

# Special Age Provision Tutorial

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The Special Age Provision clause is intended for underage participants competing in a traveling series that has one or multiple stops in New Jersey. It is not intended for an underage participant who is considering competing in a class they do not meet the minimum age requirements for at their local New Jersey venue. Please read the following excerpt from chapter 62 before completing your request:

## **SUBCHAPTER 14. SPECIAL AGE PROVISION**

### **13:62-14.1 Participant requirements**

(a) Subject to the provisions of this chapter, persons under the age of 17 and not covered or included in any other part of this chapter, may be permitted to participate in races, practices, and exhibitions of driving skill subject to the following provisions:

1. The participant is covered by accidental death and dismemberment insurance in an amount not less than \$10,000 for accidental death and \$3,000 for dismemberment;
2. The participant shall be required to furnish proof of successful completion of an operational and safety course for the particular vehicle which the participant desires to operate;
3. The participant shall be required to furnish written proof of significant prior racing experience or training.
  - i. Significant prior racing experience shall be determined by the licensee or sanctioning organization on a case-by-case basis.
4. The licensee has been satisfied that the participant has the ability to perform in a manner consistent with the necessary skills of their respective division;
5. The licensee shall maintain evidence proving the age and written consent of a parent or legal guardian of all actively participating drivers under the age of 18 on premises and available for inspection; and
6. The licensee shall request, in writing, and be granted by the Superintendent, a modification to the existing rules, no less than **60 days prior** to the proposed event.

**Please include the following documents with your request:**

1. Proof of age - A copy of a state issued Driver's License or ID and/or Birth Certificate
2. Racing Resume
3. Endorsement letter from corresponding racetrack
4. Letter of written consent from a parent or legal guardian
5. Rule modification request letter including specific events and dates the participant will be competing in

An example of a rule modification letter has been provided on page 3.

**Requests can be emailed to the following email address:**

[FAIU@njsp.org](mailto:FAIU@njsp.org)

All required documents should be emailed in PDF format.

**Requests can alternatively be mailed to:**

New Jersey State Police  
P.O. Box 7068  
West Trenton, NJ 08628  
ATTN: Motor Vehicle Racing Control Squad

Questions regarding this process can be sent via email to [FAIU@njsp.org](mailto:FAIU@njsp.org)



## American Racing Drivers Club

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New Jersey State Police  
Attn: [REDACTED]  
Traffic Bureau  
Fatal Accident Investigation Unit  
Motor Vehicle Racing Control Unit  
P.O. Box 7068  
West Trenton, NJ 08628-0068

Dear Sgt [REDACTED]:

The American Racing Drivers Club (ARDC) Midget Series will be a featured attraction at the New Egypt Speedway located in New Egypt, New Jersey on Saturday, August 16, 2008. We are sending this letter to you in order to request a rules modification for one of our members, Mr. [REDACTED], so that he may be able to run in the event stated above. [REDACTED] and the [REDACTED] Motorsports team are members in good standing with the ARDC.

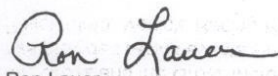
[REDACTED] and the [REDACTED] Motorsports #99 team will be running with ARDC which is a traveling organization that has provided racing events since 1939. Mr. [REDACTED] and his team have agreed to abide by all New Jersey State Police Motor Vehicle Racing Regulations as stated in the current ARDC rulebook.

The [REDACTED] Motorsports #99 midget car was inspected by ARDC Tech Inspector Eric Sypłowski and has passed all inspection requirements (including routine spot checks) stated as well in the ARDC Rulebook. The Officials of the ARDC will make sure they work with Mr. [REDACTED] in the three (3) prior races to the New Egypt Speedway event to ensure that he is safe and competent to race a full size midget not only with our organization but at the New Egypt Speedway facility as well.

Enclosed please find a copy of [REDACTED] birth certificate, a notarized parental consent form and a notarized resume of [REDACTED] prior racing experience.

If there is any additional information required for Mr. [REDACTED] to be granted a rules modification, please contact [REDACTED]

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

  
Ron Lauer  
ARDC President