

## PCGB Forum Rules

To keep the discussion in all the PCGB forums at a courteous and professional level, please follow these rules. If you don't agree with the rules, please don't post messages. Failure to follow these rules may result in temporary or permanent moderation of all of your posts.

**1** Posts that are inaccurate, abusive, vulgar, hateful, harassing, obscene, profane, sexually oriented, threatening, rude, mean, nasty, invasive of a person's privacy, or otherwise against any reasonable standard of behaviour are not permitted. Such posts will be deleted without warning.

**2** The Moderator's decision on what contravenes Rule One is final.

**3** Please do not post information that breaks a non-disclosure agreement or for which you do not own the copyright. By all means post wish lists of what you would like to see in future products or accessories.

**4** Advertisements, chain letters, pyramid schemes, SPAM, virus warnings and solicitations are not permitted. Please do not post announcements about your company's products or services, or otherwise use the PCGB forums to bring attention to your product or service. Personal for sale postings are acceptable as long as they are an individual member/owner selling his/her personal car or accessories.

**5** Make sure that your message topics fit the description of the forum.

**6** Please do not be critical of other members' posts or start threads designed to be critical of others; if you are unhappy with another post or with the conduct of a member please use the 'Report Abuse'\* option.

## Preferred Do's and Don'ts:

- Don't quote the entire message that you're responding to, only the pertinent bit (use the 'quote' option).
- Please don't reproduce private emails without all parties' permission.
- Please don't reproduce deleted posts or start threads discussing them – if you think a post or thread should not have been deleted, contact the relevant moderator. If the moderator is unable to help please contact Admin; if Admin is unable to help please contact the Club Chairman.
- Please don't change the subject of a post when replying – many users scan headings only.
- Only post pictures when necessary since they can consume large volumes of disk storage and make for slow responses (remember: your Register Sec is always looking for pictures to add to the relevant section of the Club web site). Multiple large and/or lightly-compressed pictures slow the performance of the forums too much for modem users; please remember that web pictures only need to be 72 dpi and can be compressed without loss of definition.
- Please keep signatures in the body of your posting to a reasonable length to ensure that the thread's content remains readable. Do not include signatures that serve primarily to promote a product or service. It is suggested that a signature describe the model, year and key add-ons for your Porsche.
- PLEASE DON'T POST ENTIRE MESSAGES IN CAPITALS (use caps sparingly, like italics, for emphasis).

### \* Action when using 'Report Abuse'

Selecting 'Report abuse' causes the locator of the offending post to be sent, along with your user details, to the Moderators of the relevant Forum and to the Administrators; in most cases, Admin will make a simple judgment as to whether the report is valid and will advise the user who reported the 'abuse' and the moderator(s) of his decision; if this is not considered fair the reporter may write to a Board member for a second opinion.