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WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING

Affidavit of Inheritance/Litigation

Use this form if you have inherited a vehicle or vessel or were awarded one through litigation. To find out if you need additional documents, see **Affidavit of Loss/Release of Interest, Owner deceased,** contact a vehicle licensing office, or call (360) 902-3770, option 5.

License plate/Registration #	Vehicle identification/Vessel hull identification # (VIN/HIN)	Year	Make	Model	Body style

Inheritance – Complete this section when no executor or administrator is appointed for the deceased.
Submit this form with the vehicle or vessel title and a copy of the death certificate. An Odometer Disclosure Statement or a Release of Interest may be required.

I certify that _____ (Name of deceased), the registered owner of this vehicle/vessel, died on the _____ (Day) day of _____ (Month), _____ (Year). The deceased left no estate necessitating administration, and no letters of administration or letters testamentary have been issued to any persons. The vehicle/vessel has not been bequeathed by will to anyone other than the person signing below who is _____ (Relationship to deceased) of the deceased. No relative who would have prior right, except _____ (Person who would have prior right) survives the deceased, and provision has been made for payment of debts of the deceased.

_____ (Printed name)

X _____ (Signature) Print completed for; sign and date here _____ (Date)

Notarization/Certification – You don't need your signature notarized if you sign in front of a WA vehicle licensing agent, who can certify your signature.

State of _____ County of _____

Signed or attested before me on _____ by _____ (Name of person(s) signing this document)

(Seal or stamp)

_____ (Notary/Agent/Subagent signature)

_____ (Notary printed or stamped name)

Title _____ and _____ (Dealer or county/office number or notary expiration date)

Litigation – County Clerk Certificate of Transfer of Vehicle or Vessel
This certificate, properly completed, will take the place of all other court papers.
Submit this form with a Vehicle or Vessel Title Application and an Odometer Disclosure Statement (if applicable).

I certify that in the superior court of the state of Washington for the County of _____ :

1. For orders of the court transferring title (including divorce and probate):

   An order transferring title to this vehicle/vessel to _____ (Transferee)

   at _____ (Transferee address)

   was duly entered in _____ (Title of case)

   _____ (Name of administrator (if in probate)) _____ (Docket number of case)

   on the _____ (Day) day of _____ (Month), _____ (Year).

2. For those cases in which the estate executor or administrator transfers title:

   _____ (Name of executor/administrator) was duly appointed under the nonintervention will of _____ (Name of deceased) and is qualified to act as such, and that a decree of solvency has been entered.

X Executor/Administrator sign and date here.
_____ (Executor/Administrator signature) _____ (Date)

X County Clerk sign and date here.
_____ (County Clerk signature) _____ (Date)