

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ON SPEED LIMIT DEVICE.

1. What is a speed limiting device?

Answer: A speed limiting device sometimes referred to as governor' is used for controlling the speed of a vehicle or a device used to measure or regulate the speed of a vehicle.

2. How does the speed limiting device work in a vehicle?

Answer: This device does not allow the driver to accelerate beyond the stipulated speed limit by law as has been programmed in the vehicle. So no matter how the driver tends to accelerate, the pre-set speed limit will not be exceeded.

3. How many types of speed limiting devices are in used?

Answer: There are two (2) major types of speed limiting devices.

- a. Mechanical speed limiting device.
- b. The Electrical/ Electronic speed limiting device.

4. Who are the approved marketers of speed limiting device?

Answer: The approved marketers are marketers certified by the major technical committee members which includes Standard Organisation of Nigeria (**SON**), National Automotive Council (**NAC**) and **FRSC**.

5. Who are the technicians responsible for installation of speed limit device?

Answer: The approved marketers are responsible for the installation of the speed limit device through their agents (Technicians) who are trained and certified for that purpose.

6. When is the date for enforcement of speed limit device in Nigeria.

Answer: **1st June 2015.**

7. What is the cost of the device?

Answer: The price is determined by the market force

8. How would the workability/functionality of the device be checked after installation by the users?

Answer: Users are not allowed to tamper with the device but inform installers of any malfunction where they occur.

9. Who carries out servicing or repairs of the speed limiting device where there is service failure?

Answer: The approved marketers through their certified agents carries out periodic service/calibration of the device based on Standard Organisation of Nigeria (SON's) specification.

10. In the case of emergency, how would the speed be increased beyond the limit in other to avert danger at a certain point

Answer: The device will not allow the driver to go beyond a pre-set speed limit, so the driver is expected to apply defensive driving technique.

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