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Just another 87 Spec car build

Posted by xsboost90 - 11 Mar 2011 19:46

Ok so i was told that i could not use my turbo tub for a spec car build, but i was determined to stick w/ a late chassis. Came across this on Craigslist and decided to buy it and get some cash back from some of the aftermarket parts on the car. It also came w/ some factory 15's besides the D90 wheels on it. Then im trading the rear lower turbo valance for another set of late 15's from my brother in law who swapped wheels on his S. Right now im in the collecting phase and after the turbo is parted i'll start ripping into her. Just picked up my 88 motor tonite from a friend down the street- he's been hoarding this for some time.

Re: Just another 87 Spec car build Posted by xsboost90 - 17 Nov 2011 20:21

Exhaust is done. Trans is filled w/ new fluid and axels in. Had to readjust the rear torsion bar on the ps as it was too high. Got the car out for a quick drive up the road and it was awesome! Now to start on the body. See my blog for more details.

Re: Just another 87 Spec car build Posted by Sterling Doc - 18 Nov 2011 14:41

AWESOME !!

Re: Just another 87 Spec car build Posted by B1BFlyer - 18 Nov 2011 15:13

Wait so we can't put ceramic coating or wrap on our exhaust/headers but we can rust coat them?

My car sits for long periods so I wouldn't mind doing this to mine as long as it's not against the rules.

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Re: Just another 87 Spec car build Posted by joepaluch - 21 Nov 2011 06:14

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The rules define what are the "headers". No paint or coating on this part. Anything that is "free" may have any all coating you want. Free is free.

Most of the time cosmetic stuff is fine, but always read the rules just in case.