

Questions submitted for RVSA Industry Webinar #44 on 27 August 2026	Response
How to modify/vary the 'Make' information for an approved-VTA? It is not allowed to modify it through ROVER.	Under the Road Vehicle Standards legislation, a vehicle type approval is for one 'type' of vehicle only. A type of vehicle is limited to one make and model. As such, you are not able to vary a vehicle type approval to change the make. You will need to apply for a new vehicle type approval for the different make, as it is considered a different 'type' of vehicle.
Please can you update us on the Review of the Road Vehicle Standards Implementation? - Industry Webinar #29 (29 February 2024) advised that an internal review was scheduled for late 2024, including plans for a discussion paper for industry to provide feedback on. - Industry Webinar #34 (29 August 2024) advised that the review had been delayed due to the Minister's prioritisation of consultation on the New Vehicle Efficiency Standard and Australian Design Rule Harmonisation projects. The revised outlook was mid-2025. What is the latest progress or outlook for this review and what opportunities will there be for industry input?	The content and timing of all government reviews are a matter for the relevant Minister. As previously noted, the Minister has prioritised the ADR Harmonisation Review - once that review is finalised, we will seek government guidance on next steps for the RVS Legislative Framework.
When adding an additional ADR under extent of compliance, it is not possible to select 'not applicable' or 'ADR Exemption'. As the implementation date of ADR 114/00 approaches, applicants may wish to add ADR 114/00 in advance and where appropriate indicate 'not applicable' or 'ADR exemption'. Is it possible to fast track a ROVER update to enable a 'not applicable' or 'ADR exempt' response when adding additional ADR's under extent of compliance?	In response to feedback from industry, we have updated the new model start date in ROVER for Australian Design Rule (ADR) 114/00 - Carbon Dioxide Emissions Measurement. From 20 August 2026, ADR 114/00 will appear in new vehicle type approval applications and approval variations for MA, MB, MC and NB1 category vehicles, to allow applicants to select the options 'Not applicable' and 'ADR exemption' in the extent of compliance. We have also planned an enhancement for a future ROVER release that will allow an applicant to select the options 'Not applicable' and 'ADR exemption' in the extent of compliance for additional ADRs.