

Application for transfer of registration

This form is to be used to change the registered operator⁽¹⁾ of a currently registered⁽²⁾ vehicle (e.g. car, motorcycle, caravan) with Victorian number plates attached. **This form must be completed and signed by both the seller⁽³⁾ and the buyer⁽⁴⁾ and returned to VicRoads within 14 days of vehicle sale.**

You can now transfer your vehicle online! Sellers must first submit an online Notice of Disposal via their myVicRoads account. Once the vehicle has been transferred, buyers complete the transfer in their myVicRoads account by providing the roadworthy certificate and paying the transfer fee and motor vehicle duty (if applicable).

Pre-transfer checklist

	Seller	Buyer
Vehicle status		
Confirm the Victorian registration is current (not suspended or cancelled) and not subject to any sanctions that will prevent the registration transfer. Refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/registration-check	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Confirm that there is no money owing on the vehicle, it's not reported stolen or recorded as written-off. Check the Personal Property Security Register (PPSR) online at ppsr.gov.au or call 1300 007 777 .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Right to transfer		
Confirm the seller has the right to transfer the vehicle by sighting a certificate of registration/renewal or by confirming the vehicle is recorded in the seller's myVicRoads account. Check the details, including the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) ⁽⁵⁾ , match the physical vehicle.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Confirm the buyer (individual or company) has a Victorian licence/customer number ⁽⁶⁾ . If the buyer does not have a Victorian licence/customer number, full evidence of identity documentation must be provided in person at a VicRoads Customer Service Centre. Refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/identity for requirements. If the buyer has an interstate or overseas licence, refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/interstate-transfer for information.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Roadworthy certificate		
Organise a Victorian Certificate of Roadworthiness (RWC) ⁽⁷⁾ for the vehicle no more than 30 days before the date of sale ⁽⁸⁾ , unless exempt. Refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-exemptions The registration number on the RWC must match the VIN on the vehicle.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number plates		
Confirm the number plates are attached to the vehicle. If the seller wants to keep the rights to their custom number plates, the seller must notify VicRoads, remove the custom plates and attach new number plates before the registration transfer.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vehicle transfer		
Write a receipt as proof of purchase and ownership, and keep a copy (or photo). Include the following information (at minimum) on the receipt: <ul style="list-style-type: none">The vehicle registration number and VIN or chassis numberSeller and buyer names and signaturesDate and time of the sale. To record the above details, a <i>Receipt of vehicle sale</i> template is available at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-forms . The receipt is not required to be presented to VicRoads as part of registration transfer.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Remember to update your toll provider, roadside assistance and insurance accounts.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Notify VicRoads of the transfer of registration

To complete a registration transfer, provide VicRoads with all the transfer details and the RWC and fees (unless exempt) within 14 days of sale by:

- Transferring the vehicle online when the seller and/or buyer have **myVicRoads** accounts. The seller must first submit a Notice of Disposal, and the next day the buyer can complete the transfer using myVicRoads by providing the RWC and fees (unless exempt)
- Visiting a VicRoads Customer Service Centre with evidence of identity, refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/office-locations
- Mail (including a completed *Credit or debit card authorisation* form if paying by credit or debit card, available at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-forms).
Mail to: GPO Box 1644, Melbourne VIC 3001

If you are acting on behalf of the seller, buyer, or a company, you must provide your details on this form to transfer the registration.

For deceased estates, refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/deceased-estate

Privacy statement

Personal information VicRoads collects from you may be used by VicRoads as permitted by the *Road Safety Act 1986* and the *Marine Safety Act 2010*. VicRoads may disclose personal information it collects from you to various organisations and persons as permitted by law, particularly by the *Road Safety Act 1986*. This includes the photograph and other information on your driver licence or learner permit being used for the purposes of biometric matching through the National Driver Licence Facial Recognition Solution for law enforcement, national security and other purposes. Personal information may be disclosed to contractors and agents of VicRoads, law enforcement agencies, other road and traffic authorities, the Transport Accident Commission, vehicle manufacturers (for safety recalls), road safety researchers, courts and other organisations or people authorised to use the personal information.

Failure to provide the information may result in this form not being processed, or records not being properly maintained. For further information about our use of your personal information and your right of access to it, see VicRoads brochure *Protecting your privacy* or contact VicRoads on 13 11 71.

WARNING: Both the seller and buyer need to provide complete and accurate information so the registration can be transferred successfully. Otherwise, the registration will not be transferred, and the seller may be liable for any traffic offences that the buyer (new registered operator) may incur.

Definitions

- (1) **Registered operator** – an individual or corporation who owns or manages a vehicle and has the right to register it. To register a vehicle the individual must be aged at least 16 years for a light vehicle, and 18 years for a motorcycle or heavy vehicle. There can only be one registered operator per vehicle.
- (2) **Current registration** – registration expires at midnight of the registration expiry date. VicRoads will cancel the registration if it is not renewed within 3 months after expiry. If the vehicle does not meet this definition, do not use this form and refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfers for unregistered transfer information.
- (3) **Seller** – the person who is transferring/disposing of or giving the vehicle.
- (4) **Buyer** – the person who is acquiring or receiving the vehicle.
- (5) **Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)** – a unique 17 digit identifier made up of numbers and letters on a vehicle. For vehicles manufactured prior to 1989, please provide a chassis number.
- (6) **Victorian licence/customer number** – a customer number is a unique 9 digit number issued by VicRoads to corporations and individuals. The customer number is the same as a Victorian licence number if an individual has been issued with a learner permit or driver licence.
- (7) **Certificate of Roadworthiness (RWC)** – also known as a Roadworthy Certificate, issued by a Victorian Licenced Vehicle Tester to certify if a vehicle is in roadworthy condition. It is valid for 30 days from the date of issue, unless a defect notice is issued within the period of validity.
- (8) **Date of sale** – refers to the date of transfer or delivery, when the buyer takes possession of the vehicle from the seller.
- (9) **Australian Company Number (ACN)** – a unique 9 digit number issued to a company by Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC).
- (10) **Garage address** – where the vehicle will normally be kept (e.g. home, office or heavy vehicle depot). VicRoads will only register vehicles garaged in Victoria.
- (11) **Market value** – also known as dutiable value, is the vehicle purchase price or the price at which a vehicle might reasonably be sold on the open market, whichever is higher.

For example, you bought a vehicle from your friend/family member for \$10,000 (purchase price), but if they had instead sold it to someone they didn't know on the open market they might have been paid \$20,000. In this case, the market value is \$20,000 not the price you paid.

- (12) **Motor vehicle duty** – the duty payable on a transfer of registration of a motor vehicle. The rate of duty is charged per \$200, or part, of the dutiable value of the vehicle based on the vehicle classification below. Light trailers (including caravans) are exempt from motor vehicle duty. Please visit [transfer-fees-and-roadworthy-exemptions](http://vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-fees) for more information regarding exemptions.

Use the **online calculator** at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-fees to calculate the applicable motor vehicle duty or refer to the table and calculation below.

Vehicle classification	Rate for calculation
Regardless of the market value:	
• The vehicle is a Low Emission Vehicle	
• The buyer is a primary producer, or	
• The vehicle is a non-passenger vehicle (motorbike, van, bus, truck, heavy trailer, equipment)	0.042
Market value of the vehicle is up to \$67,525	0.042
Market value of the vehicle is over \$67,525 up to \$100,000	0.052
Market value of the vehicle is over \$100,000 up to \$150,000	0.07
Market value of the vehicle is more than \$150,000	0.09

How to calculate motor vehicle duty

Rate for calculation*		Round up Market value to the closest \$200		Motor vehicle duty
0.0	x	\$	A	= \$ B

* Use the rate applicable to market value as per the *Vehicle classification* in the above table.

- (13) **Transfer fee** – the fee payable by the proposed registered operator when transferring operation of a registered vehicle. Transfer fees are subject to change.

The current transfer fee is available at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-fees

- (14) **Low Emission Vehicle** – tailpipe CO₂ emissions of 120g/km or less. Check your vehicle's emission levels at greenvehicleguide.gov.au
- (15) **Primary producer** – an individual or company engaged solely or substantially in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural, dairying, pastoral or other like activities, or who is the holder of a licence under the *Fisheries Act 1995* to take fish for sale.
- (16) **Australian Registered Body Number (ARBN)** – a unique 9 digit identifier issued to registerable bodies and foreign companies by Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC).

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All fields are mandatory and should be completed clearly in ink using BLOCK letters. VicRoads' vehicle register is not a register of title (vehicle ownership).

Vehicle details

Registration number Make

Model Year Body type

VIN⁽⁵⁾ (or chassis number if no VIN)

Date of sale⁽⁸⁾ (dd/mm/yyyy) To avoid liability for traffic offences and penalties, provide the exact date the vehicle was sold/transferred.

Is this vehicle recorded on the Victorian or interstate written-off vehicles register?
No Yes The seller must inform the buyer in writing if the vehicle is recorded on the Victorian or an interstate written-off vehicles register. Refer to ppsr.gov.au for information.

Certificate of Roadworthiness (RWC)⁽⁷⁾

An original Victorian RWC issued not more than 30 days before the date of sale must be attached, unless exempt. Refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/vehicle-exemptions Exempt

RWC serial number RWC issue date (dd/mm/yyyy)

RWC tester's licence number

The original RWC must be attached when this form is lodged.

Seller details

Surname or company name

Given name(s) or ACN/ARBN⁽⁹⁾⁽¹⁶⁾

Victorian licence/customer number⁽⁶⁾ of seller or company

Residential address or company address
Postcode

Mobile phone no. (or other if not applicable)

Email

Representative's details (if applicable) – If someone is lodging the transfer on behalf of the seller, their details must be provided:

Full name of representative

Victorian licence/customer number⁽⁶⁾ of representative

Declaration

WARNING: Providing false and/or misleading information or documents is a serious offence under the Road Safety Act 1986 and/or Marine Safety Act 2010 and can result in you being fined or imprisoned. Any authority or approval, given as a result of you providing such information/documents, may be reversed and have no effect.

By signing this form, I declare that the information in this form and related supporting documents is true, correct and complete, and I understand the privacy statement on page 1. I acknowledge that a copy of this form may be provided by VicRoads to the buyer or seller upon request.

Seller signature

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Buyer details

Surname or company name

Given name(s) or ACN/ARBN⁽⁹⁾⁽¹⁶⁾

Victorian licence/customer number⁽⁶⁾ of buyer or company

If the buyer/company does not have a Victorian licence/customer number, full evidence of identity documentation must be provided in person at a VicRoads Customer Service Centre.

Residential address or company address
Postcode

Postal address (if different to residential address or company address)
Postcode

Garage address⁽¹⁰⁾ (if different to residential address or company address)
Postcode

Mobile phone no. (or other if not applicable)

Email

Representative's details (if applicable) – If someone is lodging the transfer on behalf of the buyer, their details must be provided:

Full name of representative

Victorian licence/customer number⁽⁶⁾ of representative

Market value⁽¹¹⁾ or sale price of the vehicle
\$ **A** Declare the greater of the market value or the sale price. To avoid penalties do not under declare the market value.

Payment details

Use the **online calculator** at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-fees to determine the applicable motor vehicle duty⁽¹²⁾ and transfer fee⁽¹³⁾.

For fee and duty exemptions, refer to vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-exemptions

Motor vehicle duty \$ **B** Exempt

Transfer fee \$ **C** Exempt

Total fee payable **B** + **C** = \$

Tick if applicable: Low Emission Vehicle⁽¹⁴⁾ Buyer is a primary producer⁽¹⁵⁾

To apply for a primary producer concession, complete a *Primary producer concession application* form available at vicroads.vic.gov.au/transfer-forms

Who is lodging this form? Seller Buyer Representative

OFFICE RWC exemption code Transfer fee exemption code MVD exemption code EOI sighted

