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Inquiry into Motorcycle Safety in NSW launched

The Staysafe Committee has launched an inquiry into motorcycle safety in New South Wales and is calling for submissions as part of its review process.

“The fact that motorcyclists are over-represented in NSW road trauma compels the Committee to examine the reasons behind why this is the case, thoroughly review the existing safety actions to reduce motorcycle crashes, and even more importantly recommend how these actions can be strengthened,” said Mr Greg Aplin MP, Member for Albury and Chair of the Staysafe Committee.

While the NSW Motorcycle Safety Strategy 2012-2021 establishes the ten year direction of the NSW Government to make motorcycle riding in NSW safer and to reduce the motorcycle road toll, the Committee’s findings and recommendations will shape the next three year motorcycle safety action plan.

The Committee welcomes submissions from all relevant stakeholders who wish to improve motorcycle safety in NSW. The closing date for submissions is 9 September 2015.

Submissions can be emailed to staysafe@parliament.nsw.gov.au, lodged via the website, www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/staysafe, or mailed to: The Chair, Joint Committee on Road Safety, Parliament House, Macquarie Street, Sydney NSW 2000.

Further information about the inquiry can be obtained on the Committee’s website at:
<http://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/staysafe>

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