

BIKE RACK NUMBER PLATES & LIGHTS

SA Government Legislation requires that if you have a bicycle rack attached to the back of your car - you'll need a bike rack number plate.

A bike rack plate must be displayed if a bicycle rack obscures your rear number plate.

If your rear number plate is not easily visible, you are driving illegally.

You can either:

- Fit a BIKE RACK NUMBER PLATE or
- Remove the existing plate from the rear of the car and fit it to the bike rack

The BIKE RACK PLATE is the same as your vehicle plate number but it has black lettering on a white reflective background with the slogan 'SA BETTER BY BIKE' on the bottom of the number plate.

Between sunset and sunrise or during periods of poor visibility, the number plate on the rack must be illuminated with a white light, making the number clearly visible from a distance of 20 metres. This light must not project light to the rear of the vehicle, other than reflected light.

When you are carrying bicycles on your rack, if the brake lights on the motor vehicle are not visible from a distance of 200 metres under normal weather conditions, you must attach an additional brake light to the rack, which is visible from 200 metres.

Bike Plates can be ordered either in person at Service SA centres or DTEI Motor Registration offices. Alternatively they can be ordered online at www.ezyreg.sa.gov.au.