



State of Alabama Department of Revenue

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Affidavit to Correct an Assignment on a Certificate of Title

This form may ONLY be used to make corrections to information incorrectly stated in the title assignment.

TYPE OF CORRECTION: (mark one) ☐ Assignment on Manufacturer's Statement of Origin (Motor Vehicle Dealer only)
☒ Assignment of Title by Registered Owner ☐ Re-Assignment of Title by Licensed Motor Vehicle Dealer

ASSIGNMENT NUMBER BEING CORRECTED (if applicable): _____
(FIRST RE-ASSIGNMENT BY LICENSED DEALER, ETC.)

CORRECTED ASSIGNMENT / RE-ASSIGNMENT SUPPLEMENT TO: (check one and provide Title Number)

☒ Alabama Certificate of Title No.: 62418037

☐ Foreign State: _____ Foreign Certificate of Title No.: _____

☐ M.C.O. or M.S.O. _____

NAME OF ORIGINAL (FIRST) DEALER AND ADDRESS (CITY & STATE)

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (or Serial Number) 5TFCZ5AN0GX021748 YEAR: 2016 MAKE: Toyota MODEL: Tacoma

SELLER'S REASON FOR CORRECTION: Odometer reading was entered in the assignment as

17528 in error. The true reading at the date of sale was

71528 miles, as shown on the odometer disclosure statement

signed the same day. No other entry in the block is altered.

LEGAL NOTICE: (A) Any alteration or erasure voids the assignment. Section 32-8-12, Code of Alabama 1975, provides: "A person is guilty of a class C felony who, with fraudulent intent, alters or forges an assignment of a certificate of title, on a certificate of the title or on a form the Department prescribes."

CORRECTED ASSIGNMENT BY REGISTERED OWNER/RE-ASSIGNMENT BY LICENSED DEALER — SELLING DEALER'S STATE LIC. NO. _____

I/we warrant this Title and certify that the vehicle described herein has been transferred to the following:

Buyer(s): Alicia M. Bordelon Address: 908 Quintard Row Anniston

I certify to the best of my knowledge that the ODOMETER READING is the ACTUAL MILEAGE of the vehicle unless one of the following statements is checked:

71528

ODOMETER READING

NO
TENTHS

CAUTION:
READ CAREFULLY
BEFORE YOU
CHECK BLOCK

☐ 1. The mileage stated is in excess of its mechanical limits.

☐ 2. The odometer reading is not the Actual Mileage. —

WARNING — ODOMETER DISCREPANCY

Date of Sale

08 / 14 / 26

SIGNATURE(S) OF BUYER(S): X _____ OF SELLER(S): X _____

PRINTED NAME(S) OF BUYER(S): Alicia M. Bordelon OF SELLER(S): Darnell R. Pettway

LIENHOLDER TO BE RECORDED AND SHOWN ON NEW TITLE: (IF NONE, STATE "NONE")

NAME OF 1ST LIENHOLDER: NONE

ADDRESS OF 1ST LIENHOLDER: _____

ORIGINAL SIGNATURES REQUIRED ON FORM

The Federal Truth in Mileage Act of 1986, requires that you state the mileage in connection with transfer of ownership. Failure to complete ODOMETER STATEMENT or providing a FALSE STATEMENT may result in fines and/or imprisonment.

ALL AREAS MUST BE COMPLETED

How to fill out MVT 5-7 — Affidavit to Correct an Assignment on a Certificate of Title

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Alabama · written against MVT 5-7 (Rev 8/19), issued under Ala. Admin. Code r. 810-5-75-.39

The one repair Alabama allows. Rule 810-5-75-.39 refuses any document that has been altered - correction fluid and strike-throughs are named - so a wrong digit in the assignment on the back of your title cannot be crossed out and initialled. What it can be is replaced, by this one-page affidavit, which reprints the whole assignment block and carries the corrected version. Get the distinction right: it fixes the assignment, never the face of the certificate.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank MVT 5-7 from the Alabama Department of Revenue, Motor Vehicle Division at <https://www.revenue.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/MVT-5-7-8-19.pdf> — always take the current revision from the agency rather than a copy. Print this and keep it beside you while you complete theirs.

Every line, in the order you meet it

1	YOU	Type of correction	Tick assignment of title by registered owner. The box above it is marked motor vehicle dealer only and the one to its right is for a licensed dealer's re-assignment. Watch out: Mark one only. The three are alternatives and a sheet with two ticked describes no transaction the Department can process.
2	YOU	Corrected assignment supplement to	Tick Alabama Certificate of Title No. and write the number off the face of your certificate. Watch out: The title number, not the VIN. They sit next to each other on the front of an Alabama title and get swapped constantly.
3	YOU	Vehicle identification number, year, make, model	The row that identifies the vehicle, copied from the certificate. Watch out: This form will be read side by side with the certificate and the application. Three documents, one VIN, character for character.
4	YOU	Seller's reason for correction	Plain sentences on the ruled lines: what was written, what it should say, and why. Watch out: Be specific and be brief. Odometer entered as 17528 in error, correct reading 71528 does the job; a paragraph of apology does not.
5	YOU	Buyer(s) and address	The buyer's printed name and address, correctly this time, in the reprinted assignment block. Watch out: The warranty sentence above it is live again - I/we warrant this Title. You are re-making the promise, not annotating the old one.
6	YOU	Odometer reading and the two statements	The whole-mile reading, with statement 1 and statement 2 left empty unless one genuinely applies. Watch out: If the mileage is what you are correcting, this is the figure the Department will treat as true. The one on the certificate is now the mistake.
7	YOU	Date of sale	Month, day and year, in the three small fields at the right of the odometer row. Watch out: The date of the original sale, not the date you noticed the error. A corrected assignment describes the same transaction.
8	YOU	Signatures and printed names	Buyer signs and prints on the left, seller signs and prints on the right, in ink. Watch out: Both parties, again. This is the practical cost of a spoiled block, and it is why the advice about not correcting anything in place is worth taking.
9	BUYER	Name of 1st lienholder	The buyer's lender and its address, or nothing at all. Watch out: The Department's rule is that lienholder information is not required in the assignment, but if it is provided it must agree with the application. On a cash sale, leave it.

What gets this one rejected

- Using it to fix the front of the certificate. The Department's answer is blunt: an MVT 5-7 cannot be used to correct information recorded on the face of the AL title. That needs an application for a corrected title through a designated agent instead.
- Sending it without the title application. The rule requires it to be completed and submitted with the title application, as a supporting document.
- Correcting the correction. Alterations void this form the same way they void the assignment it is replacing.
- A photocopied or stamped signature. ORIGINAL SIGNATURES REQUIRED ON FORM is printed on the sheet.
- Ticking the MSO box on a used car. That option is labelled motor vehicle dealer only and belongs to a new vehicle that has never been titled.
- Leaving the reason blank. The five lines under SELLER'S REASON FOR CORRECTION are why the Department will accept a second version of a block it has already been shown.

☒ Amber is what you write ☐ Grey is a block somebody else completes The filled-in example is at the start of this sheet.