



FIA SAFETY DEPARTMENT

From The FIA Safety Director
To Competition Seat and Advanced Racing Seat
Manufacturers

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Safety Note

The FIA has published Safety Bulletin #7 to all the ASNs, on the subject of Competitor Installation Best Practice.

We strongly encourage you to share the attached guidelines with your retailers, customers and other interested parties. The aim of this document is to prevent neck injuries, through the optimal position of the competitor in relation to the seat. Furthermore, these instructions take into consideration the elasticity of the safety harness webbing and the fact that the roof may deform while contacting the ground, to further mitigate the risk of head and spinal injuries.

Following these guidelines can play a key role in preventing injuries during serious accidents.

As a reminder by not complying with FIA International Sporting Code under Appendix J (Articles 253.16.1.1 and 283.20.1.1), a competitor can be denied participation in an event by the FIA officials if the seat does not allow the correct position of the competitor.

With kind regards

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