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We would like to inform you that following the World Motor Sport Council meeting of 16 October 2025, Appendix L to the International Sporting Code (ISC) has been updated. The latest version has been published on the FIA website and can be downloaded [HERE](#).

Updates Effective Immediately:

Chapter III – Drivers' Equipment

Article 1.7 was created to mitigate the risk of devices that are not designed for the motor sport environment being used inside helmets.

Updates Effective 1 January 2026:

1. CHAPTER III – Drivers' Equipment.
Article 2 will be updated to mandate the use of FIA Standard 8856-2018 for protective clothing in the FIA Extreme H World Cup.
2. Supplement 1 will be updated for Formula 4 and Formula Regional championships that will be categorised based on the number of events. Championships that have fewer than five events will now be categorised as Trophies, and the number of Super Licence Points awarded will be linked with the number of events organised.
3. Formula Regional European Championship by Alpine Certified by FIA will be re-named as FIA Formula Regional Championship from 2026.
4. Eurocup 3 will be included in the Super Licence points table.

Updates Effective 1 January 2027:

CHAPTER III – Drivers' Equipment.

Helmets with ABP features homologated according to FIA Standards 8859-2024-ABP and 8860-2018-ABP will be mandatory in Formula 4.



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Updates Effective 1 January 2028:

CHAPTER III – Drivers' Equipment.

Helmets with ABP features homologated according to FIA Standards 8859-2024-ABP and 8860-2018-ABP will be mandatory in international series for vehicles with an open cockpit.

Updates Effective 1 January 2036:

CHAPTER III – Drivers' Equipment.

Helmets homologated according to FIA Standard 8859-2015 will no longer be recognised by the FIA in Appendix L.

We remain at your disposal for any further information you may require.

The Safety Department