



**7 LAW ENFORCEMENT CHECK (Not Required if there is a Current Florida Title Record)**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Vehicle/Vessel/Mobile Home Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that I have physically verified the vehicle identification number shown above on the **motor vehicle** described on the reverse side of this form and find the numbers to be the same. I further certify that I have made inquiry in the Florida Crime Information Center (FCIC) and the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) and find that the vehicle identification number shown above has not been reported as stolen.

I hereby certify that I have made inquiry in the Florida Crime Information Center (FCIC) and the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) and find that the identification number for the **vessel or mobile home** shown above has not been reported as stolen.

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Law Enforcement

Officer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOWING AND STORAGE CHECKLIST FOR CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION**

You should review section 713.78 and 713.785, Florida Statutes, or DMS Procedure TL-26 prior to making application for a Certificate of Destruction.

**FLORIDA RECORD:**

HSMV 82012

**OUT -OF-STATE:**

HSMV 82012

HSMV 82042, or form HSMV 82012 (section 7)

Verification as to title/lien status OR affidavit stating previous state "UNKNOWN" and a good faith effort has been made.

**Notice of claim of lien including:**

- Statement of possession by the tow company
- That a lien is claimed and subject to enforcement, as provided by Section 713.78, Florida Statutes
- That owner or lienholder has the right to a hearing
- Description of vehicle/vessel, year, make and vehicle/vessel identification number
- That charges have accumulated (total amount owed, itemized)
- Name of person who authorized the tow
- Signature of authorized agent for the towing company
- Date of the Notice of Claim of Lien and date of the towing
- Tow company's complete name, address and telephone number
- That any motor vehicle/vessel which remains unclaimed, for which towing and storage charges remain unpaid, may be sold free of all prior liens after 35 days if the vehicle or vessel is more than 3 years of age or after 50 days, if the vehicle or vessel is 3 years old or less.

**Notice of sale including: (this information may be included in the Notice of Claim of Lien)**

- Date, time and location of sale
- Location of vehicle/vessel
- Description of vehicle/vessel, year, make and vehicle/vessel identification number
- Date of towing
- Tow company's complete name, address and telephone number
- Total charges for towing and storage (itemized)
- Signature of authorized agent for towing company

**Copy of newspaper advertisement, showing the name of the newspaper and date the advertisement was published, including:**

- Date, time and location of sale
- Description of vehicle/vessel, year, make and vehicle/vessel identification number

Proof of Notification to law enforcement (if applicable), along with a copy of the letter and proof verifying a record check of NMVTIS.

Copy of police report, impound storage receipt or a copy of the tow ticket (for private tow) or trip sheet, if previous state where vehicle/vessel was registered is "UNKNOWN."

Proof of reporting to NMVTIS (if applicable). Not applicable to mobile homes.

Certificate of Destruction fee

**CHECK LIST FOR CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION (WHEN OWNER IS TRANSFERRING TITLE FOR TOWING & STORAGE CHARGES)**

- Florida or out of state title A copy of the trip sheet or tow ticket
- HSMV 82012 (if title is out of state, section 7 of this form must be completed) Proof of reporting to NMVTIS (if applicable)
- Certificate of Destruction fee