

Vehicle Industry News VIN 2019-02 Revised Lien Sale/Repossession Forms

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New Information

Effective January 1, 2019, customers who file or complete a notice, application, or certification of lien sale or certification of repossession must certify under penalty of perjury that the lien sale or repossession was conducted in accordance with the requirements of California Military and Veterans Code (CMVC) §§407, 408, 409.1, and 409.3 and United States Code (USC), Title 50, §§3952, 3953, and 3958. The following forms have been revised to include the required certification:

- Certificate of Repossession (REG 119).
- Certification of Lien Sale For Vehicle Valued over \$4000 or From a Self-Service Storage Facility (REG 168).
- Certification of Lien Sale for Vehicle Valued \$4000 or Less (REG 168A).
- Notice of Pending Lien Sale for Vehicle Valued Over \$4,000 or From a Self-Service Storage Facility (REG 280).
- Application for Lien Sale Authorization and Lienholder's Certification (REG 656).
- Application for Authorization to Continue Lien Sale after Unsuccessful Service (REG 659).
- Notice of Pending Lien Sale for Vehicle Valued \$4000 or Less (REG 668).
- Notice of Intent to Dispose of a Vehicle Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency for Reasons Other Than Abandonment (REG 684)-Side A and B.
- Statement of Facts for Vehicles Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency for Reasons Other than Abandonment (REG 686)-Side A and B.
- Application of Lien Sale Authorization and Lienholder's Certification Vessel or Vessel/Trailer Valued Over \$1,500 (BOAT 152).
- Notice of Pending Lien Sale for Vessels or Vessel/Trailers Valued at \$1500 or Less (BOAT 156).
- Notice of Pending Lien Sale for Vessels or Vessel/Trailers Valued at Over \$1500 (BOAT 166).
- Certification of Lien Sale for Vessels or Vessel With Trailers Valued at \$1500 or Less (BOAT 177).
- Certification of Lien Sale Vessels or Vessel With Trailers Valued Over \$1500 (BOAT 178).

The above revised forms are currently available at **dmv.ca.gov**. The revised forms may be ordered beginning February 2019, using normal supply channels. Upon receipt of the revised forms, recycle previous revisions following current procedures. Do **not** accept prior revisions after February 28, 2019, unless the form was completed and signed prior to March 1, 2019. Requests for reproductions of these forms will not be accepted until further notice.

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Background

CMVC and USC provide protections for the property of active duty military service members. Assembly Bill 3212 (Chapter 555, Statutes of 2018) requires information to be added to lien sale and repossession forms to ensure compliance with service member protection laws.

Distribution

Notification that this memo is available at **dmv.ca.gov** under Publications was made via California DMV's Automated Email Alert System in January 2019.

References

California Military and Veterans Code §§407, 408, 409.1, and 409.3 United States Code, Title 50, §§3952, 3953, and 3958

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