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Plating of vehicles – Workshop Record – Plating of Mechanically Propelled vehicle. Form PV1.	Date issued:	2026-05-29
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Vehicle owner: .....
Address: .....
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Description of vehicle (as per Plating Guidelines): .....
Vehicle Registration Number: .....

Vehicle Identification Number: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Rigid ☐ Tractor Unit ☐ Bus ☐ *(please tick appropriate box)*

Name of Manufacturer:						
Type Approval Number (if available):						
			Weights not to be exceeded in the State (IE)	Maximum authorised weights (EU)	Technically Permissible Weight	Axle Group (if applicable)
Maximum permitted laden weight (**kg**):						
Maximum permitted laden weight of combination (if permitted to tow a trailer) (**kg**):						
Axle weights (kg)	Load Index	Single or Twin **S/T**				
1						
2						
3						
4						
Vehicle Length (m):	**L =**				**(to 2 decimal places)**	
Vehicle Width (m):	**W =**				**(to 2 decimal places)**	
Is vehicle fitted with coupling?				Yes	No	
Is coupling adjustable?				Yes	No	
Data relating to length of combination.		Adjustable	amax (m):		amin (m)	
Centre of coupling to front of vehicle:		Non-adjustable	a (m)			

2 axle MP vehicle axle spacing X:	m	If < 3m, max. weight is 16t. If > 3m, max. weight is 18t. Max weight for two axle **buses** is 19.5t
3 axle MP vehicle axle spacing X:	m	Max weight is 25t. Subject to 5.5t per metre of axle spacing X*****
4 axle MP vehicle axle spacing X:	m	Max weight is 30t. Subject to 5t per metre of axle spacing X**
2 axle tractor unit axle spacing X:	m	If < 3m max. weight is 16t. If > 3m max. weight is 18t.
3 axle tractor unit axle spacing X:	m	Max weight is 25t. Subject to 6t per metre of axle spacing X*
4 axle tractor unit axle spacing X:	m	Max weight is 30t. Subject to 6t per metre of axle spacing X.

2 axle tractor unit, GCW 40t	2 axle MP vehicle equipped to tow a trailer – GTW is 36t. 3 axle MP vehicle equipped to tow a trailer – GTW is 40t. ****4 axle, MP, 1 drive axle, twin tyres, air suspension, 32t** ****4 axle MP, 2 drive axles, twin tyres, neither of which transmit more than 9.5t, 32t**
3, 4 axle tractor unit, GCW 40 (44)t.	
3 axle articulated bus, max. 28t.	
Tandem axle spacing, no axles driven:	Less than 1.0m, max. weight is 11.5t. Between 1.0m and 1.3m, max. weight is 16t. Between 1.3m and 1.8m, max. weight is 18t.
Tandem axle spacing one or both axles driven:	Between 1.3m and 1.8m, max. weight is 19t.
Triaxle spacing	Less than 1.3m, weight is 21t 1.3m or greater, weight is 24t

***26t when fitted with twin tyres and road friendly suspension on each driving axle.**

Approved Workshop: Appointed person:

Date: Signature: