

VEHICLE POWER OF ATTORNEY

State of [STATE]

This Vehicle Power of Attorney (this "Instrument") is executed effective by [PRINCIPAL NAME], of [PRINCIPAL ADDRESS] (the "Principal"/Owner), in favor of [AGENT NAME], of [AGENT ADDRESS] (the "Agent").

1. Vehicle Description

The Agent's authority relates to the following motor vehicle (the "Vehicle"):

| Item | Value | |-----|-----| | Year | [VEHICLE YEAR] | | Make | [MAKE] | | Model | [MODEL] | | Body Style | [VEHICLE BODY STYLE] | | VIN | [VIN] | | Color | [VEHICLE COLOR] | | License Plate | [VEHICLE PLATE] | | Current Registration State | [STATE] | | Current Title Number | 0 | | Odometer Reading | [ODOMETER READING MILES] miles |

2. Authority Granted

The Agent is authorized to act on behalf of the Principal with respect to the Vehicle, including the specific powers below:

1. **Title Transfer.** Endorse, transfer, sign, and deliver the Certificate of Title, including reassignments on the reverse of the title, and any power-of-attorney forms required by the motor vehicle department of any state (e.g., California DMV Form REG-227, Texas VTR-271, Florida HSMV 82995);
2. **Registration.** Apply for and receive new title, registration, license plates, registration stickers, temporary operating permits, and any other registration documents;
3. **DMV Forms.** Execute all forms required by [STATE] DMV or the DMV of any other state, including odometer disclosure forms (federal Secure Odometer Disclosure and state analogs), damage disclosure statements, lien release forms, and bill of sale forms;
4. **Federal Odometer Disclosure.** Make the federal odometer disclosure required under **49 U.S.C. §32705** and **49 C.F.R. Part 580**, in the form prescribed in Section 4 below;
5. **Sale Proceeds.** Receive, endorse, and deposit checks, drafts, and wire transfers representing proceeds of sale or insurance payouts;
6. **Inspections.** Obtain emissions tests, safety inspections, and VIN verifications as required by applicable state law;

7. **Lien Matters.** Obtain lien releases from lenders, execute lien satisfaction documents, and coordinate payoff of any outstanding secured obligations;
8. **Insurance.** Cancel, change, or transfer insurance coverage on the Vehicle; collect refunds of unearned premiums;
9. **Dealer and Auction Transactions.** Consign the Vehicle to a dealer or auction house, execute dealer reassignment forms, and accept the net proceeds;
10. **Interstate Matters.** Execute out-of-state title transfers, apportioned registration under the IRP, and USDOT / MCS-150 filings if the Vehicle is a commercial motor vehicle;
11. **Tax Forms.** Sign any sales/use tax affidavit or exemption form required in connection with the transfer; and
12. **Other Acts.** Take any other act necessary or reasonably incidental to completing the transfer, registration, titling, or disposition of the Vehicle.

3. Purpose of This Power of Attorney

The Principal grants this Instrument primarily for the following purpose (check all that apply):

4. Federal Odometer Disclosure (49 U.S.C. §32705; 49 C.F.R. §580.5)

FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES that you state the odometer mileage in connection with the transfer of ownership. Failure to complete or providing a false statement may result in fines and/or imprisonment.

- **Odometer Reading:** [ODOMETER READING MILES] miles (no tenths)
- **Reading Status (check exactly one):**
 - **ACTUAL MILEAGE** — the mileage stated is the actual mileage of the Vehicle.

Exemptions. The odometer disclosure requirements do not apply to vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 16,000 pounds, vehicles that are not self-propelled, and vehicles that are **20 model years old or older** (as of 2021 per 49 C.F.R. §580.17). [VEHICLE YEAR] model year: [ODOMETER EXEMPTION ANALYSIS].

5. Limitation of Authority

This Instrument is limited to the Vehicle. The Agent has **no authority** to:

- Act on any other vehicle, motorcycle, boat, aircraft, or other titled property;
- Execute personal loans, mortgages, or any credit transaction unrelated to the Vehicle;

- Use the Vehicle for personal benefit, commercial carriage, or any unlawful purpose;
- Sell the Vehicle for less than fair market value except with written consent of the Principal;
- Represent the Principal in any legal proceeding except as necessary to consummate the Vehicle transfer.

6. Termination

Automatic termination upon the earliest of:

- Completion of the transaction described in Section 3;
- Written revocation by the Principal;
- The Principal's death (though the Agent may act on the certificate of title to the extent permitted by state probate law and the transfer-on-death statutes of [STATE]);
- **Expiration date: **;
- 6 months from the Effective Date if not earlier terminated.

7. State-Specific Provisions

8. Governing Law

This Instrument is governed by the laws of [STATE], except that federal odometer disclosure law is controlling on Section 4.

Signature of Principal / Owner

I certify that I am the legal owner of the Vehicle described above and that I execute this Instrument freely and voluntarily.

Principal / Owner

_____ PRINTED NAME

_____ SIGNATURE

_____ DATE

Acceptance by Agent

I accept appointment as Agent with respect to the Vehicle described above and acknowledge the federal odometer disclosure requirements under 49 U.S.C. §32705.

Agent

_____ PRINTED NAME

_____ SIGNATURE

_____ DATE