

Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts





RVS legislation application decision-making timeframes

Application type	First 3 letters of the application number	Legislated timeframe
Vehicle type approval	VTA	60 business days
Concessional RAV entry approval	CRE	30 business days
Non-RAV entry import approval	NRI	30 business days
Reimportation import approval	RIM	30 business days
Component type approval	СТА	60 business days
Testing facility approval	TFA	30 business days
Specialist and Enthusiast Vehicles Register	SEV	30 business days
Registered automotive workshop	RAW	30 business days
Model Report	MRI	60 business days
Authorised vehicle verifier	AVV	30 business days
The following application type is subject to the service charter timeframe.		
Advisory notice (not a road vehicle)		30 business days

Request for further information

Under the RVS legislation, the assessment clock is paused when a request for further information (RFI) is sent or an inspection is requested to assist in the decision-making process. The clock starts again once an RFI or inspection is satisfactorily completed. By responding quickly to any RFIs and providing all requested information you will ensure the assessment is undertaken as fast as possible.

Note: A business day under section 5 of the RVS Rules means a day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or a public holiday in the Australian Capital Territory.