

MJ's Event Services Ltd - Anti Idling Policy



In order to minimise vehicle emissions that negatively impact on the environment and health, MJ's Event Services Ltd is committed to reducing vehicle idling times at depots, in stationary traffic queues and at any other times unnecessary idling takes place. The company actively encourages drivers to reduce levels of idling.

Engine idling is the running of an engine which is not required for the examination or operation of machinery other than that used for driving the vehicle.

Anti-idling measures have been implemented to:



- Reduce unnecessary vehicle idling
- Improve air quality
- Protect health
- Reduce wasted fuel
- Reduce costs

The Highway Code states that 'you must not leave a parked vehicle unattended with the engine running or leave a vehicle engine running unnecessarily while the vehicle is stationary on a public road'.

- You are responsible for ensuring your vehicle does not idle unnecessarily
- You/your vehicle will be actively monitored and idling time reported by driver/vehicle

You are expected to follow these anti-idling rules:

- Don't leave an unattended vehicle's engine running
- Do not leave the engine running during loading and unloading (except where specific machinery requires it)
- Don't leave the engine running in the warehouse
- Don't leave the engine running when you are parked up, or when you are on a break
- Do not leave the engine running during loading and unloading
- Cab heaters are provided for cold starts and defrosting - use them rather than the engine to warm the cab
- If you anticipate being stationary for more than one minute in traffic consider turning your engine off

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