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To whom it may concern,

Samples of Manufacturer's Plates produced by Alpha Sign, Nameplate and Decal Company were inspected by the VCA on 8th June 2016 and we confirm that they comply with the following aspects of Regulation (EU) No. 19/2011 and Directive 2007/46/EC Annex XVII, as amended (see attached example drawing):

- The characters are at least 4mm in height
- They are capable of showing all the required information (where applicable) as follows:
 - The manufacturer's company name;
 - The whole vehicle type-approval number;
 - The stage of approval (where used as part of a multi-stage approval);
 - The vehicle identification number;
 - The technically permissible maximum laden mass;
 - The technically permissible maximum mass of the combination;
 - The technically permissible maximum mass on each axle listed in order from front to rear.
- The printed text is clear and indelible; the sample presented was tested for solvent resistance using acetone, and scratch resistance. Additional or custom marking using hand stamping or dot-matrix machine stamping would also be acceptable.
- Fixing using rivets is acceptable
- The plate material and printing method are sufficiently durable to allow mounting of the plate externally or internally on the vehicle

These plates will therefore be deemed to meet the requirements when fitted to a vehicle inspected by VCA, providing that the additional requirements regarding fitment and location are complied with, and the actual content is compliant in each case.

Any additional information added to the plates must be located outside a clearly marked rectangle which shall enclose only the information prescribed.

Signed:

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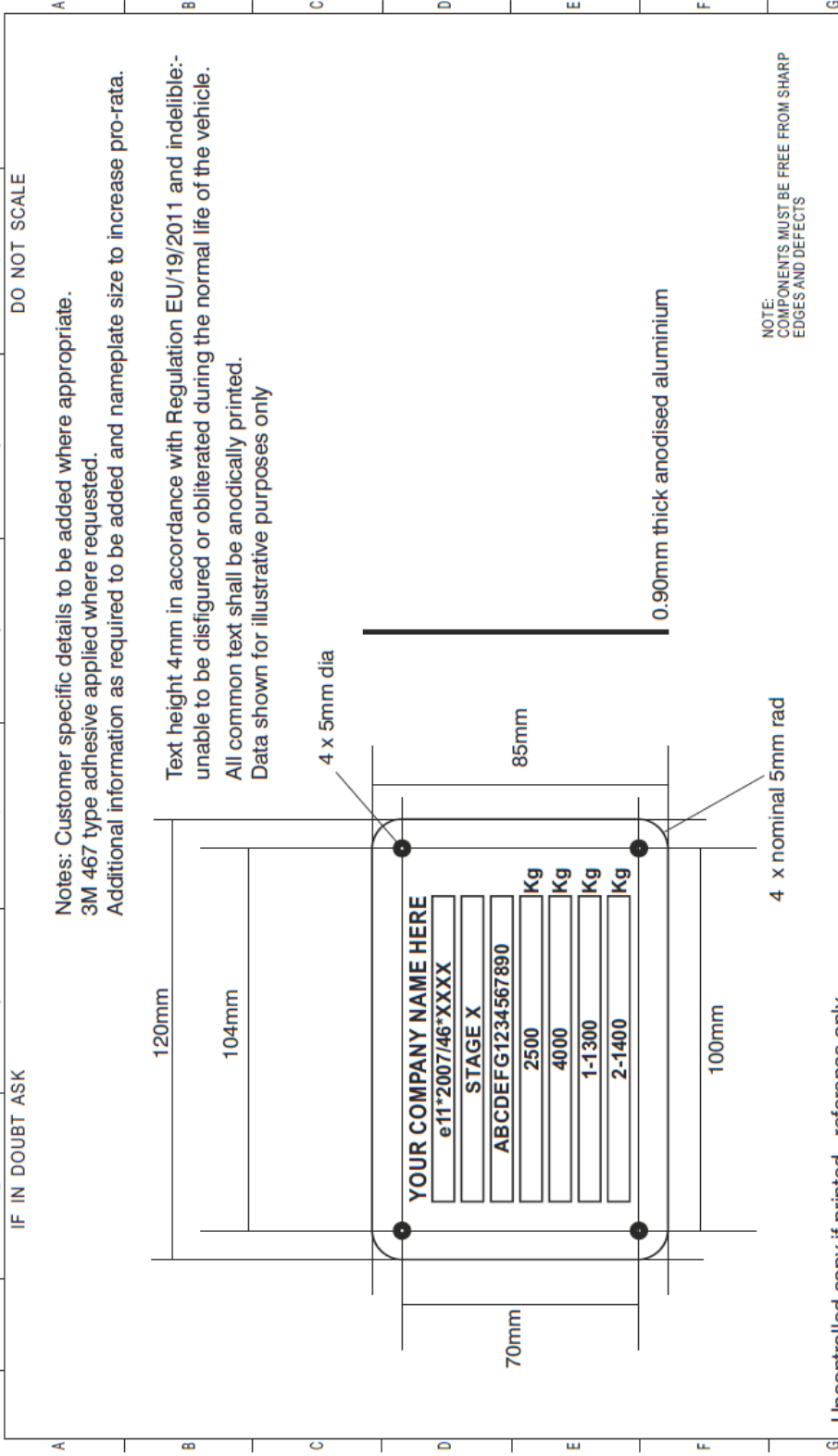
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Issue	Appd	Date	Modification	Description

TITLE	Type	Approval nameplate - Small
Alpha Sign, Nameplate & Decal Co. Ltd. Ascot House, Kylemore Park North, Kylemore Road, D10 A721 Tel: 0800 088 5227 (Ex. U.K.)	Plate dimensions are text specific	
SURFACE FINISH SATIN	Anodised aluminium	
DRAWN R. Courtney	DATE 09-02-16	SCALE 1:1
CHECKED M. Averill	DATE 10-02-16	SHEET 1 OF 1
APPROVED M. Averill	DATE 10-02-16	DRAWING NUMBER 365-239040
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