VEH 15

APPLICATION FORM FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE BY THE VINTAGE VEHICLE CLASSIFICATION COMMITTEE AS A VINTAGE VEHICLE WITH AN AGE OF AT LEAST 30 YEARS FOR PRIVATE USE ONLY

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Section A: Personal Details of Applicant					
Name & Surname		ID Card No.			
Address		Telephone No.			
		Mobile No.			
Section B: Vehicle Details					
Registration / System No.	Make		Model		
Chassis / Frame No.	Engine No.		Engine cc		
Year of Manufacture	Body Type		Colour		
Section C: Declaration					
I hereby apply to have the above mentioned vehicle certified as an authentic and genuine vintage vehicle which is at least thirty (30) years old from its year of manufacture. I understand that the vehicle shall be kept in a state which is as close as possible to its original state as produced by the manufacturer and which respect the spirit of classic and vintage preservation.					
I am aware that vehicles that qualify as vintage vehicles shall be used solely and exclusively for private use. I declare that I will not use this vehicle for the carriage of goods and/or passengers for any activity for hire and/or reward and/or financial gain.					
I am conscious that if I use or allow the use of a vintage vehicle for any use other than private use, I shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction, I shall be liable to a fine (multa) not exceeding €2,500, or twice the amount of the registration tax endangered, whichever is the greater, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both such fine and imprisonment. This, in accordance to the provisions of CAP368.					
I am also aware that if I carry out any changes/modifications on this vehicle I have to re-apply for its certification by re-submitting a fresh application and photos together with the administrative payment.					
I declare that all the above data is true and correct.					
Date Section D: Approval by the Vintage Vol	Signature D: Approval by the Vintage Vehicle Classification Committee				
Year of Manufacture/Registration: [] APPROVED [] NOT APPROVED					
Date			and Rubberstamp 'ehicle Classification Committee		

Section E: Payment – For office use only					
	Processing Copy	No.:	VERA Receipt No.		
Application					
Administrative fee: €50	Cheque	Bank & No.:			
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Section F: Supporting Documents

- 1. Motor vehicles which are already registered in Malta:
 - Application form VEH15;
 - Eight (8) photographs, of a minimum size of 5 x 7 inches (13 x 18 cm) refer to section G for further details;
 - Payment of an administrative fee of €50 (application fee).

2. Motor vehicles which have been imported but have not as yet been registered in Malta:

(Second hand imported vehicles shall be inspected prior certification as vintage vehicles)

- Application form VEH15 and application form VEH15A;
- Application form VEH05 when a vehicle is imported from a NON-EU Country;
- Eight (8) photographs, of a minimum size of 5 x 7 inches (13 x 18 cm) refer to section G for further details;
- Original foreign registration certificate and where appropriate an English or Maltese translation of it, issued by the competent authority of the country from where the vehicle has been imported or brought into Malta;
- A document attesting the date of the vehicle's first arrival in Malta, together with the fiscal receipt, bearing the same date, issued in terms of the Value Added Tax Act specifying the foreign registration number of the vehicle, both of which are to be issued by the shipping organization having transported the vehicle to Malta;
- Invoice issued by the seller to a buyer listing the vehicle or vehicles supplied and stating the sum of money due or paid and the chassis number of the said vehicle or vehicles;
- Administrative fees payable to Transport Malta:
 - €50 application fee and €55 inspection fee.

Section G: Photographs (minimum size of 5 x 7 inches (13 x 18 cm)

The photographs which shall be submitted with this application form must to be recent, in colour, of good quality, taken at eye level and in daylight. These photographs are not returnable. 8 photos, of a minimum size of 5 x 7 inches (13 x 18 cm) shall be submitted showing the motor vehicle's front, rear, engine, engine bay, both sides and 2 interior (1 showing the dashboard and the other showing the seats). Only 4 photographs shall be submitted for motorcycles, namely front, rear and both sides. The photographs showing the front and rear of the vehicle must include the registration number. This is not applicable when the vehicle is garaged.

Section H: Onus of Proof

In the event that the Vintage Vehicle Classification Committee feels that it requires any additional information, clarifications and, or documentation from the applicant prior to making its final determination on the application, it shall request the applicant to give such additional information and, or documentation and to make any clarifications as may be requested and shall then proceed to determine the application by accepting or rejecting it. Thus the onus of proof of vehicle eligibility is upon the applicant.

Section I: Periodic Check

Transport Malta carries out periodic checks on certified vintage vehicles to ensure conformity with the original application. The vehicles are randomly selected to be inspected by a member of the Vintage Vehicle Classification Committee. The inspection is carried out free of charge.

Section J: Physical Inspection Prior Vintage Certification

Where in doubt, the Vintage Vehicle Classification Committee reserves the right to physically inspect the vehicle before it proceeds to accept or reject the application.

Section K: Vehicle Registration Plates

The registration plates of a certified vintage vehicle will be changed to silver characters on black background. The fee for the replacement of vintage vehicle plates shall be of €35.00 per plate. If the vehicle's category is for any reason changed to non-vintage, normal plate fees shall apply.

Section L: Guidelines and Criteria used for the certification of vintage vehicles

Guidelines and criteria used for the certification of vintage vehicles are accessible through the Authority's website http://www.transport.gov.mt/land-transport/vehicle-registration-and-licensing/registering-and-licensing-a-motor-vehicle/vintage-vehicles