National Parks, Recreation, Sport and Racing, riders when traversing Traveston Road and Hill Road.
 - (g) The permit holder must obtain and hold an appropriate public liability insurance for the duration of this permit and confirm the Queensland Police Service is named as an indemnified party on the public liability insurance for this activity.

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- (h) The issue of this permit does not in any way abrogate the responsibility of the applicant to obtain all relevant permits or authorities from any other relevant authority (e.g use of local council or Dept of National Parks, Recreation Sport and Racing controlled roads) prior to any use of the relevant sections of the route.
- (i) The permit holder is to develop a detailed Risk Management Plan outlining all the perceived risks and the proposed actions to be taken to mitigate those risks.
- (j) The permit holder or their nominee shall ensure that the activity is suspended or cancelled if for any reason there is a danger to participants, other motorists or users of the designated route (e.g vehicle defect, heavy rain, unsafe track conditions etc).
- (k) All riders taking part in the activity are to keep as far to the left of the roadway as is practicable at all times.
- (l) At all times riders must travel in a single file with a safe distance between each rider having regard to the speed of the vehicles, dust, visibility and road conditions generally.
- (m) If the permit holder is not personally present at any stage of the activity/tour, another appropriately qualified responsible person is to be appointed by the permit holder to be responsible for the safe conduct of the activity.
- (n) All quad bikes/ATV's must have current conditional registration by the Queensland Department of Transport and Main Roads.
- (o) All quad bikes/ATV's must undergo a mechanical safety inspection every twelve months by an authorised mechanic and hold a current safety certificate.
- (p) All riders must hold (as a minimum) a current QLD Open drivers license for class C motor vehicles or an interstate or international equivalent.
- (q) Participants are to successfully complete a thorough briefing and rider competency assessment prior to commencing the activity (tour).
- (r) All riders must wear an approved motorcycle helmet that complies with Australian Standard 1698 (full or open face).
- (s) All riders must wear high visibility vests, footwear and safety gear.
- (t) No pillion passengers are to be carried on quad bikes.
- (u) Quad bikes must be mechanically governed by an authorised mechanic to a maximum speed of 30 km/hr.
- (v) All vehicles are to be fitted with indicators at the front and rear of the vehicle, rear vision mirrors and a high visibility flag on an extended pole.
- (w) All ATV's and quad bikes must be fitted with operating brake lights to the rear.
- (x) Tours are to be conducted in groups of a maximum of 6 guests and 2 qualified and accredited escorting guides when traversing Tablelands road, one positioned at the front and one at the rear of the group. When traversing Traveston and Hill roads, the tour may be conducted with a maximum of 10 guests and 2 escort riders (front and rear).
- (y) The entry and egress onto and from Tablelands road by participants is to be supervised and controlled by designated escort guides ensuring "Give way" provisions are complied with.
- (z) Tour guide escort vehicles shall be fitted with an operational two way radio, so as to allow escort vehicles and all participants to maintain communication.
- (aa) Tour guides shall wear high visibility vests identifying them as such.
- (bb) Escort vehicles are to carry mobile telephones with sufficient coverage for the duration of the tour.
- (cc) When approached from the front or rear by any motor vehicle or ridden horses, the quad bikes/ATV's are to pull to the left as far as practicable, stop and remain stopped to allow the motor vehicle or horse to pass.
- (dd) The lead escort vehicle is to be fitted with a rotating or flashing safety beacon to the front and the tailing escort vehicle to be fitted with a rotating or flashing safety beacon to the rear. These beacons are to be illuminated whilst traversing the route.
- (ee) The permit holder shall ensure that basic first aid supplies are carried and available during the activity.

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- (ff) A copy of this permit is to be carried by the permit holder or by his nominated delegate, and is to be produced immediately upon demand to any police officer or other authorised officer.
- (gg) This Permit may be cancelled or the conditions altered by a Superintendant of Traffic or by a Commissioned Police Officer in the event of any unacceptable risk being identified which can or may have a detrimental impact on the safety of the participants or the general public.
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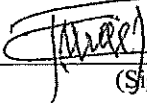
This permit does not exempt the holder thereof from obtaining any Permit or other authority under and/or otherwise complying with the provisions of any other law.

Issued at: Pomona Police Station

Date: 20/08/2012

Charles James MARAIS

(Name)



(Signature of Licensee)

Sgt D.J.McNAMARA 4006088

(Name)



(Signature of Superintendent of Traffic)

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