



Competitor Bulletin #2009-13

To: All AMA Pro Road Racing Competitors
Date: July 28, 2009
Effective Date: Immediately
Subject: Tire Control Stickers

Tire Stickers: AMA Pro Road Racing Officials have done extensive track testing and Dunlop has done extensive lab testing with our current version tire control sticker. Stickers applied per the procedure outlined in the hand out available in tech, have a stick rate of more than 90%. The majority of our teams have been very successful with sticker retention.

When our tire control sticker application guide lines are followed, scrub tires without stickers become the exception. Our tire marshals are trained to deal with the exceptions on a case-by-case basis.

Tire stickers must be present on all tires, scrub or new, for the first session of any given race weekend for all classes. Scrub tires used at the beginning of the first session of the weekend are counted against your allocation and must have stickers for the current race weekend.

All stickers must be applied in accordance with the instruction sheet issued in tech inspection when you receive your sticker allocation for the weekend. AMA Pro Racing will no longer allow any competitor onto the racing surface without the stickers properly installed, in the correct location, on the cold pit side of the tire, or per the supplemental rules for the current event.

If you attempt to enter the hot pit or race track without stickers as outlined above, you will be penalized accordingly.

First Offense: You will be instructed to return to your pit and sticker your tires. No other penalty will be assessed.

Second Offense: You will be instructed to return to your pit and sticker your tires and will be assessed a 5 minute penalty to be served on pit road.

Third Offense and beyond: Same as above except a 10 minute penalty will be assessed. Five minute penalties will be added for each subsequent offense.

Anyone circumventing the tire marshals and going onto the race track will be black flagged and additional penalties may be added. All unused stickers must be returned to tech at the end of the weekend.