

CASTROL TOYOTA FORMULA REGIONAL OCEANIA CHAMPIONSHIP CLARIFICATION NOTICE

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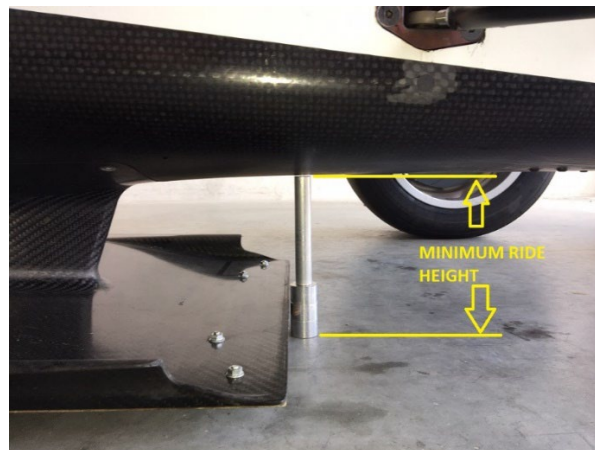
Schedule CTFROC Article 3.4 Front Bodywork:

3.4.1 Nose & Chassis Maximum Height. When the car is in Race Trim, with the driver seated normally, the minimum height from the ground to the reference plane shall be no less than 25.0mm.

Explanation:

Typically, the lowest part of the defined reference plane is the leading-edge of the wooden plank and therefore that is the critical measuring area in normal circumstances. This leading-edge section has a degree of flexibility which makes it difficult to obtain a definitive measurement. To identify a reliable measuring point for ride height at the typical lowest part of the reference plane, the Test Car was settled of 25.0mm spacers on the Measuring Area and the point directly in front of the leading edge of the wooden plank was measured.

A ride height checking tool (pictured below) has been constructed that exactly fits that dimension.



Measuring Procedure:

The following measuring procedure will be carried out.

- The ride height tool must pass laterally across the leading edge of the wooden plank without any interference with the underside of the Tub.
- “Interference” shall mean any touching of the underside of the tub. There must be a visible air gap between the ride height tool and the underside of the tub.
- If the ride height tool physically touches the underside of the tub it will be deemed to have failed the procedure.

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