

1 Sec. XX. 23 V.S.A. § 3502 is amended to read:

2 § 3502. REGISTRATION AND TRAIL ACCESS DECAL (TAD)

3 REQUIRED; EXCEPTIONS

4 (a)(1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, an individual shall not  
5 operate an ATV on the VASA Trail System, on State land designated by the  
6 Secretary pursuant to subdivision 3506(b)(4) of this title, or along any highway  
7 that is not adjacent to the property of the operator unless the ATV:

8 (A) is registered pursuant to this title or in accordance with  
9 subsection (e) of this section; and

10 (B) displays a valid VASA Trail Access Decal (TAD).

11 (2) Notwithstanding subdivision (1) of this subsection, neither  
12 registration nor display of a TAD is required to operate an ATV:

13 (A) ~~on~~ On the property of the owner of the ATV;

14 (B) ~~in~~ In a ski area, off the highway, for the purpose of grooming  
15 snow, maintenance, or in rescue operations;

16 (C) ~~for~~ For official use by a federal, State, or municipal agency if the  
17 ATV is identified with the name or seal of the agency in a manner approved by  
18 the Commissioner;

19 (D) ~~on~~ On privately owned land when the operator is specifically  
20 invited to do so by the owner of the property and carries the written consent of  
21 the owner.

1            (E) On frozen bodies of water as designated by the Agency of  
2            Natural Resources under the provisions of 10 V.S.A. § 2607. Notwithstanding  
3            subdivision 3506(b)(16) of this title, protective headgear is not required when  
4            an ATV is operated on a frozen body of water pursuant to this subdivision.

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