



# Road Vehicle Standards

## Checklist for concessional RAV entry approval applications for an older vehicle

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### Approval holder details

- Identify who (individual or corporation) would be the approval holder responsible for meeting all the approval conditions.
- Provide proof of ownership or that you are in the process of buying the vehicle such as a purchase invoice, registration certificate or conditional purchase document.
- If you are not the owner, provide documentation to show you have permission from the owner to import the vehicle.

### Vehicle details

- Provide the vehicle's make, model and seating capacity.
- Provide the vehicle's VIN or chassis number.
- Provide the vehicle's motive power (petrol, diesel, LPG).
- Provide the vehicle's year of manufacture to show it is more than 25 years old. Information showing its build date could include:
  - the original sales document
  - from certain countries, a deregistration certificate
  - a photograph of the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN).
- Provide photographs of the front, rear and side (left and right), engine bay and interior of the vehicle.
- Provide photographs of the VIN or chassis number.
- If it is a light commercial vehicle, provide credible documentation showing its gross vehicle mass (GVM) is less than 3,500 kg.

## Information about significant vehicle modifications

- Provide information about the type of any significant vehicle modifications and date(s) they were performed.
- Provide additional supporting material, for example, photographs of each [significant modification](#) and material to support the date of each listed modification. If it is a passenger or light goods vehicle, the supporting material should address modifications to the body, chassis, drivetrain, brakes or steering.
- If it is a motorcycle, the supporting material should address modifications to the frame or drivetrain.

## Quick links

- [Guide to concessional RAV entry approvals](#)
- [Concessional RAV entry approvals](#)
- [Guidance note—The effect of significant modifications on older vehicles](#)
- [How to import your older vehicle \(25 years or older\)](#)

## Further information

For further information, please visit the [department's website](#) or submit an [online enquiry](#).