

How to fill out CS-L(MVR)70 — Odometer Correction Statement

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Hawaii · written against CS-L(MVR)70 (03/2026), issued under City and County of Honolulu Department of Customer Services, /forms/hawaii/csl-mvr-70-odometer-correction/ Division of Motor Vehicles, as the registered owner's own admission of an error in a recorded odometer reading

Section A of a Hawaii certificate has one numeric field and two tick boxes, and both of them are easy to get wrong under a buyer's gaze. This one-page statement is the county's cure, and it is written as a confession rather than a correction: this statement is attesting to the fact that I am responsible for the following error made in recording the odometer reading for the above-described vehicle. It offers exactly two remedies. Either the correct reading is one number and was incorrectly written as another, or the box indicating the mileage exceeds its mechanical limits or is not the actual mileage should not have been checked off. Anything outside those two is not a correction the form can make.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank CS-L(MVR)70 from the City and County of Honolulu Division of Motor Vehicle, Licensing and Permits at <https://www4.honolulu.gov/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-358187/hi-mvr70.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	Year, make, type and plate	The description block. It identifies the vehicle whose recorded reading is wrong, using the same shorthand as every other county form. Watch out: Copy the type code from the certificate of registration. A correction form that describes the car differently from the record it is correcting invites a second query.
2	YOU	Vehicle identification number	The full VIN. This is what ties the correction to the right record when a plate has changed. Watch out: Check it against the certificate you are correcting, not against the car alone - if the two disagree, the VIN is the bigger problem.
3	YOU	The correct reading, and the wrong one	One sentence with two blanks: the correct odometer reading is ____ which was incorrectly written as _____. Fill both. Watch out: Write the incorrect figure exactly as it appears on the certificate, digit for digit. The county is matching your statement against an entry it already holds.
4	YOU	Or: the box that should not have been ticked	The second remedy, with its own tick box, for a mileage exception claimed by mistake - either the mechanical-limits box or the not-actual-mileage box. Watch out: Use one remedy or the other. A form claiming both a wrong number and a wrongly ticked box describes two errors, and the county will want to know which entry to replace.

What gets this one rejected

- Using it to lower a reading you regret. The statement is an admission of an error in recording, not a route to a different number.
- Filling in only the correct figure. The sentence has two blanks and both are needed: the county replaces a specific wrong entry, not the field in general.
- Trying to add an exception box rather than remove one. The tick box on this form only unpicks a box that should not have been checked off.
- Correcting the certificate with a pen instead. Altering the reading on the title itself defaces it, and a defaced certificate must be replaced by a duplicate before anyone can sign it.
- Signing it for someone else's error. The statement opens by attesting that the person signing is responsible for the error - it is the registered owner's admission.

☒ Amber is what you write ☐ Grey is a block somebody else completes The completed example follows overleaf.

Read off CS-L(MVR)70 (03/2026) and the City and County of Honolulu Division of Motor Vehicle, Licensing and Permits's own pages, current as of 2026-08-23. Plain-language help with a form, not legal advice — where this and the agency differ, the agency governs. sellmycarhub.com



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ODOMETER CORRECTION STATEMENT

1 **YEAR:** 2014 **MAKE:** Honda
TYPE: 4DSD **LICENSE PLATE NUMBER:** KHM 274
 2 **VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** 2HGRM4H57EH715204

This statement is attesting to the fact that I am responsible for the following error made in recording the odometer reading for the above-described vehicle:

- 3 ☒ The correct odometer reading is 78,412 which was incorrectly written as 87,412
 4 ☐ The box indicating the mileage exceeds its mechanical limits or not actual mileage should not have been checked off.

Signed this _____ day of _____	Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____
_____ (Signature - Prior owner of said vehicle)	_____ Notary Public
_____ Print Name - Prior owner of said vehicle	_____ State of _____
_____ Street Address	_____ My Commission Expires _____
_____ City State Zip Code	

(Stamp or Seal)