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# 2025 - SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS - v2

DUBAI AUTODROME MOTOR SPORTS CLUB, PO Box 57331, Dubai, UAE will organize the DUBAI 'O' PLATE Karting on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th January 2025. The Dubai 'O' Plate Karting will be organized under permit number EMSO – 2025 on Dubai Kartdrome.

The final text of these Supplementary Regulations shall be the English version, which will be used in the case of any dispute arising as to their interpretation. Heading in this document are for ease and reference only and does not form part of these Supplementary Regulations.

The 2025 Dubai 'O' Plate event shall run in accordance with the requirements of EMSO using the EMSO National Sporting Code. EMSO Code of Conduct, EMSO Environmental Code, incorporating specific elements from the FIA International Sporting Code and its appendices, FIA Karting official Bulletins, FIA Karting Technical Regulations, FIA Karting General Prescriptions and FIA Karting Specific Prescriptions. The latest versions of the UAE RMC Technical and Sporting Regulations 2024/2025, any official bulletins released by UAE RMC for 2024-2025, Dubai Bambino Cup Regulations 2024/25 and its Bulletins, Dubai 'O' Plate 2025 Sporting & Technical Regulations v1, and these Supplementary Regulations of the Event and any official Bulletins or any further written instructions released by Dubai 'O' Plate event organiser or any other bulletins placed on the notice board.

# **RACE MEETING OFFICIALS / JUDGE OF FACT FOR SPORTING & TECHNICAL DECISIONS**

KARTDROME MANAGER / RACE DIRECTOR: David BRIGHT : Ken POTTER **CLERK OF THE COURSE** ASST. & CLERK OF THE COURSE: : Atif MOHAMMED SECRETARY OF MEETING : Purie PIRES **CHIEF STEWARD** : Rod TAYLOR

: Matthew NORMAN **STFWARD** : Richard BIRCH ORSERVERS : Sarfraz KHAN

: Amal MADURAWALAGE

: Nidhin PHILIP

: Asif RAZA

START FINISH : Andrew LUBOGO PARC FERME / PIT LANE : Prem THAMPANKUNJU

: Zain MOHAMMED : Khurram SHAHZAD : Jerome JOSEPH

ASST. TIMEKEEPER COMMENTATOR : Jack JOHNS **CHIEF SCRUTINEER** : Gary WALKER ASST. SCRUTINEER : Graham SNOOK ASST, SCRUTINFER + SWS COC : Richard FLANAGAN

# **CLASSES TO BE RUN:**

BAMBINO COMER C50/C52 and IAME M1 Micro MAX

Mini MAX Junior MAX Senior MAX

**DD2 & DD2 MASTERS** 

### CIRCUIT:

Dubai Kartdrome International configuration.

Length: 1.204 kilometers Direction of the track: CLOCKWISE

Side of the pole position: RIGHT

TIMING LOOPS: 2 x Magnetic strips on the circuit. One is located on the main straight, just after the start line. The second on the exit of the tunnel.

# **ENTRIES AND PAYMENTS:**

Race Entries are to be paid Online (for the above classes). All completed Race Entry Forms MUST be received no later than the 22nd of January 2025 – 2pm (Wednesday). From January 10th onwards, the following entry fees will apply per driver:

**CHIEF TIMEKEEPER** 

ROTAX Classes: 1950 AED (Inclusive of VAT). For Bambino entry fee is AED 555 (Inclusive of VAT).

# **ELIGIBLE COMPETITORS:**

All competitors must be a holder of a current, valid and relevant karting competition license which must be presented at signing on for examination and will be with the Chief Steward until the Grand Final results are official. License permissions must be in line with Regulation 2.2, 2.3.1 & 2.4.1 of the 2025 Dubai O Plate Sporting & Technical Regulations v1. For competitors with the new Digital License, it's the driver's responsibility to bring a copy of their license or email copy of the license to <u>purificacaop@dubaiautodrome.com</u> in advance of the event no later than Wednesday before race week.

The 2025 Dubai 'O' Plate event is open to all National and International Licence holders subject to pre-approval from EMSO (licence@emso.ae). All competitors holding a license issued outside UAE must gain "Start Permission" from their Licence issuing ASN. The Dubai Kartdrome circuit holds an FIA Interntional homologation for Karting

# **DRIVER'S BRIEFING:**

Driver's briefing will be held at the Outdoor Kartdrome, above Pit Garage last block on 24th January 2025 from 16:10 - 16:40; Briefing is Mandatory for all competitors, entrants, guardians, Dubai Bambino Cup Drivers IAME & Comer, Bambino Pushers and those concerned. Drivers will have to sign the attendance sheet before entering the briefing from 15:30 - 16:00 ABOVE PIT GARAGE LAST BLOCK, briefing attendance mandatory for those drivers attending Official Practice. Noncompliance will result at the discretion of the stewards. Non-attendance of drivers/entrant will be fined AED600 and/or prohibited from the race meeting. While latecomers will be fined AED300. It is the drivers'/entrants' duty to enquire about the time and place for the briefing. Drivers under the age of 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who countersign the signing the waiver and must be present in the briefing. The time and location will be posted on the official Notice Board. (Refer to Dubai "O" Plate 2025 Sporting & Technical Regulations v1 2.4.1 / 2.4.2 / 13.0)

OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD: The Official Notice Board is located upstairs on the first stairs, outside Steward's room of the Outdoor Kartdrome.

### 5. TIME SCHEDULE OF EVENT:

- Official Event Registration / Sign-on will be on Thursday 23rd January 2025 (PM) and on Friday 24th January 2025 (AM) detailed on timetable.
- EXCLUSIVE TESTING: 23rd January 2025 (THURSDAY) as detailed on timetable @ 395 aed for all categories/per competitor
- OFFICIAL TESTING: 24th January 2025 (FRIDAY) from 8:30 15:41 as detailed on timetable @ 395 aed for all categories/per competitor
  - MANDATORY FOR ALL TO DISPLAY THEIR KART NUMBER AND ENSURE TO REGISTER THE SAME KART NUMBER AT SIGN-ON
  - FORMAT FOR MAX CATEGORY: GROUP A ODD KART NUMBER & GROUP B EVEN KART NUMBERS
  - MAXIMUM 36 DRIVERS ON THE TRACK PER CATEGORY

(Silver membership of 195 AED is mandatory for all drivers. Only drivers participating in Dubai 'O' Plate event may take part during the Official Testing time slot)

- : 25th January 2025 will start at 0730hrs and finished at approximately 1700hrs.
- Race day Day 2: 26th January 2025 will start at 0815hrs and finished approximately 1700hrs. A detailed timetable will be displayed on the official Notice board for the testing and race day.

Posting Time : 21:58



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### 6. PRE-RACE SCRUTINEERING:

It is compulsory for competitors who are testing Friday the 24th of January 2025, to present their kart to scrutineering between 10:00 - 15:00. Scrutineering on Saturday morning is only available for those competitors who did not participate in Friday testing.

### 7. **RESULTS, PROTEST AND APPEALS:**

With reference to Dubai 'O' Plate 2025 Sporting & Technical Regulations v1 #23, results, protests and appeals will be as below:

Provisional results will be published as soon as possible after each competition. Protests should be made in accordance with Article 14.6 of the UAE RMC Sporting Regulations 2024/25. Protest fee is fixed at AED 7,500 for technical noncompliance and AED 2,500 for all other protests. Where permitted (Article 14.7 of the UAE RMC Sporting Regulations 2024/25), the appeal fee is AED 7.500.

All competitors must fit their transponders in accordance with the regulations and have their transponder recorded by the organiser before the event starts. Competitors who wish to hire transponder from the organiser for a charge of AED 250 for all ROTAX Classes - two days event & AED 110 for Bambino Class - one day event (Inclusive of VAT). Hire Transponders will be distributed by the organizer at the signing on against presentation of racing license on FRIDAY 24th of JANUARY 2025; it will be mandatory for drivers to install their transponder on their kart before the Official Practice, practice/qualifying/warm up. The race license will be considered as a deposit and will be returned to the competitor at the end of the meeting when the transponders are returned. The driver/entrant is liable for the full cost of the transponder (AED 1680) in the event of any loss or damages during the period of hire, howsoever the cause. As there are limited number of transponders for hire the allocation will be based on entry forms received on a first-come, first-serve basis. The Organiser cannot be responsible for any loss of his/her transponder on track or entering the race without a transponder on his/her kart. In that situation the competitor will not be classified.

The transponder must be mounted in an approximately upright position (i.e. the "R" clip to the top) on the back of the seat fitted at a height from the ground at 25 cm +/-5

cm measured to any point on the transponder.

Kindly remember to return the Transponders on Saturday evening, so that we can put them on charge overnight, ready for Sunday's event. Drivers using their own Transponders must ensure theirs are fully charged.

Flag signals will be given in accordance with the regulations of the Championship and with Appendix H of the present code.

### 10. VENUE REQUIREMENT

ELECTRONIC CIGARRETTES, CIGARETTES & VAPING is prohibited inside the Green Fence Boundary of the Kartdrome & on the upper Terrace. SCOOTERS, HOVER BOARDS, PIT BIKES & SKATEBOARDS are prohibited inside the Green Fence Boundary of the Kartdrome & within Paddock/Car Park SHOPPING TROLLEYS are prohibited within the Kartdrome venue, Paddock/Car Park

### **GEARING AND JETTING:**

Micro MAX gearing fixed at 15:71 Mini MAX gearing ratio = 14:68

Main jets limited according to the below range:

Micro: 105 - 110 Mini: 110 - 118

Junior / MAX / 177: 118 - 128

**DD2**: 128 - 140

\*UAE RMC Technical Regs 2024-25 for specific details on permitted jets

Organisers will submit the entry lists to the tyre supplier, who will then stamp and transport the tyres to the event. However, any competitor entering late (after 2pm on the 22nd of January 2025 - Wednesday) is advised to confirm your tyre order directly with the supplier of tyres for your Category (contact details can be found on: www.dubaiautodrome.com/oplate) \*All Competitors must make their tyre payments directly to Dubai Kartdrome Reception. Tyre prices inc of VAT are as follows:

Class	Туре	Price
Micro Max / Mini Max	MOJO C2 : 1 SET + 1 FRONT + 1 REAR	1350
Junior Max	MOJO D2:1 SET + 1 FRONT + 1 REAR	1590
Senior Max / 177 Max	VEGA XH4 : 1 SET + 1 FRONT + 1 REAR	1650
DD2 / DD2 Masters	MOJO D5 : 1 SET + 1 FRONT + 1 REAR	1650

- All Rotax Categories are to collect their race tyres from the UAE Rotax team on Friday the 24th of January 2025 from 13:30 15:30.
- For those drivers not participating in the Official Testing on Friday, 24th of January 2025, they can collect their tyres on Saturday the 25th of January 2025 between 7:30 am 8am.
- 3 x Front & 3 x Rear tyres to be used for the whole weekend, with the exception of: Sunday morning warm up: Please refer to Dubai O Plate Technical & Sporting Regulation #Article 3.6.

# 13. DUBAI BAMBINO CUP CLASS (NON PERMIT):

- BAMBINO STARTING GRID: Pre-determined randomly generated grid will not be followed for the 2025 Dubai 'O' Plate. Warm up grid will be based on a first come first serve basis and will be released with 5 seconds intervals to allow sufficient gaps between karts. The starting position for Time Trial 1, 2, 3 will be determined based on the
- BAMBINO FUEL: All drivers to comply to Dubai Bambino Cup Regulation 9 found: www.dubaiautodrome.com/bambino-cup
- TECHNICAL NON-CONFORMITY: Should a competitor be found to not conform technically, then they will be disqualified from that respective Time Trials and receive 0 points.
- All Bambino Karts to have a fully enclosed Chain Guard. Simple Plastic strip is not permitted.



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### 14. WRIST BANDS FOR PARCE FERME & CONTROL FUEL COLLECTION:

Only those wearing the correct wrist bands, according to each category, will be permitted inside. These areas include: Dummy Grid, Parc Ferme, Scrutineering Bay & Fuel collection/drop off area. It is strictly **ONE MECHANIC / ONE DRIVER PER KART.** 

# Procedure:

- Each category will have a designated Coloured wristband with their kart number written. This wristband needs to be worn by the Driver's & their mechanics to access Parc Ferme.
- b. At the time of sign-on/registration on Friday 24th January 2025, Drivers will be issued color-coded wristband with the kart number written, which grants you access ONLY in that category.
- Mechanics sign on for their wristbands collection will be on Thursday 23rd January 2025 between 8:30 AM 9:30 AM ONLY. Please note mechanic must be over 18 year and above, valid ID will be checked for verification during the collection of their wristband & this colour-coded wrist band will be fitted on their wrist covering the entire race weekend.

Team Manager to email list of Mechanic names with drivers name latest by Tuesday, 21st January 2025 for us to prepare proper sign-on, once wrist bands are issued, cannot be changed later.

- Drivers & Mechanics MUST enter fuel collection and Dummy grid area together.
- LOST Wrist bands on first day will be charged at 210 AED / Lost wrist bands on second day will be charged at 105 AED
- Damaged Wrist bands will be replaced free of charge provided the damaged wrist band is returned.
- For Clarification; Fuel collection/Drop off, Dummy Grid and Scrutineering Area are Restricted Areas. No unauthorized access permitted g.

### 15. Control Fuel Procedure:

Control Fuel (One source) will be made available to all competitors and mixed according to the prescribed regulations and kept in a restricted and contained area throughout the weekend. Only this fuel and oil must be used. Kart fuel tanks will be collected and fitted in a designated area before accessing the Pre-Grid and removed/returned to the Organisers after each track session.

# Competitors must purchase 'both' their Fuel and Race Oil from Reception.

- 20 Litre fuel with 2 stroke XPS oil will be sold @295 AED including VAT
- Upon receipt of payment, Dubai Kartdrome Reception will issue 1 coupon for Fuel and Oil. This coupon are then presented to the Kartdrome Official at the fuel pump.
- The Petrol pump will be located next to the Pre-Grid. Competitors must comply for the Fuel/Oil purchase BETWEEN 12pm 5pm on Friday the 24th of January 2025.
- 1) ALL DRIVER'S MUST BRING THEIR OWN FUEL CANS CLEARLY MARKED UP WITH THE ENTRANT'S RACE NUMBER & CATEGORY PRIOR TO FUELING. Eg. Race number for Senior is marked up 391 and mentions "Senior Max".
- Once the Competitor/Mechanic presents their Fuel & oil coupons to the Kartdrome Official allocating the fuel, ALL Coupons will be kept upon receipt. 2)
- 3) The official at the Fuel pump, will measure 20 Litres of fuel into each Fuel Tank and will measure out the Fuel to oil mix using OUR measuring Equipment as follows:
  - Pre-mix ratio for ROTAX engines will be 50-1 (2%) fuel to oil: Only XPS 2T racing oil supplied by Kartdrome can be used.
- 4) The mixed Fuel will be kept in the designated Fuel Parc Ferme area along with any leftoyer oil, which will be marked up with the competitor's race number.

# Kart Fuel Tank Hand in: (Competitors must comply with the below before 5pm on Friday the 24th of January 2025):

- Driver or their mechanic must hand in their Kart's Fuel tank which will be used during the race Event
- Fuel tanks must be emptied, cleaned and complete with all Caps & Stoppers 2)
- 3) All Fuel tanks must have their race number clearly marked in black permanent marker on both sides
- 4) Driver or their mechanic must fuel their tank to the quantity they require for their first session on Saturday, within the presence of the organization and within the Fuel Parc Ferme Area. Once the driver or mechanic has fueled up their tank, they must install all caps and stoppers.
- 5) Dubai Kartdrome will keep the Competitor's Kart fuel tank, Fuel can and left-over engine oil.

# Race Day Procedure: 25th & 26th of January 2025:

- Drivers must collect their Fuel Tanks and fit ONLY in the designated area, as they make their way to the Dummy Grid. (Please give yourselves sufficient time)
- Once fuel tank has been fitted, Drivers/Mechanics are permitted to run their engine in the designated 'Engine Run Area'. 2)
- Mechanics/drivers are responsible for refueling their tanks inside the allocated area BEFORE they hand back their fuel tanks into Fuel Tank Drop off Area, 3) within Parc Ferme at the end of the race.
- 4) Refueling within the 'Fuel Collection Area' is not permitted.
- 5) After each heat, Competitors can only exit Parc Ferme AFTER:
  - They have Refuelled their tank ready for their next session
  - Removed their kart's Fuel tank & returned both their Fuel tank and Fuel jerry can to the Organisers after each on track session

# Additional Fuel purchase: Competitors must comply with the below between 4pm and 6pm on Saturday the 25th of January 2025:

- Should any drivers require additional fuel for Sunday the 26th of January's Race, they must buy fuel coupons from reception and then proceed to the Parc 1) ferme fuel with the token.
- Should there not be enough engine oil to mix the quantity of fuel required, Competitors are required to bring with them one more racing oil token as per 2) their category's regulations.
- 3) Once additional fuel has been measured out, Fuel with mixed fuel will be kept within Fuel Parc Ferme.

# Collection of Fuel Tank and any left-over XPS oil:

- Competitors must collect their Fuel tanks and left-over oil as they exit the Parc Ferme on Sunday the 26th of January 2025.
- 2) For the competitors unable to attend official Testing on the 24th of January 2025, they must appoint somebody to present their fuel container and fuel tank to the organization.
- 3) There will be no more submission of fuel/oil containers & Race fuel tanks on the morning of 26th of January 2025.
- BODY PROTECTION: Drivers may continue to wear their preferred rib protection for the 2025 Dubai 'O' Plate as confirmed by RMC Regulations. 16.
- ISOLATING MAT for both MICRO MAX AND MINI categories must be changed in the presence of the Scrutineer at the end of Official Practice & before the event starts. 17. Isolating Mats can be purchased directly from ROTAX UAE for AED 60, where a voucher will be issued. Please present this voucher to the scrutineers.