



### Lane Filtering Coming!

It's a "done deal" but not yet finalised, however the Minister for Roads and Ports, the Honourable Duncan Gay announced that Lane Filtering for Motorcycles in NSW will be legalised.

The benefits from lane filtering include reduced risk of rear-enders, less congestion and frees up parking spaces.

Comes in 1<sup>st</sup> July so take it easy until then.

Full details of the lane filtering implementation can be found at the Transport for NSW website.

### Indicator Spacing

In the same Press Release, the Minister said they would act to eliminate or fix some of the anomalies between National ADRs and NSW legislation.

One of these is the spacing of rear indicators where bikes legally imported under the ADR were illegal under NSW regulation. We've pointed out how silly this is and, finally, a Minister agrees.

In time, many of the other issues will be solved.

### Where We Stand

In different places in the media and social media, you'll see claims by various groups that THEY got this done or pushed that barrow or got something through...

Good luck to them – surely they need to justify what they're about to their Supporters.

But make no mistake, without the MCC, there would have been little progress across a whole range of issues. CTP, blinkers, rego labels, helmets, lane filtering and more to come.

No need to debate these other people online, but we WOULD like your support by becoming an Individual Supporter.

**Helmets:** Representatives of the MCC attended as well as representatives from Transport for NSW, Centre for Road Safety, the ACCC, SAI Global and others. It appears to be going well.

**Vehicle Standards Working Group;** Various discussions on Individually Constructed Vehicles affecting bikes especially choppers and bobbers. MCC has had a positive contribution drafting the new regulations.

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### E-Tags

The MCC is doing research into E-Tags.

If you have had good or bad experiences with E-Tags and E-Tag companies, let us know at [enquiries@mccofnsw.org.au](mailto:enquiries@mccofnsw.org.au)

Let us know the full details: which tag, what road, what happened.

Complete whinges are OK but probably not as helpful as cold, hard facts.

### Motorcycle TV and Radio:

Ride on - Tuesday nights at 7pm on Alive 90.5 in Sydney and online around Australia. <http://alive905.com.au>

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MXTV – A dirt bike show – keep an eye out for new times on 4ME (Ch 74 in Sydney). <http://www.mxtv.com.au/>

### MCC T-Shirts clearance

The MCC is clearing out our remaining stock of T-Shirts. Normally \$25, the shirts are now on sale for \$15. They are a black T-shirt with the MCC logo in white on the left chest and one of the following expressions in white text on the back:

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Stocks and sizes are limited (e.g. no smalls left) Contact [enquiries@mccofnsw.org.au](mailto:enquiries@mccofnsw.org.au)

This newsletter and past newsletters can be downloaded from <http://www.mccofnsw.org.au/a/326.html>

### Rider Risk Videos

Make sure you and your riding mates check out the Rider Risk Videos at [www.mccofnsw.org.au](http://www.mccofnsw.org.au)

### Motorcycle Council of NSW meetings

The Motorcycle Council of NSW meets on the first Monday of each month at the Ryde Ex-Services Club, 7:30 PM. The next meeting will be **7<sup>th</sup> April 2014**

Meetings are not only for clubs or delegates.  
**All motorcyclists are invited to attend.**

[MCCofNSW facebook Page](#)

### Upcoming Events and Appearances

**April 12-13<sup>th</sup>** DSMA Kowen Forest ride

**18<sup>th</sup> April** Bankstown Custom Show

**26th April** - DR Wings Bike Force for MARI charity ride

**2-4 May** National Ducati Rally

**SEE:**

<http://www.mccofnsw.org.au/a/250.html> for details

Send events to [webmaster@mccofnsw.org.au](mailto:webmaster@mccofnsw.org.au)

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