

-Competition Licensing-

If you are planning to race in the 944 Cup in 2002, now is the time to start thinking about the licensing requirements of our sanctioning body, NASA. A NASA Provisional or National License is **REQUIRED** to participate as a driver in any NASA –VA sanctioned road race event including the 944 Cup.

Drivers will fall into two basic categories, those that already have a competition license, and those that are currently without a racing license.

If you already have a non-NASA racing license, follow these steps to secure your NASA **National** Competition:

First you will need to obtain a **Provisional** License, which is **OBTAINED** by submitting:

- Your NASA membership number
- Passport style photo of yourself
- Copy of your state issued driving license
- Copy of your current non-NASA Competition Road Racing License
- NASA medical forms **COMPLETELY FILLED IN** (or copies of your non-NASA sanctioned medical forms)
- Check to NASA for \$50.00 for your annual license fee
- A provisional license checklist completely filled out.
- You will be issued a NASA **Provisional** License signed off and ready to submit to get a NASA **National**.

A NASA **National** Road Racing Competition License is then obtained by submitting the signed off provisional license to NASA National Office at:

NASA National Office, Attn: Dave Ho
P.O. Box 21555
Richmond, CA 94820

You are allowed one "try-us-and-see" event using your current non-NASA Competition Road Race License. After this one time, you will be required to have the proper NASA credentials.

If you do not have a non-NASA racing license, there are several ways to obtain a NASA National Competition license:

You may complete one successful NASA-VA HPDE event (Drivers Ed) in their advanced run group (6 sessions over two days is considered as an event). During this you may request observation for your NASA provisional license. Observation may be as few as three successful observed sessions. You may then request a NASA Regional

Provisional Race license. It should be noted that the amount of time it takes you to get into NASA's advanced run group will vary depending on your experience and skills. If you do not have a racing license but DO have approximately a year of solo experience (signed off to drive w/o an instructor) at PCA Drivers Education events you may attend one of the NASA competition licensing schools for license evaluation.

If you do not have a racing license but are an Instructor for PCA DE events, you may ask to be evaluated for a provisional license during practice sessions at the beginning of a race weekend or the HPDE also being held that weekend.

For all new memberships, membership renewals, and membership questions, please contact Dave Ho at the NASA National Office at:

P.O. Box 21555
Richmond, CA 94820
Tel. 510-232-NASA (6272)
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www.nasaproring.com

The Provisional License Checklist and all necessary Medical Forms can be downloaded from the forms section of www.nasaproring.com.

The mailing address for all NASA-Virginia correspondence regarding licensing is:

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