Information

Any vehicle used on a public street is required to be registered. Under the Vehicle and Traffic Act 1999 a “public street” means “any street, road, lane, thoroughfare, footpath, bridge or place open to or used by the public, or to which the public have or are permitted to have access, whether on payment of a fee or otherwise”. A restricted registration may be approved for any vehicle which will only be used on limited sections of a public street. Vehicles that are approved for a restricted registration are exempt from the payment of motor tax, duty and pay a reduced MAIB premium.

Once approved, vehicles must display a yellow number plate with red characters beginning R or RV. Normal roadworthiness conditions apply. Vehicle users are required to hold a current driver licence of the appropriate class.

The Motor Accidents Insurance Board requirements in respect to the payment of premium and subsequent third party personal injury coverage is that:

The correct premium must be paid for the use of the motor vehicle in the circumstances or conditions in which the motor vehicle is to be used.

This means that should the application be made for restricted registration, then the vehicle will only be covered for that specific use. If the vehicle is used, other than in the circumstances or conditions of its registration, the vehicle will be unregistered and uninsured during that use.

Examples of vehicles that may be approved for restricted registration include the following:

**Vehicles towing a boat**
To be used between a specified dwelling and launching ramp.

**Certain agricultural vehicles**
On specified sections of road between parts of a farm or separate properties. **Please note:** Farm tractors are not eligible for Restricted Registration.

**Vehicles associated with a factory, warehouse or mining site**
For infrequent transport on limited sections of road between the factory and warehouse, warehouse and transport depot, mining site and processing plant, etc.

**Recreational All-Terrain Vehicles for private use**
In approved recreation areas.

**Other off-road vehicles**
In approved areas only.

**Golf Buggies**
For use on private and public golf courses.

**Snow Mobiles**
Vehicles constructed primarily for over snow use in designated National Park areas.

**Vehicles not normally approved for restricted registration are:**
- Trailers;
- Earth moving machinery or Farm Tractors;
- All-Terrain Vehicles not manufactured by a recognised manufacturer and without an engineer’s report on the safety and stability of the vehicle. Recognised manufacturers include Polaris, Yamaha, BMW, Kawasaki, Honda or Suzuki.

Class of Restricted Registration

Restricted registration is approved under the following categories:

- **A1, A2 Agricultural/Industrial use**
  - where the vehicle is used solely for agricultural or industrial use and requires limited access to public streets while moving from one part of the property to another.
  - where the vehicle is used for recreational use on public land (Municipal, State or Commonwealth).

- **B Recreational use**
  - (All-Terrain Vehicles only) where the vehicle issued for roadside maintenance such as grass cutting or weed spraying.
  - where the vehicle is used for the towing of a boat and trailer to and from a person’s property to the nearest launching ramp.

- **C Municipal and other work use**
  - an electric or combustion powered vehicle designed as a 3 or 4 wheeled golf buggy used either on private or public golf courses that use public thoroughfares or cross public roads.
  - where the vehicle is used in designated National Park areas.

- **D Boat transportation use**

- **E Golf Buggies**

- **F Over Snow Vehicles**

Will my Application be successful?

If your application falls into one of the six categories listed, and you meet the conditions outlined in the Application Procedure below and the application form at the back of this brochure, a restricted registration may be approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.
Application Procedure

There are six steps you must follow when applying for a restricted registration:

1. Complete application form
   Complete the application form which is attached to the back of this brochure (Application for Restricted Registration).
   Note: If your vehicle is manufactured after 1988, it should have a 17 digit Vehicle Identification Number (VIN). You must write the VIN in the space provided on the application form. For vehicles built prior to 1989 that do not have a VIN, write the chassis number in the space provided.

2. Provision of map
   For all applications that do not involve municipal work, recreational usage on public land or golf courses, you must provide an acceptable map that clearly details the following:
   • route to be taken
   • names of roads/streets used
   • location of properties on map between which the vehicle will be travelling, including property names
   • exact distance to be travelled
   Acceptable maps are a Tasmanian Street Atlas, Tasmania 1:100 000 Topographic Map (published by the Department of Primary Industries, Water and Environment), or any published map that clearly shows the above.

3. Evidence of identity and residential address
   All applications must be accompanied with Evidence of Identity and residential address. A current Tasmanian Photo Driver Licence will be accepted as sufficient Evidence of Identity and residential address. You may simply quote your Tasmanian Photo Driver Licence number if you are sending your application via mail. If you do not have a current Tasmanian Photo Driver Licence you will be required to provide Evidence of Identity documents.

   For further information on Evidence of Identity call 1300 135 513 or visit any Service Tasmania shop.

   You can prove your residential address by providing at least one of the following: a current credit card or bank account statement; recent telephone, gas or electricity account, or Council rates notice; or Commonwealth entitlement card (Pensioner concession card etc.)

4. Proof of entitlement to register
   All applications must be accompanied with proof of entitlement to register the vehicle.

   Vehicles not previously registered
   Acceptable proof of entitlement to register include a receipt, invoice, bill of sale or statutory declaration.

   Vehicles currently or previously registered
   If the vehicle is registered in your name you will need to provide the current registration papers or registration number.
   If the vehicle is not registered in your name you will need to supply the registration number and signed authority from the previous registered operator (e.g. receipt, disposal advice, registration papers, bill of sale, etc.)

5. Return of registration plates
   If the vehicle is presently affixed with registration plates, you will need to return these plates at the time your restricted registration is issued. If registration is current, a refund of the remaining registration may apply.

6. Declaration
   The declaration binds you to agree to the conditions of the restricted registration. The restricted registration on the vehicle may be cancelled if any of the conditions are breached while being used on a public street.

Presenting your Application

   Your application should comprise the following:
   • application form
   • map (if applicable)
   • Evidence of identity and residential address
   • proof of entitlement to register.

Application to be lodged in person at Service Tasmania. It can be assessed while you wait, and if your application is successful a restricted registration can be approved at this time and you can pay the required fees and obtain your plates, certificate of registration, and list of conditions under which the vehicle can be used.

For further information regarding restricted registration, contact the Transport Enquiry Service on 1300 135 513.
Application for Restricted Registration

How to complete this Application

To complete this application you will need to do the following:

- Fully complete sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this form
- Provide Evidence of identity and residential address (see point 3)
- Provide proof of entitlement to register the vehicle (see point 4)
- If the vehicle is presently affixed with registration plates, they will need to be returned before restricted registration plates can be issued
- Attach a map (Tasmanian Street Atlas, Tasmania 1:100 000 Topographic Map published by Department of Primary Industries, Water and Environment, or any published map) clearly indicating the route to be taken. This is not required for municipal work, recreational or golf use (refer to classes overleaf).
- Sign and date the declaration (Section 4) on the other side of this form

Note: If submitting your application by mail, you should attach a copy of the Evidence of Identity and residential address (if no Tasmanian Photo Driver Licence) and proof of entitlement to register.

Section 1 – Registered Operator Details

A Company/Incorporated Associations

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<tr>
<th>Full Name</th>
<th>ACN/Inc. Assoc. No.</th>
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B Single or Joint Registered Operator(s)  Note: Heavy vehicles (GVM>4.5t cannot be registered in joint names).

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<tr>
<th>Full Name</th>
<th>Operator 1</th>
<th>Full Name</th>
<th>Operator 2</th>
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On behalf of **Optional (see below)**

A & B Address Details

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<th>Residential/Company Address</th>
<th>Postcode</th>
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<td>Mail Address</td>
<td>Postcode</td>
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<td>Garage Address</td>
<td>Must be Tasmanian</td>
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*Designated operator: If registering in joint (2) operators names, the name of a designated operator must be provided. This person must be one of two registered operators and is normally the usual driver of the vehicle. You will both remain as Joint Operators.

**If registering on behalf of an unincorporated business or joint owners of a heavy vehicle GVM> 4.5t.

Section 2 – Vehicle Details

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<th>Make</th>
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MAIN BODY COLOUR

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VEHICLE TYPE

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<th>All-Terrain Vehicle</th>
<th>Motorcycle</th>
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<td>Engine Capacity (cc)</td>
<td>Engine Number:</td>
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VIN/Chassis No

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<th>(VIN should have 17 digits if vehicle built after 1988)</th>
<th>Fuel Type</th>
<th>Petrol</th>
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<th>Gas</th>
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Section 3 – Purpose for which vehicle will be used

Restricted Class: (see descriptions overleaf and tick appropriate box)

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Location: provide full details including street names, name of boat ramp and property names and addresses where vehicles will be used. For industrial Use (Class A2) also provide a full description of the proposed use. Provide a signed attachment is space below is insufficient.
## Restricted Registration Classes

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<th>Class A1: Agricultural Use</th>
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<td>- the vehicle is used solely for agricultural or industrial use and requires limited access to public roads while moving from one part of the property to another.</td>
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### Conditions:
- Use is limited to sections of road between parts of the one property or separate properties owned by the same operator.  
  
  **MS1**
- Vehicle not to be driven/ridden on a public street between sunset and sunrise. **TR1**
- Distance travelled is not to exceed 10 km in length. **MS2**
- Vehicle not to exceed manufacturer’s loading and towing specifications. **GO1**

**In addition to the above, All Terrain Vehicles and motorcycles must comply with the following:**
- Driver/rider to hold a current driver licence of the appropriate class. **MS3**
- Approved helmet must be worn. **MS4**
- No pillion passengers to be carried. **MS5**

Speed not to exceed the lesser of 40km/h or the manufacturer’s maximum recommended speed rating when on a public street. **MS6**

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<th>Class C: Municipal and Other Work Use</th>
<th>Class D: Boat Transportation Use</th>
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<td>- the vehicle is used solely for industrial purposes in circumstances allowed for by law.</td>
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<td>The vehicle is used for the transportation of a boat trailer to and from a person’s property to the nearest available launching ramp.</td>
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### Conditions:
- Driver to hold a current driver licence of the appropriate class. **MS3**
- No pillion passengers to be carried. **MS5**
- Vehicle not to exceed manufacturer’s loading and towing specifications. **MS3**
- Speed limit on all pathways, tracks or roadways not to exceed the lesser of 40km/h or the manufacturer’s maximum recommended speed rating. **MS6**

### Conditions:
- Use is limited to streets between the operator’s property and a designated boat ramp. **MS11**
- Distance travelled is not to exceed 10km in length. **MS2**
- Vehicle not to exceed manufacturer’s loading and towing specifications. **GO1**

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### Conditions:
- Driver to hold a current driver licence of the appropriate class. **MS3**
- Must not be driven on any classified or council road other than those specifically mentioned in the permit allowing use of the vehicle in a particular area. **MS15**
- Vehicle not to be driven between sunset and sunrise. **TR1**

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## Section 4 – Declaration (to be completed by Registered Operator)

I/We (full name) ____________________________________________________________________

solemly and sincerely declare the details shown overleaf to be true in all respects, that my application meets the conditions above (as per the class of restricted registration application), that my vehicle meets normal roadworthy conditions, and I agree to abide by these conditions as a restricted registration holder.

Signature(s)_________________________ Date __________/

Office Use Only
- Application Complete
- Evidence of ID and Address
- Proof of entitlement to register
- Map and distance
- Officer __________
- Date __________

**Personal Information Protection Statement:** You are providing personal information to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, who will manage that information in accordance with the Personal Information Protection Act 2004 and relevant provisions of the Vehicle and Traffic Act 1989. The personal information collected here will be used by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles for driver licensing and vehicle registration purposes, and related purposes under the Vehicle and Traffic Act and associated laws, including for national identity matching and verification purposes. Failure to provide this information may result in your application not being processed, or records not being properly maintained. The Registrar of Motor Vehicles may also use the information for related purposes, or disclose it to third parties in circumstances allowed for by law. You have the right to access your personal information by request to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles and you may be charged a fee for this service.