

LiPo/LiFe BATTERY APPROVAL ó Revised July 2012

Battery packs using Lithium Polymer (LiPo) or Lithium Iron Phosphate (LiFe) type cells may be used in ROAR racing classes after approval by the ROAR Technical Director.

The battery manufacturer/supplier must complete sections of this application form identifying the battery name, type, part number, manufacturer of final product, cell manufacturer, battery pack capacity, and battery pack voltage.

- If this is a New Submission, The battery manufacturer/supplier must submit two (2) identical battery packs to the ROAR Designated Lithium Polymer / Lithium Iron Phosphate battery test laboratory along with the original of the completed form. One of the packs will be subjected to destructive testing and the other will be held by ROAR in the battery archive.
- Previously Approved Batteries, which may have a running change or re-branding, only require one (1) sample be supplied for review. Include the Product Information which it is representing. No Fee is required for Sample Review.
- The address of the ROAR Designated test laboratory is: ROAR Li-Poly LiFe Battery Test Lab Attention: Ling-Kang Tong 38850 Altura Street Fremont, CA 94536 email: lingerxx@gmail.com
- The battery manufacturer must submit a Certification of Compliance of the cells used in the battery pack as it applies to United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, Manual of Test and Criteria (ST/SG/AC.10.1 1/Rev.4), if one is available from the cell manufacturer. The certification should at a minimum identify that the cells comply with UN T1 through T8 of the previously stated document. The Certification of Compliance shall be included with the battery packs that are shipped to the designated ROAR Li-Poly LiFe battery test laboratory. This requirement may be omitted if a Certificate of Compliance is not available.
- A check in the amount of \$100.00 shall be included in the package containing the battery packs that go to the ROAR Lithium Polymer battery test laboratory (or PayPal the USD\$100 to Linger1@Juno.com). These funds pay for the cost of performing the tests required for battery pack approval. The check should be written to: Ling-Kang Tong. Alternate payment methods, contact Ling at : lingerxx@gmail.com
- The ROAR Designated Battery test laboratory will inform the ROAR Technical Director of the results of each approval application. The ROAR Technical Director will inform the ROAR Administrator of the passing battery packs for inclusion in the Approved Battery List on the ROAR website. The ROAR Technical Director will inform the manufacturers of failed battery packs and establish a plan for gaining approval. This plan, will at a minimum, require additional testing to show compliance to the ROAR acceptance tests.
- 8.3.1.5 Battery approvals will be processed on a tri yearly basis. All proposed cells must be received by the ROAR Technical Director (NIMH or NICD) or the LiPo/LiFe INSPECTION LAB by the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 1<sup>st</sup> for February Approval; April 1<sup>st</sup> for May Approvals; and August 1<sup>st</sup> for September-Approval. The final decisions on approvals will be communicated to themanufacturer/distributor/assembler by the ROAR Technical Director or ROAR President and posted on the approval list on the website. All batteries must be submitted by ROAR Industry Affiliates.
- See section 8.3. of the ROAR Rulebook for battery requirements and additional information.
- ROAR also requires each battery manufacturer/supplier must be an ROAR Industry Affiliate prior the approval being posted on the ROAR website.



## For Manufacturer/Supplier Use Revised July 2012

** NEW SUBMISSION (2 Samples)		YES / NO		
		YES / NO		
		Orig Pack Name		
** PREVIOUS APPROVAL REVIEW (1 Sample	e) (	Orig Pack Part #		
** Battery Pack Manufacturer/Supplier:				
** Address				
** City	**St		**ZIP	
** Phone	**E			
* * Contact Person Name & Number if different				
** Battery Pack Name		** Part Number		
** Battery Type ** Capacity	/	** Pack Voltage		
** Cell Manufacturer				
** Required Data (forms will be returned if incon	ıplete)			

## For ROAR Use Only

Did the manufacturer/supplier provide four (2) battery packs?	Yes	No			
Is the manufacturer/supplier section above completely filled out?	Yes	No			
Did the manufacturer/supplier provide a Certificate of Compliance?	Yes	No			
Did the supplied pack(s) pass the Impact/Drop Test?	Yes	No			
(not performed if Certificate of Compliance provided)					
Did the supplied pack(s) pass the External Short Test?	Yes	No			
DISPOSITION OF TESTING THE SUPPLIED PACKS: PASS FAIL					

Comments:

Signed (test technician):\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_