

TO ENSURE YOUR LIABILITY IS RELEASED, PLEASE FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW.
THE FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL. PRINT IN CAPITAL LETTERS USING BLACK OR BLUE INK.

DMV DOCUMENT IMAGING USE ONLY

NOTICE OF TRANSFER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

MAIL THIS FORM TO DMV
OR FILE ONLINE AT dmv.ca.gov


NEW OWNER'S LAST NAME (OR) COMPANY NAME		FIRST		APT NUMBER		ODOMETER READING (NO TENTHS)	
NEW OWNER'S ADDRESS							
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	DATE OF SALE, TRANSFER, OR LEASE RETURN				
			MO.	DAY	YR.		
SELLER'S OR LESSEE'S LAST NAME (OR) COMPANY NAME		FIRST		APT NUMBER		SELLING PRICE (NO CENTS)	
SELLER'S OR LESSEE'S ADDRESS						WHOLE DOLLARS	
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	DATE OF SALE, TRANSFER, OR LEASE RETURN				
			MO.	DAY	YR.		
VEHICLE LICENSE OR CF NUMBER		MAKE OR BUILDER	YEAR MODEL	VEHICLE ID OR VESSEL HULL NUMBER		IF VEHICLE IS A GIFT, ENTER 0 FOR SELLING PRICE	
						SELLER'S OR LESSEE'S SIGNATURE	
						X	

WARNING! You must provide accurate, legible information: vehicle/vessel description, your name/address, buyer's name/address, and date of sale, transfer, or lease return, or the information SHALL NOT be updated or retained.

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NOTICE OF TRANSFER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

 <p>Please Protect Yourself! Submit a Notice of Transfer and Release of Liability Give Us FIVE in FIVE</p>	1. VEHICLE OR VESSEL DESCRIPTION	4. DATE OF SALE, TRANSFER, OR LEASE RETURN
	2. NEW OWNER'S NAME AND ADDRESS	5. YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS
	3. ODOMETER READING	<i>Within 5 Days</i>

This form may be filed online at dmv.ca.gov and a receipt can be printed ensuring it had been received.
This form may also be mailed, but no notification will be sent that it was received.

WARNING: You must provide accurate, legible information: vehicle/vessel description, your name/address, new owner's name and address, and the date of sale, transfer, or lease return.

Otherwise the information WILL NOT be updated or retained.

You WILL NOT receive notification that the information was not updated or retained.

Pay careful attention to write the new owner's information in the new owner section and the seller's information in the seller's section. If you have multiple vehicles or sell multiple vehicles at the same time, be sure to enter the correct vehicle license plate and vehicle identification number for the correct vehicle and list the correct new owner. File this form within 5 days of the transaction taking place. Submitting this notice yourself is the best way to ensure DMV gets all the information in a timely manner. If you give this form to the new owner, they may never submit it to DMV on your behalf.

IF YOU ARE COMPLETING THIS FORM INSTEAD OF FILING ONLINE AT dmv.ca.gov,
DETACH AND KEEP THIS PART FOR YOUR RECORDS AND MAIL THE TOP CARD TO DMV.
DO NOT MAIL A COPY OF A BILL OF SALE OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENTATION WITH THIS FORM.

(See Reverse for Additional Information)

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