Australian Government



Road Vehicle Standards

Checklist for a reimportation import approval application

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Approval holder and vehicle details

- Identify who will be the approval holder and provide their details.
- Identify the vehicle you are applying to re-import, including the type of vehicle, (car, motorbike, truck, trailer, etc.) make, model and year of manufacture.
- \square Provide proof of ownership, for example, a purchase invoice, receipt or registration documents.

Information needed for your application

- Say where the vehicle is located (which country). The vehicle must be outside Australia at the time you make the application.
- Provide a clear photo of the Australian identification plate, used import plate or details of the Register of Approved Vehicles (RAV) entry number.
- Provide clear photos of the vehicle taken in a well-lit area. The vehicle must be consistent with the information supplied from the RAV or details set out in the identification or used import plate.
- \square Provide details of any modifications made to the vehicle while overseas.
- Provide details of any contraventions of road vehicle legislation (or contraventions which may have been made) by the applicant.
- Complete the declarations that the information supplied is true and correct and that, if your approval is granted, you will comply with the conditions.

Further information

For further information, please visit the department's website or submit an online enquiry.

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