OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES

# UNCLAIMED MOTOR VEHICLE AFFIDAVIT

Section 4505.101 of the Ohio Revised Code (R.C.)

The purpose of the affidavit is to affirm that the requirements of section 4505.101 of the R.C. have been satisfied in order to obtain a certificate of title for an unclaimed motor vehicle with a vehicle value less than three thousand five hundred dollars ($3500).

| BUSINESS NAME OF REPAIR GARAGE / PLACE OF STORAGE OR TOWING SERVICE / STORAGE FACILITY | | |
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| BUSINESS STREET ADDRESS | P.O. BOX | COUNTY |
| CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| BUSINESS OWNER / AUTHORIZED AGENT NAME | BUSINESS TELEPHONE | ALTERNATIVE TELEPHONE |

**VEHICLE INFORMATION** *The owner's information as identified from the search of the records of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV)*

| OWNER'S NAME ON TITLE | OWNER'S ADDRESS | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| LIENHOLDER'S NAME ON TITLE *(if applicable)* | LIENHOLDER'S ADDRESS | | |
| VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (VIN) | YEAR | MAKE | MODEL |
| Is this a Replica Motor Vehicle? ☐ Yes ☐ No - If yes, provide: | YEAR | MAKE | MODEL |

**VEHICLE VALUE** *(must be less than $3500 to use this affidavit)*

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| Wholesale Value (as provided in a vehicle valuation guide recognized by the motor vehicle industry) | (A) $ |
| Estimated cost of repairs to restore vehicle to wholesale value | (B) $ |
| Cost of agreed upon repairs | (C) $ |
| **VEHICLE VALUE** | (A) – (B) – (C) = **$** |
| Towing fees* | (1) $ |
| Storage fees* (only for the period of time the vehicle was stored without payment) | (2) $ |
| **AMOUNT PAID TO THE CLERK** | VEHICLE VALUE - (1) – (2) = **$** |

** Maximum fees for Towing Services, see page 2 of the affidavit.*

**CHECK ONE BOX IN SECTION A OR B AND COMPLETE REQUIRED INFORMATION**

**SECTION A - REPAIR GARAGE / PLACE OF STORAGE** *(with an agreement)*
*A motor vehicle has been left unclaimed for 15 days or more after the completion of a requested repair or agreed term of storage. (must include copies of notices and certified returned mail receipts)*

| ☐ **Repair garage with a repair agreement** | ☐ **Place of Storage with a storage agreement** | |
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| DATE OF COMPLETED REPAIR / TERM OF STORAGE | DATE CERTIFIED MAIL SENT | DATE OF SIGNED RECEIPT OR UNDELIVERABLE NOTICE |

**SECTION B FOR TOWING SERVICE / STORAGE FACILITY UNDER AUTHORITY OF SECTION R.C. 4513.601**
*(must include copies of notices and certified returned mail receipts)*

| ☐ **Towing Service that removed the vehicle under division (B) of section R.C. 4513.601.** | ☐ **Storage Facility where a for-hire motor carrier delivered a motor vehicle under section R.C. 4513.601.** |
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| DATE VEHICLE WAS DROPPED OFF / TOWED | DATE OF 1ST NOTICE (within 5 business days of received BMV records search) |
| DATE OF 2ND NOTICE (30 days after 1st notice) | DATES OF SIGNED RECEIPTS OR UNDELIVERABLE NOTICES |

**UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, DAYS ARE EQUAL TO CALENDAR DAYS.**

By completing this form, I am hereby affirming that **ALL of the requirements** of sections 4505.101 and/or 4513.601 of the R.C. have been met and I attest that all the information contained on this form is true and accurate. I understand that providing false information may constitute a criminal offense of falsification under section 2921.13 of the R.C. and is a misdemeanor of the first degree.

| SIGNATURE OF BUSINESS OWNER / AUTHORIZED AGENT | DATE OF APPLICATION |
|---|---|
| **X** | |

**Notary**

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 20 ____ in _____ County, State of _____.

(Notary Seal)

**X**_____ My commission expires _____

Signature of Notary Public or other Authorized Officer by law

NOTE: A motor vehicle dealer licensed in accordance with 4517 of the R.C., who is the owner or purchaser of the motor vehicle, is not required to have this document notarized under section 4505.063 of the R.C.

**ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION MAY BE REQUIRED UPON REQUEST OF THE CLERK OF COURTS.**

*THE ACCEPTANCE OF PRESENTED DOCUMENTATION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A TITLE IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CLERK.*

## FEES

The following storage and tow removal fees for Towing Services are detailed below. The fees are established by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio's (PUCO) regulatory authority (Ohio Administrative Code 4901:2-24-03).

| **REMOVAL OF VEHICLE** | |
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| Maximum fee for vehicles less than 10,001 lbs. (mfg.GVW*) | $ 144 |
| Maximum fee for vehicles greater than 10,001 lbs. and less than 26,000 lbs. (mfg. GVW*) | $ 247 |
| Maximum fee for vehicles greater than 26,000 lbs. (mfg. GVW*) | $ 410 |

| **STORAGE OF VEHICLE** | |
|---|---|
| Maximum fee for vehicles less than 10,001 lbs. (mfg. GVW*) per 24 hour period | $ 22 |
| Maximum fee for vehicles greater than 10,001 lbs. and less than 26,000 lbs. (mfg. GVW*) per 24 hour period | $ 38 |
| Maximum fee for vehicles greater than 26,000 lbs. (mfg. GVW*) per 24 hour period | $ 82 |

*Manufacturer's Gross Vehicle Weight