

2008 MAI INDIAN NATIONAL RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP FOR TEAMS

1. General provisions

The MAI organises the MAI Indian National Rally Championship for Teams (the Championship), which is the property of the MAI; the classification of the Championship is determined by the results obtained in the qualifying rallies.

The Championship is reserved for Teams taking part in MAI Indian National Rally Championship with permitted cars for the year 2008.

A Team is defined as a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 5 registered crews running under a common Entrant.

2. Conditions for participation

2.1.1 Any Team wishing to score points in the Championship in the year 2008 must register their entry in the Championship and pay their registration fees to the MAI 2 weeks before an event.

2.1.2 A Team may register their entry with the MAI **a minimum of 2 weeks before the round of the INRC they plan to compete in.**

2.1.3 They must take part in the events remaining to be run and may score points.

2.1.4 The registration fee for the minimum of two crews is set at **Rs.5000/- per crew** for the year 2008.

2.1.5 For any one Team, the cars entered by the Team may score the points allocated according to their relative position, i.e. a non-registered competitor may not detract points from a competitor registered in the Team Championship.

Example :

1st Team entered = 10 points

2nd Team not entered = 0 point

3rd Team entered = 8 points etc.

2.2.1 In each round of the Championship, points will be scored by the 2 highest placed crews only.

Example:

Team X registers 3 crews

Team X drivers finish 1st, 2nd & 3rd.

Total points earned in that round would be 18 (10+8). Third team members' points will not count towards the Team Championship.

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3. Qualifying rallies

For 2008, the Championship consists of a maximum of 7 events (the same rallies as those counting for the MAI Indian National Rally Championship for Drivers) with the best 6 results to count for the Championship.

4. Attribution of points and scale of points

4.1 For each rally in the Championship, points are attributed according to the following scale:

Scale of points:

General classification

1st 10 points

2nd 8 points

3rd 6 points

4th 5 points

5th 4 points

6th 3 points

7th 2 points

8th 1 point

4.2 Should one of the qualifying rallies not be able to be run in its entirety for any reason whatsoever, provided that the Organisers draw up a final general classification, full points shall be awarded.

4.3 However, should the competitors have covered less than two thirds of the total distance foreseen for the special stages when the rally is stopped, only half the points will be awarded.

5. Final classification of the Championship

5.1 Respecting the provisions of Article 2 above, for any Team correctly entered with the MAI, the best 6 results are taken into account when drawing up the final classification of the Championship.

5.2 The Team having totaled the highest number of points at the end of the year is declared Indian National Rally Champion Team.

6. Awarding of Trophy

A trophy shall be awarded by the MAI to the Team winning the Championship.

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