



REQUEST OF INFORMATION

For a Texas Motor Vehicle

The Driver Privacy Protection Act restricts access to personal information on vehicle title and registration records. Your signature and a copy of your current government issued photo identification are required with this application to certify that the statements are true and correct for the described vehicle.

- I am the current recorded owner or lienholder of the vehicle.
- Written authorization is attached from the person(s) listed as the recorded owner, lienholder or previous owner.
- My authority to obtain vehicle information is shown as a Permitted Use in Section C – initial the appropriate line and check the applicable box in Section C (you must sign the statement below).

A. Vehicle Information

If you are not the owner/lienholder, you must have a written authorization or initial a Permitted Use in Section C.

Texas License Plate	Year	Make
Vehicle Identification Number	Title Document Number	

B. Applicant Information

Name			
Residence Address	City	State	ZIP Code
Phone	Email		
Entity Issuing ID and Type (i.e., TX Driver License, US Passport, etc.)	Government Photo ID Number	Expiration	

I certify that the statements on this application are true and in making this request, I also certify that the:

- Information requested is for a lawful and legitimate purpose and will be used only in accordance with [18 U.S.Code §§2721-2725 and Transportation Code, Chapter 730](#) (Driver Privacy Protection Acts).
- Personal information obtained pursuant to this request **will not** be used for marketing, solicitation or survey purposes, and
- I have not been convicted of a violation of either of the Driver Privacy Protection Acts, or violated a rule adopted by the department relating to the terms and conditions for release of personal information from vehicle records.
- I am aware that the Title and registration verification of a vehicle (current or expired) has a fee of \$2.00.

Applicant's Signature	Date
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Warning

Transportation code, Chapter 730 and 731, provide that a person who makes a false statement or misrepresents their identity in order to obtain personal information from the department records commits a class A misdemeanor, punished by a fine not to exceed \$4,000, up to one year in jail, or both.

C. Permitted Use

Use of the requested personal information is strictly limited to the following. Please Initial next to the appropriate line and check the applicable box that specifies your use.

_____ A governmental entity, including law enforcement (check applicable box):

- A government agency, including any court or law enforcement agency, in carrying out its functions.
- A private person or entity acting on behalf of a government agency in carrying out the functions of the agency.

_____ Use in connection with one of the following (check applicable box):

- Motor vehicle safety or motor vehicle operator safety.
- Motor vehicle emissions.
- Motor vehicle theft.
- Motor vehicle product alterations, recalls or advisories.
- Performance monitoring of motor vehicles, motor vehicle parts or motor vehicle dealers.
- Motor vehicle market research activities, including survey research.
- Removal of non-owner records from the original owner records of a motor vehicle manufacturer to carry out the purposes of the Automobile Information Disclosure Act, 15 U.S.C. §1231 et seq.; 49 U.S.C. Chapters 301, 305, 323, 325, 327, 329, and 331; the Anti Car Theft Act of 1992, 18 U.S.C. §§553, 981, 982, 2119, 2312, 2313, and 2322, 19 U.S.C. §§1646b and 1646c, and 42 U.S.C. §3750a et seq., all as amended; the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. §7401 et seq., as amended.

_____ Use in the normal course of business by a legitimate business or its authorized agent, but only to verify accuracy of personal information submitted by the individual; and if the information is not correct, to obtain the correct information for the sole purpose of preventing fraud by, pursuing a legal remedy against or recovering on a debt or security interest against the individual.

_____ In conjunction with a civil, criminal, administrative or arbitral proceeding in any court or government agency or before any self-regulatory body, including service of process, investigation in anticipation of litigation, execution or enforcement of a judgment or order, or under an order of any court.

_____ For child support enforcement under Chapter 231, Family Code.

_____ Use in research or in producing statistical reports, but only if the personal information is NOT published, redisclosed, or used to contact any individual.

_____ Use by an insurer or insurance support organization, a self-insured entity or as its authorized agent of the entity in connection with claims investigation activities, antifraud activities, rating or underwriting.

_____ Use in providing notice to an owner of a towed or impounded vehicle.

_____ Use by a licensed private investigation agency or licensed security service authorized to use the information for a purpose listed.

_____ Use by an employer or its agent or insurer of the employer to obtain or verify information relating to a holder of a commercial driver license that is required under 49 U.S.C., Chapter 313.

_____ Use in connection with the operation of a private toll transportation facility.

D. Disclosure

Resale and Redisclosure: Motor vehicle record information obtained for a permitted use may not be resold or redisclosed unless the information is used only for the permitted use, and must be maintained for a period of not less than 5 years by the person or entity that received the information. The purchaser must also provide a copy of those vehicle records to the department upon request.

Information obtained as a result of this request may not be resold or redisclosed in the same or substantially identical format as it is received from the TxDMV.

Favor de comunicarse con un supervisor, si necesita ayuda debido a su impedimento fisico o si requiere servicio de traducción. Please contact a supervisor should you need assistance due to a physical impairment or if you require translation services.