



# ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2009 Regulations



**Series Partners:**

- **KMSA**
- **All official Kawasaki dealers**
- **BRIDGESTONE Tyres**
- **Altech**
- **TV coverage sponsored by Altech**
- **Masters Cup Club**
- **Air-Age Performance exhausts**

**INDEX**

ZX10R Masters Cup 2009.....

**Competition rules and regulations**

1. Definitions
2. General
3. General competition regulations
4. Conditions of entry
5. Events
6. Administrative and technical monitoring
7. Visual design and advertising rights
8. Provisions
9. Insurances
10. Briefing, winners' ceremonies, press conferences
11. Protests
12. Disciplinary action
13. Technical checks

**Motorcycle regulations**

**Application for entry**

**Rider profile**

**Conditions of sale**

**KMSA Distributors (Pty) Ltd**

VAT No. 442 013 6683 / Co. Reg. No. 701 022 207

KMSA Building, 15 Spartan Crescent Eastgate Ext. 3, Sandton, South Africa

P.O. Box 76770, Wendywood 2144

Tel: (011) 448-1112 Fax: (011) 448-2340

**NOTE FROM KMSA**

During the latter part of 2006 we were approached by Louis van Bergen with the idea of a ZX10 MASTERCUP series for standard bikes. We were very interested in this concept. Louis persevered with the idea and gathered support commitment from possible competitors.

By the end of 2006, Louis contacted us to inform us that he had successfully gathered enough support to form this class. We were very excited with this development and we undertook to support this venture by assisting with subsidised bike pricing and special pricing on parts. KMSA will also be providing a prize fund for this class.

This series of races will be held in the Pro Tour series, and is a national challenge. Further details will be in this regulation document.

We believe that this series is going to be the most affordable form of Superbike racing in this country.

Louis is well known in the SA racing scene and has been around for many years. His involvement in this series fills us with confidence for the coming season.

We at KMSA give our full support to this exciting class and wish all competitors the best for the 2009 season.

Good luck and Kind Regards,

**Chris Speight**  
**MANAGING DIRECTOR**  
**KMSA DISTRIBUTORS**  
**Tel: (011) 566-0333**  
**Fax: (011) 448 2340**

# Competition rules and regulations for Kawasaki *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*

## 1. Definitions

Event organiser:	The respective race or racetrack organization
Series organiser:	ZX10 Masters Cup Club
Responsibility of riders:	Every rider will be personally responsible, irrespective if he is a member of a team or not, to abide by the terms of the rules and regulations and of the individual rider briefs. Wherever there is a contravention of any of the regulations the rider will be personally disciplined.
MSA:	Motorsport SA
KMSA:	Kawasaki Motors South Africa (Official importers of Kawasaki motorcycles)

## 2. General

ZX10 Masters Cup Club is the organiser of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*.

This series will be part of the Pro Tour held nationwide.

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* is an official racing series held under the auspices of Motorsport South Africa.

## 3. General competition regulations

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* is implemented in line with the following conditions, which are recognized and accepted by all applicants and riders upon registration:

- The South African motorsport rules and regulations as prescribed by Motorsport South Africa.
- The present regulations, including any subsequent amendments.
- Technical and organizational requirements set out by KMSA
- In case of doubt on technical matters, the decision of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Technical Consultant is final (subject to normal protest/appeal procedures).
- All decisions are made by the organisers responsible for the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*, in consultation with MSA.
- Supplementary regulations issued by the race organizer.

- The ZX10 Masters Cup was initiated in the spirit of competition for riders at club and regional level. The spirit of the competition is to keep it affordable and competitive at a level for all riders with the specific exclusion of current, as well as recent, national and international riders or competitors.

## 4. Conditions of entry

### 4.1 Rider/Competitor

4.1.1 Riders must be in possession of a valid current MSA regional motorcycle circuit racing competition licence.

4.1.2 There are two classes:

Class A: Open to riders who are at least 35 years old on 01<sup>st</sup> January 2009.  
and

Class B: Open to riders who are at least 45 years old on 01<sup>st</sup> January 2009.

*Note: Riders who do not comply in respect of the above age limits but who took part in the 2008 series will remain eligible to compete in the series in 2009.*

4.1.3 In keeping with the spirit of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* persons who fall into one of the following categories shall be specifically prohibited from taking part as a competitor in the series:

- Holders of a **current** national or international motorcycle circuit racing competition licence (exception may be granted on application for a rider who competed in the ZX10 Masters Cup in 2008 and also wishes to race Nationals in 2009);
- Riders who took part in national championship or international motorcycle circuit racing events **in the year preceding** their intended entry into the series. Where a rider held a National or International licence in the preceding year, but did not take part in any national or International events during this time, entry into the series may only be granted if approved by both the organisers and MSA.

### 4.2 Vehicles

This is a one make series and only 2006/7 and 2008/9 model Kawasaki ZX10R motorcycles are authorized to participate. In the spirit of the event no changes are allowed to any motorcycle except minor technical modifications in accordance with these regulations (see Appendix “A”).

### 4.3 Starter Field and Grid Positions

The number of grid positions available for each event of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* shall be determined according to the maximum number of starters for which each circuit is licensed by MSA.

Preference will be given to the applicants who applied for membership before the 2007 season, i.e. the founder members. All members that applied after this date

will be accepted according to the date he/she applied as a competitor (first come, first served).

Start positions may be allocated for VIP/Guest riders where numbers allow. Such riders will however not be eligible to score points, nor receive trophies or prize money when competing in a *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* event.

Grid positions for Race 1 shall be determined by means of qualifying times. Grid positions for Race 2 shall be determined by 'on the road' finishing positions in Race 1. Non-finishers of Race 1 shall start Race 2 from the back of the grid.

Prior to an event, the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* organizers reserve the right (subject to approval by MSA) to exclude any rider from participation in any event where circumstances warrant.

During an event, the series organizers may approach the clerk of the course with a request to preclude the further participation of any rider who is felt to constitute a danger to himself/herself or other competitors. Motorsport is dangerous and could therefore require difficult decisions to be made by the organizers to ensure the safety of all riders.

#### **4.4 Registrations and nominations**

The persons named below will function as contacts for the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* series.

*ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Motorsport Representative: Gavin Lightfoot

*ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Appointed Organizer: ZX10 Masters Cup Club

*ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Riders Representatives: Riders Representative Committee  
Trevor Elske (Chairman)  
Pieter De Vos  
TBA

*ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Technical Controller: Bain Jolley  
(MSA TC: Kevin Bidgood)

*ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Race Secretary: Pro Tour Organisation

#### **4.5 Services rendered**

Participants will have access to the following services subject to approval of the Organisers:

- 4.5.1 Kawasaki ZX10 at a subsidized price package
- 4.5.2 Subsidized price on spare parts purchased from KMSA
- 4.5.3 Three set of subsidized tyres per rider per event.
- 4.5.4 One set of subsidized brake pads per race entered.
- 4.5.5 Option to purchase (at cost) 3 sets of *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* clothing.
- 4.5.6 Pit areas at each event shall be provided by the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organization in conjunction with Pro Tour Organization.
- 4.5.7 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophies to be supplied for both classes for every round of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2008*.
- 4.5.8 TV coverage for each event sponsored by Altech
- 4.5.9 Website dedicated to the series: [www.pro-tour.co.za](http://www.pro-tour.co.za)
- 4.5.10 Club membership card from the racing club, stating membership for *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*

To be eligible for the above services and discounts, participation is defined as starting in a qualifying session. In the event of non-participation, the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* organizers shall decide on eligibility for the abovementioned services.

## **5 Events**

### **5.1 General**

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* forms part of the Pro Tour series of events and shall generally include 8 - 10 events during a calendar year.

All races will generally be held on Saturdays, at various circuits around the country.

**Race dates and venues are subject to confirmation by MSA.**

Should a race or races be cancelled, the total scores for the series shall be calculated on the basis of races held.

Any cancelled races may be re-scheduled subject to at least six weeks advance notice being given to competitors.

### **5.2 Conducting the competitions**

The races will be conducted in accordance with these regulations, as well as the standing regulations laid down by MSA. In the event of conflict, these regulations shall take precedence.

Any deviations from the published regulations shall only be in force and effect when published by MSA in an official circular.

Generally, one qualifying session and two races of 8-12 laps are held per event.

In the event of a “wet race” or beginning of rain during a race, the provisions of SSR 44 (MSA regulations) shall apply.

A jump start will be penalized by a ten second time penalty added to the total race time of the respective rider.

If a rider has an accident during qualifying or during a race (i.e. the motorcycle is on the ground) the rider concerned shall be permitted to take further part in the qualifying session or race in which the accident occurred. Subsequently the motorcycle must be re-scrutineered before participation in any further races.

After the race, all motorcycles that took part in the race must be parked in the Parc Fermè indicated. Each rider is responsible for this. If this is not complied with, then the rider may be excluded.

**Scoring the races and distribution of points:**

All riders (excepting VIP/Guest riders) taking part in a race will be eligible to receive points, subject to them finishing at least 75% of the race distance achieved by the winner and crossing the finishing line.

Points will be scored per race on the following basis:

1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>
25	20	16	13	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

Any riders positioned behind participants who are not eligible to score points (VIP/Guest riders) will move upward in the rankings accordingly.

Subsequent positions shall be determined by the order in the points standings.

If two riders end the series on the same points total, their positions will be decided according to the provisions of GCR 229 (MSA regulations).

**5.3 Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes will be awarded per event for Class A (35-44 yrs) calculated on total accumulated race time for both races.

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes will also be awarded per event for Class B (over 45 yrs) calculated on total accumulated race time for both races.

## **6. Administrative and technical monitoring**

### **6.1 Administrative monitoring (registration)**

At the beginning of every event and before practice each rider must present his MSA competition licence (no exceptions).

When registering it shall also be necessary for each rider to sign the declaration of undertaking to provide a replacement in the case of loss, theft, destruction etc. of the timing transponder, as well as all other documentation as required for registration.

### **6.2 Technical monitoring (technical approval)**

Prior to each event, a technical inspection is conducted by the official technical inspector to examine whether the competing motorcycles are in a condition which conforms to the regulations. The teams and riders are to abide by the instructions given by the technical inspectors for the purpose of inspection and monitoring. The rider or the team representative is obliged and personally responsible for ensuring that the motorcycle fully complies with the technical regulations and appearance stipulated by the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organization.

The rider equipment (in accordance with MSA requirements) of helmet, rider suit (one piece leather suit), back protector, gloves and boots is also examined to ensure that it is in usable condition.

Where any deviations occur, the offending rider/motorcycle may be excluded from the competition and further penalties may be imposed in accordance with MSA regulations. In case of gross and deliberate violation of the regulations, the participant may be excluded from all remaining races in the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2008*. This would also entail the loss of any points accumulated in the series to that point.

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* technical consultant and/or the MSA National Motorcycle Technical Consultant reserve the right to perform spot checks on various motorcycles at any time during the event to check that their conditions conform to the regulations.

Proof of performance by means of test rig rides can be implemented for motorcycles used at any time during the season based on the checklist. The teams are exclusively responsible for the disassembly and reassembly of motorcycles as requested by the technical inspector or responsible persons of the organization, as well as any associated expenses.

## **7. Visual design and advertising rights**

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organizer is authorized to make use of indicated areas on all competing motorcycles for the purpose of the display of series sponsor advertising material. The display of such sponsors material is a condition of entry

to the series and is a scrutineering requirement. Non-defined areas are available for use by personal sponsors. These may not be in direct competition with KMSA or sponsors/partners of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* and are to be presented to the marketing advisor for authorization.

Competition numbers on the motorcycles shall comply with the provisions of SSR 4.

**Class A numbers: Black on white background**

**Class B numbers: Red on white background**

By participating in the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2009*, all teams and riders declare their consent to their utilization by KMSA or its partners participating in the series for publicity purposes without remuneration. This also applies to any clothing, pictorial or film material.

All copyright and picture rights (all formats) with regard to the riders, vehicles and racing events of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2009* rest with KMSA, MSA and/or the Organizers.

## **8. Provisions**

For reasons of safety, or due to acts of God or official regulations, the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organizer reserves the right, in consultation with KMSA and MSA, to perform changes to the conditions and rules of entry.

If it is necessary to cancel an event for extraordinary reasons, damage compensation claims will not be recognized (see GCR 244).

### **8.1 Rider liability**

Participants take part in the events at their own risk.

### **8.2 Waiver of liability**

Upon presentation of their nomination, applicants and their riders declare their wavering of claims for damages of any kind which occur in the context of the event against:

- 8.2.1 The Organizers of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*;
- 8.2.2 The federation sanctioning the event (Motorsport South Africa); their officials and assistants;
- 8.2.3 Authorities, racing services and all other persons associated with the organization of the events;
- 8.2.4 The road construction companies, should any damage occur as result of the track characteristics;
- 8.2.5 Assistants in performance and fulfilment of all persons and offices named above except in case of damage caused as a result of intent or gross negligence;

- 8.2.6 All other participants (teams and riders), their assistants, the owners or keepers of other vehicles.
- 8.2.7 The owners/promoters of venues at which the events are held.
- 8.2.8 KMSA

The exclusion from liability applies to claims for any legal reason, in particular both for damage compensation claims for contractual as well as non-contractual liability and for claims arising from non-permitted actions. The exclusion from liability does not apply in the case of intent of gross negligence.

## **9. Insurance**

Every rider shall be required to hold personal accident insurance cover through Motorsport South Africa.

## **10. Rider briefings, winners' ceremonies, press conferences**

**Participation in all official rider meetings/briefings is compulsory for all riders.** Alternatively, the person responsible for the team is authorized to represent the rider at these official meetings. The penalty for non-attendance will be a fine of R500. Repeated violation can result in exclusion from the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2009*.

## **11. Protests**

All protests are to be made in writing and in accordance with Part IX of the MSA General Competition Rules & Appendices Hand Book.

Should a competitor lodge a protest against a fellow competitor to the extent that the fellow competitor's motorcycle would require disassembly and this motorcycle is found to conform to the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* regulations, then the cost of disassembly and reassembly, including all new spares required for this process will be borne by the protestor.

The extent of these costs will be determined by the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* technical consultant and/or MSA TC, at his sole discretion.

Failure to comply with this requirement may result in exclusion from the following round or the remaining *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* events.

The party concerned can file an appeal in accordance with MSA regulations.

## **12. Disciplinary action**

ZX10 Masters Cup Club/MSA reserves the right to take disciplinary action against any competitor in respect of instances of unsportsmanlike behavior, in particular unsporting riding, behavior damaging the reputation of KMSA, the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP organization*, Pro Tour or Series Sponsors etc.

## **13. Technical checks**

At the technical inspection, which is held at the beginning of each event, every

vehicle must be in a condition that conforms to the technical regulations of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*. The vehicle is monitored by the appointed technical inspector according to commonly accepted procedures.

The decision as to whether or not a vehicle conforms to the regulations rests with the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP 2009* technical consultant.

**Vehicles involved in accidents during an event must be presented to the technical inspector immediately after the session in which the incident occurred.** A further technical inspection is required prior to the motorcycle's further use in practice or racing.

Obvious violations discovered by the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* technical consultant in the course of random checks after races will generally result in exclusion from the race results, or in cancellation of the times posted in official qualifying, as appropriate.

In particularly severe cases this will also result in the loss of all points accumulated in the cup scoring up to that point and the forfeiture of any prizes/trophies attained in respect of the affected events.

The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organization is authorized to examine participating vehicles thoroughly at any time and to require the removal of vehicle and engine components by the team.

## MOTORCYCLE REGULATIONS

The motorcycles admitted for entry in the *Kawasaki ZX 10 MASTERS CUP 2009* must be of the type: *Kawasaki ZX10 R (1000cc) – 2006/7 and 2008/9 models only.*

The vehicle used must possess an original Kawasaki vehicle identification number (VIN) on the frame in the respective national format of the supplying country. This may not be subsequently altered. Only vehicles imported by KMSA may be used. No grey or parallel imported motorcycles of this model will be permitted to participate in any event of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*.

If it becomes necessary during a race event to reconstruct a vehicle as a result of extensive accident damage and/or severe engine or gearbox damage or if it has to be replaced by a new vehicle, this may only be undertaken with the approval of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* technical consultant. In such a case, a further technical inspection of the vehicle is required. No further exchange of vehicle will be permitted during an event.

All permitted or required alterations to the vehicle are described in these regulations. **The motorcycle shall weigh no less than 170kg at any time during an event. Motorcycles found to be underweight shall be excluded from the results of either qualifying or racing.**

**The fundamental principle is as follows:**

**Beyond manufacturer tolerances, all alterations are prohibited.**

**Minor changes will be prescribed for purposes of close racing and safety (Appendix**

**“A”). The organizers reserve the right to make changes at any time, in consultation with MSA.**

With the exception of the accessories listed in the following, only the original KAWASAKI parts may be used which are listed in the motorcycle's technical handbook.

All parts, with the exception of those comprising the racing kit and certain specially defined parts ranges for the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* or additionally specified parts from the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* parts range must be of the same type as the motorcycle and their condition in use must be within the tolerances stated in the workshop handbook and in the manufacturer's guidelines.

With the exception of the permitted changes, the motorcycle must conform to the general specifications for motorcycle circuit racing prescribed by Motorsport South Africa.

Acceptable additional racing kit includes:

1. Aftermarket racing fairings;
2. Braided hoses for both front and rear braking systems;
3. Aftermarket rearsets may be fitted.
4. Crash protection kits (crash bobbins, mushrooms, etc.).

**The engine identification number must be visible and legible.**

All engines, new or used, will be inspected and sealed by the technical consultant or his appointed representative. **No motorcycle will be eligible to race without a sealed engine.**

The engine casing of the respective type of original engine must be used.

The elements of the engine must be in their original condition and within the manufacturer's tolerance range (see workshop handbook and manufacturer's guidelines). In particular, any change effected by removing or adding any material, such as the deburring, addition or removal of seals, balancing components, etc. is expressly prohibited unless especially provided for in the present regulations or within the respective workshop tolerance range relevant to serial production vehicles.

The engine ventilation system must remain in its original condition.

All screws for oil outlet screws, oil inlet screws, oil filters, tubes must be secured with metal wire to prevent accidental opening. The use of engine oil additives is not permitted.

**Cylinders;** - Only original parts of the respective model (the addition or treatment of material is prohibited).

Dimensions and weights of the cylinder must correspond to the original parts (see workshop manual and manufacturer's guidelines). The addition or removal of material is prohibited.

**Ignition;** - Standard CDI units only. No enhancement microchips or additional piggy-back systems for fueling, timing, ignition, etc. are allowed.

**Crankshaft / connecting rods;** Only original parts of the respective model, no modifications permitted. The deburring, addition or removal of material is prohibited. Treatment and polishing of parts is not permitted.

Dimensions and weights of the components must correspond to the original parts (see workshop manual and manufacturer's guidelines)

**Bearings;** - The number, dimensions and weight must correspond to normal condition.

**Pistons, piston rings and retainers;** Dimensions and weights of the parts must correspond to the original parts (see workshop manual and manufacturer's guidelines).

Only original parts of the respective model, no modifications permitted.

The deburring, addition or removal of material is prohibited.

**Cylinder head;** only original cylinder heads. The deburring, addition or removal of material is prohibited. Dimensions and weights of the parts must correspond to the original parts (see workshop manual and manufacturer's guidelines).

**Valves, valve control, control timing;** The diagram must correspond to original diagram without modification. The valves, camshafts and the entire valve control with all parts must be in their original condition and may neither be altered nor polished. Dimensions and weights of the parts must correspond to the original parts (see workshop manual and manufacturer's guidelines).

**Injection and ignition;** All parts must be in original, unmodified condition of the relevant vehicle type, standard setting values are recommended, confirmed by KMSA.

#### **Air filter / Air box / Air channels**

All elements of the air intake area, pipes, air filter, air box, sealing components and casings must be in the original condition of the model described and remain within manufacturer tolerances. Only original or after-market air filters as imported by KMSA (at a subsidized price) as stipulated by the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* organizers may be used.

**Wiring harness, electrical connections;** The wiring harness of the relevant vehicle type must be retained in unmodified form. No additional switches, components or cables must be looped in or added. Shortening in the form of cutting is prohibited. The following alterations to electrical components are permitted:

Removal of cable connections for rear light from last plug to rear light.

Removal of cable connections for horn from last plug to horn.

Removal of left hand switchgear (must be removed).

Removal of cable connections for direction indicators from last plug to direction indicators.

Deactivation of the electrical safety system for the side stand by means of bridge-over connector or similar is permitted. In the case of damage caused by a fall during an event, the cable set can be repaired under the supervision of the technical inspector or the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* Organization. This must be replaced by an original part by the next event. The use of lap timers is permitted. The electrical supply of such lap timers may

only be provided directly from the battery poles or by internal battery.

**Stator and flywheel;** The stator, its wiring and regulation, must conform to the original condition of the model described and remain within manufacturer tolerances.

The stator must always supply the battery with the relevant current as defined by manufacturer requirements. Additional electrical controls are prohibited.

**Starter;** The electric starter and wiring must be in their original condition and within manufacturer tolerances.

The starter must always be able to start the engine.

**Fuel;** All motorcycles must use pump fuel available to the general public via normal filling stations. The use of products (additives or oils) to increase the octane level is prohibited.

Separate samples of the fuel used by any competitor may be requested before and/or after a race. These samples must be taken in accordance with the provisions of GCR 240's "Guidelines in respect of fuel sampling".

Notwithstanding the above, the MSA Technical Consultant (in conjunction with the Clerk of the Course) may request the use of a controlled fuel no later than 30 minutes prior to the start of a race. Failure to use the controlled fuel when requested shall result in the competitor concerned being prevented from starting the race in question and/or being excluded from the race meeting.

**Lubrication;** Engine lubrication and the appropriate oil and oil cooling circulation is to be maintained in keeping with the original condition of the respective type and must not be altered. The addition of additives to the engine oil is not permitted.

**Water coolant radiator;** The original radiator must be used in unmodified form. A permanent metal protection grid may be mounted at the air inlet side of the radiator to prevent against damage from outside. No anti-freeze additives may be mixed with the water used in the radiator.

**Clutch;** Only original parts of the respective model (the deburring, addition or removal of material is prohibited). Clutch mod replacing 1 steel plate with a 2005 ZX10 Spring clutch plate is however allowed for 2006/7 models only.

**Gears / drive:** Countershaft sprockets, rear wheel sprockets, chain pitch and size can be changed.

**Exhaust system;** (1) The original KAWASAKI exhaust system may be replaced with AIR AGE B1 GROWLER units which will initially be supplied at no charge. Any replacement units will carry a 50% discount off retail price. This is applicable to the 2006/7 model only. Aftermarket exhaust system for the 2008/9 model: TBA.

(2) It is however permitted to take the standard exhaust system and replace the internal components thereof with aftermarket parts (Gutting). The entire exhaust system has to look standard from the

outside.

Display of the B1 GROWLER branding is compulsory on all 2006/7 model bikes, whether option 1 or 2 is used.

### **Running gear / vehicle in general**

The frame number and the model plate must be easily visible and legible.

#### **The following must be removed:**

- Rear view mirrors
- Passenger footrests
- Number plate holder
- Number plate
- Indicators
- Headlight
- Side stand

**Footrests;** Aftermarket rearsets are allowed.

**Appearance of start numbers;** The digits of the start numbers must display sufficient contrast to the background on which they are mounted.

The prescribed positions are:

- on the cover behind the seat to the right and left
- in the centre of the middle section of the fairing below the front screen fairing (sufficient view must be ensured)

The choice of font is unrestricted but in their form and design the numbers must ensure easy legibility from an appropriate distance.

Guide to dimensions for the digits:

Minimum height: 14 cm

Minimum thickness: 2.5 cm

Minimum width: 8 cm

Minimum distance between digits: 1.5 cm

Class A: Black on white background.

Class B: Red on white background.

**Fuel tank;** Only as original part of the respective model with all components and inner parts. Any modification to the fuel tank opening is prohibited. The use of retention foam for the entire volume of the tank is recommended. The fuel tank ventilation outlets must end in one or more firmly attached collection containers with a capacity of at least

125cm<sup>3</sup>. The containers must be mounted beneath the seat or trim so that they are not visible from outside (e.g. instead of the toolkit).

**Fairing /bodywork;** All body parts remaining on the vehicle must be in line with the standard condition as regards material and form. Unless the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* organization has approved other corresponding parts.

**Handlebars;** Only original handlebars. The hand levers must be original parts of the respective model. The use of original hand panels is compulsory. All operating parts and handlebar controls such as kill switch etc. must be retained in their original condition and fully functional.

The steering lock and freedom of movement must not be impaired. Driving safety must be ensured.

**Front forks:** Replacement springs, spring spacers, oil and re-shimming of original piston/cartridge is permitted. Bump stops may be taken out, etc. All adjusters must function as original. The requirement is that the front forks are to be the original fork stanchion and outer shell. No aftermarket forks are to be used for replacement. The forks may be pulled through by a maximum of 14mm above the top yoke.

**Steering damper:** It is permitted to use any steering damper specifically designed for that particular model of motorcycle. The 2006 and 2007 models already have a steering damper as standard. These units may be modified by altering the valving, plus oil is free.

**Rear shock absorber:** Only the original rear shock which the motorcycle was issued, may be used. However, re-shimming of original valve, springs (internal & external) and changing of oil is permitted. No aftermarket internal kits, clickers etc. All adjusters must function as original. Ride height adjustment by the addition and removal of spacers is permitted. However the ride height spacers must not exceed 14mm in total.

**Wheel rims;** Expressly original parts. No aftermarket lightweight or carbon rims are permitted.

**Brakes;** The front brake units must remain standard or, alternatively, can be replaced with ZX14 Nissin calipers on the 2006/7 model only. The rear brake must remain as per original. The type of brake fluid used can be freely selected. The brake pads must be original parts of the respective type, or SBS. Braided brake hoses are optional front and rear.

**Tyres;** The tyres will be Bridgestone:  
120/70/ZR17 m/c Battlax BT-003F Racing Type 4  
190/55/ZR17 m/c Battlax BT003 Pro Type 3

Bridgestone branding shall be compulsory for all competing bikes on the front mudguard, right and left in a prominent position. Tyres will be available through the designated *ZX10 MASTERS CUP CLUB* supplier.

**Wet Weather tyres:** Any wet weather tyres can be used.

**Tyre Warmers:** Permitted but these may not be plugged into the mains supply at each circuit. Tyre warmers must be run off generators supplied by the individual competitors/teams.

**Central frame;** The central frame must remain in its original condition. In case of damage to the attachment points between the central frame and the rear frame, the professional repair of these points is permitted. However, any such repairs must be inspected and approved by the technical consultant.

The rear frame is to be used as an original part. Riding safety must always be ensured.

### **Extra equipment**

Data transmissions from the rider or motorcycle to the team / pit box, radio communication as well as running gear and engine data recording or storage and retrieval during or after practice/racing are not permissible. Onboard lap timers are permitted.

### **Modifications**

**Any modifications which are not mentioned in the present regulations are deemed as not admissible.** The *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* organizers or the appointed technical consultant reserve the right to forbid the participation in the competition of any motorcycles which do not accord with the present regulations or which represent a danger to riders for other reasons, such as provisional assemblies, unprofessional repairs etc., by means of a technical inspection. It should be noted that both the motorcycles used in the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* and the elements contained in the racing kit are not covered by the standard, contractual KAWASAKI guarantee. In the case of any irregularities with respect to the interpretation of the present technical regulations, it is expressly recommended that participants contact **Gavin Lightfoot at KMSA on 011 566 0397**

**Application for entry – ZX10 MASTERS CUP**

Exclusion from liability and declaration of participation in the 2009 *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*.

Recognition of the Motorsport laws of MSA, the regulations, stipulations and conditions. In case of acceptance, we hereby recognize the conditions of the competition of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*. I am aware of their contents.

**Exemption from liability;** I have in particular taken note of the provisos contained under item 8 of the regulations. I am therefore aware that neither KMSA, nor MSA, nor the organizer, nor the local organizers, nor any companies or persons involved in the implementation of the cup are liable for any damage, direct or indirect, including consequent damage. Liability as a result of intent or gross negligence is excluded from this exemption.

**Declaration;** *ZX 10 MASTERS CUP*, the contracted organizers and the participating sponsors are authorized to use the racing results, images and recordings, names of riders, teams and applicants, without additional payment, for publicity purposes. The participant in the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP* hereby expressly agrees to surrender any digital and analogue image rights with respect to his person, team etc. to the organizer of the *ZX10 MASTERS CUP*.

Rider.....

Name / signature: .....

# ZX 10 Masters Cup

## Rider Profile Information Sheet:

Full Name: .....Surname.....  
 Age: .....ID #.....  
 Marital Status...  
 Favorite food...  
 Favorite Movie...  
 Favorite Motorcycle Racer...  
 Racing history: .....  
 .....  
 Preferred racing # .....  
 Racing license #.....  
 Official Racing Club.....  
 Membership #.....  
 \*Motorcycle Chassis # ..... Year model .....  
 \*Engine # .....

Please complete the above form and forward to

[trevor.elske@nashuaisp.co.za](mailto:trevor.elske@nashuaisp.co.za)

Or fax to: (011) 828-2340

## Rider contact details:

Name...  
Postal Address...  
 .....  
 .....

Email...  
Tel Work...  
Tel Home...  
Cell...

Emergency contact name and Tel Number:

Name...  
Number...  
Relationship...

\*only applicable if already in possession of a ZX10 for the series

### CONDITIONS OF SALE

The ZX10 MASTERS CUP is strictly a one-make series. It was therefore contracted with Kawasaki Motorcycles South Africa that they would supply the Kawasaki ZX10R motorcycle at a subsidized price within a structured package. Linked to this package certain conditions of sale apply.

The conditions of sale will form an integrated part as an annexure to the sale contract of each motorcycle purchased under the SUBSIDIZED PACKAGE STRUCTURE

Conditions:

The Kawasaki ZX10R will be supplied at a subsidized price  
Subsidized price on spare parts purchased from KMSA. (40% discount on retail prices excl. VAT)  
Other subsidized items as per regulations.

The above items and motorcycle will be supplied on the very strict controlled conditions as follows:

The Kawasaki ZX10R bought at the subsidized price MUST be used in at least FIVE of the EVENTS as per regulations.

USE is defined as follows:  
The rider must qualify and be on the starting grid.  
He must finish the race or part thereof.

In the event where a person that bought the SUBSIDIZED Kawasaki ZX10R does not comply with the above conditions the organizers will have the right to cancel the SUBSIDIZED PACKAGE.

The effect of cancellation of the SUBSIDIZED PACKAGE will be that the difference of the purchase price and the retail price as on the day of purchase of the Kawasaki ZX10R must be refunded to Kawasaki Motors South Africa.

I accept and understand the above conditions of sale.

Signed at ..... on.....

.....Name.....

Signed