

f) Check of pressure in bottles

A valve, for the check of pressure by a manometer, must be mounted in each bottle.

g) Working of the extinguishing system

The system must work in any position, also when the bottle is overturned.

TITLE VIII

SPORTS CARS (Group 5)

Art. 268.—Definition: Two-seater competition cars especially manufactured for speed or long-distance races on closed circuits. Their use on open roads may however be foreseen and, in that case, the cars must include all elements normally provided and legally required for vehicles using public roads.

Art. 269.—General specifications: These cars should comply with the general prescriptions concerning cars of categories A and B (see Art. 253), except as regards the following points:

- a) the luggage trunk is optional (Art. 253 g),
- b) the spare-wheel is optional (Art. 253 l),
- c) in the case of an open car, the windshield and the transparent parts of the door are optional; however, if they are provided for, their dimensions are free (if no windshield is provided for, windshield-wipers are not compulsory),
- d) in the case of an open car, the opening delimiting the driver/passenger compartment must be symmetrical about the lengthwise centre-line of the car.
- e) An opaque and non-flexible part of the coachwork must extend downwards behind the rear wheels of the car to 20 cm minimum from the ground and over the entire width of the rear wheels and tyres.

This measurement should be done just before the start. It is understood that entrants have no right to bring any modification to the mudguards after the start of the race.

- f) Partition between the seats: Any partition between the seats shall not be higher than a straight line drawn across the cockpit from the lowest edge of one door to the lowest edge of the opposite door.

Besides, it is specified that the Appendix J distinguishes only an entirely open car, ie, the passenger's and the driver's seats uncovered, and entirely closed cars.

Sports cars must at least have the weight indicated on the scale hereafter:

engine cylinder-capacity inferior or equal to	500 cc:	450 kgs
" " " from	500 to	600 cc: 460 kgs
" " " " "	600 to	700 cc: 470 kgs
" " " " "	700 to	850 cc: 480 kgs
" " " " "	850 to	1,000 cc: 500 kgs
" " " " "	1,000 to	1,150 cc: 510 kgs
" " " " "	1,150 to	1,300 cc: 525 kgs
" " " " "	1,300 to	1,600 cc: 550 kgs
" " " " "	1,600 to	2,000 cc: 575 kgs
" " " " "	2,000 to	2,500 cc: 600 kgs
" " " " "	2,500 to	3,000 cc: 650 kgs
" " " " "	3,000 to	4,000 cc: 700 kgs
" " " " "	4,000 to	5,000 cc: 750 kgs
" " " " "	5,000 to	6,000 cc: 775 kgs
" " " " "	over 6,000 cc	: 800 kgs