

MV-41 (1-26)



Pennsylvania
Department of Transportation



BMV Fees

**APPLICATION FOR CORRECTION
OF VEHICLE RECORD OR VERIFICATION
OF VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER**

(The space above is for Department use only)
Bureau of Motor Vehicles • Harrisburg, PA 17106-8283

SEE INFORMATION ON REVERSE

Title Number 61804473529PA	Registration Plate Number LPT-3096	Is lienholder an ELT Participant? ☐ YES ☒ NO	Financial Institution Number
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CHECK (✓) APPLICABLE BLOCK BELOW

- ☒ Correction or Verification of Vehicle Identification Number - Complete Sections A, B and E.
- ☐ Application for State Replacement Vehicle Identification Number Plate/Decal - Complete Sections A, B (MUST be completed by a Police Officer) and E.
- ☐ Correction of Body Type, Number of Axles, or Other Corrections to the Vehicle Title or Registration Data - Complete Sections A, C and E. (If the vehicle has been modified, such as the addition or removal of axles, or you are requesting a change to the manufacturer weight specifications, Form MV-426B must be completed.)
- ☐ Verification of Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) or Gross Combination Weight Rating (GCWR) by Inspection Mechanic Only - Complete Sections A, D and E.

A VEHICLE OWNER INFORMATION

Last Name (or Full Business Name) Hoffmeier	First Name Lorraine	Middle Name T.	PA DL/Photo ID# or Bus. ID# 25 148 973	Date of Birth 04/17/1979
Co-Owner Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	PA DL/Photo ID#	Date of Birth
Current Street Address 1427 Linden St	City Bethlehem	State PA	Zip Code 18018	County Code 4 8

Please use the "County Codes" listing found on the back of this application and list the numerical code for your county of residence.

B CORRECTION OR VERIFICATION OF VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OR APPLICATION FOR STATE REPLACEMENT VIN PLATE. To be used only to correct typographical error recorded as the VIN OR for the purpose of VIN verification.
ATTACH TRACING HERE OR HAVE AUTHORIZED NOTARY PUBLIC EMPLOYED BY A FULL AGENT OR MOTOR VEHICLE DEALER, OR INSPECTION MECHANIC COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION BELOW

- ☒ Correction ☐ Verification ☐ Lost ☐ Stolen ☐ Defaced
☐ Never Received ☐ Other - Please Explain: _____

Record Correct VIN 4S4BSANC0H3291746	VERIFICATION BY POLICE OFFICER (Local or State Police)	
Original Vehicle Identification Number (if known) 4S4BSANC0H3219746	Signature of Police Officer	Badge Number
Signature of Notary Public or Inspection Mechanic Priya N. Raghunathan	DIN/Mechanic # 85-9004	Department Name
		Telephone Number

C VEHICLE DATA THAT REQUIRES CORRECTION - Check only the block(s) and list the information that needs correcting due to an error in the title application or to a change in the use of the vehicle.

☐ Make of Vehicle Correct to: _____	☐ Body Type Correct to: _____	☐ Year Correct to: _____	☐ Seating Capacity Correct to: _____	☐ Unladen Weight Correct to: _____	☐ Fuel Type Correct to: _____
☐ Odometer - See Instructions on Reverse side Correct to: _____	☐ Registered Gross Vehicle Weight Correct to: _____	☐ Registered Gross Combination Weight Correct to: _____	☐ Other Correct to: _____		

D VERIFICATION OF WEIGHT RATING - Inspection Mechanic Only

GVWR	GCWR
No. of Axles Correct to: _____	Was additional axle installed? ☐ YES ☐ NO
NOTE: If additional axle was added, Form MV-426B must be completed.	
Signature of Inspection Mechanic	Inspection Mechanic Number

E CERTIFICATION

I/We hereby certify under penalty of law that ALL information is TRUE and CORRECT and that I/we understand that any misstatement of fact is a misdemeanor of the third degree punishable by a fine up to \$2,500 and/or imprisonment up to one year (18 Pa.C.S. Section 4904[b]).

Signature of Owner or Authorized Person Lorraine Hoffmeier	Date (610) 555-0148
Signature of Co-Owner or Title of Authorized Person	Applicant's Telephone Number ()

INFORMATION

NOTE: To correct or change the name listed on a Pennsylvania Certificate of Title, use Form MV-41A. In addition, if the vehicle has been modified in any manner, Form MV-426B must be used.

If the title is being held by a lienholder that participates in the Electronic Lien and Titling Program (ELT), there will be no title attached.

GENERAL

- This form may require a fee. Please review the instructions below carefully prior to submitting the application. For a complete listing of motor vehicle fees, refer to Form MV-70S, "Bureau of Motor Vehicles Schedule of Fees" found on our website at www.pa.gov/dmv or scan the QR code on the front of this application.
- Individuals should list their PA Driver's License (PA DL) or Photo ID# in the space provided. Businesses should list their Business ID# (Bus. ID) where indicated (i.e. E.I.N.).
- If this application is processed, and the requested title, registration, or both are not received due to loss in the mail, the vehicle owner may apply for a free duplicate title on Form MV-38O, "Application for Duplicate Certificate of Title By Owner," free replacement of registration by completing Form MV-50, "Application for Replacement of Never Received Product," within 90 days of the date of original issuance. The lienholder, if applicable, must use Form MV-38L "Application for Duplicate Title or to Record, Renew, Remove a Lien, or to Correct Lien Information by Lienholder," and a Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Dealer must use Form MV-38D, "Application for Duplicate Certificate of Title by a Pennsylvania Registered Dealer With a DIN#."
- There is a fee for issuance of a corrected title: **DO NOT SEND CASH**. Make check or money order payable to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and mail the completed application to: PA Department of Transportation, Bureau of Motor Vehicles, P.O. Box 68593 Harrisburg, PA 17106-8593.
- Please note, if a title is required as part of the correction and you do not have a title to provide, you must also submit a MV-38O with the duplicate title fee along with this MV-41 for the correction and the fee for the correction. PennDOT will issue the duplicate title and attach it to the MV-41 to make the correction. (Two title fees are required in this scenario).

IF THE 1ST BLOCK IS CHECKED ON REVERSE - Certificate of title and title fee MUST be attached. NOTE: Certificate of title and fee are not required when used for verification of VIN only.

- This application can only be used to correct a typographical error of one digit, transposition of two digits, or if the vehicle's engine number has been erroneously recorded as the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN).
- Verification of the VIN can be done by authorized vehicle safety inspection mechanics and notaries public employed by a full agent or motor vehicle dealer; however, agents, inspectors, and law enforcement personnel are prohibited from verifying the VIN of their own personal vehicles.

IF THE 2ND BLOCK IS CHECKED ON REVERSE - Certificate of title and title fee MUST be attached.

- Original Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) will be used on state replacement VIN plate unless original number cannot be determined. A corrected title and registration card will be issued indicating that a VIN plate has been replaced.
- Section B on the front of this application must be completed by a police officer, if the police officer is verifying the original Vehicle Identification Number (VIN). The police officer must sign their name and list their badge number, department name, and telephone number.

IF THE 3RD BLOCK IS CHECKED ON REVERSE - CERTIFICATE OF TITLE AND TITLE FEE MUST BE ATTACHED.

- Current certificate of title is not required when applying for a correction of the registered gross weight and there have been no alterations to the vehicle. Certificate of title and title fee **MUST** be attached for all other corrections.
- In addition to the title fee (if applicable), appropriate increase fee for the difference in registration weight and seating capacity must also be attached if registration is desired.
- Current certificate of title must be attached when applying for a correction of the odometer reading. In addition, copies of past 2 years inspection records or repair bills that cover the time of the odometer discrepancy must be attached. In many instances, the inspection records or repair bills include the vehicle odometer reading at the time of vehicle safety inspection or repair, which will help substantiate the actual mileage being requested.

NOTE: When changing the body type from off road vehicle (ORV)/low speed vehicle (LSV) to neighborhood electric vehicle (NEV), the vehicle must meet the equipment requirements and standards as set forth in 49 CFR 571.500 and shall be equipped with the following: (1) brakes adequate to control the movement of and to stop the vehicle; (2) an odometer; (3) a speedometer; (4) the original manufacturer's Vehicle Identification Number (VIN); (5) a windshield wiper; (6) a horn and (7) a battery charge indicator. For more information regarding NEVs, please refer to the Neighborhood Electric Vehicle Fact Sheet found on our website at www.dmv.pa.gov.

IF THE 4TH BLOCK IS CHECKED ON REVERSE

- Verification of Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) and Gross Combination Weight Rating (GCWR) must be completed by authorized inspection mechanics only in the spaces provided in Section E.

COUNTY CODES

01 - Adams	13 - Carbon	25 - Erie	37 - Lawrence	49 - Northumberland	61 - Venango
02 - Allegheny	14 - Centre	26 - Fayette	38 - Lebanon	50 - Perry	62 - Warren
03 - Armstrong	15 - Chester	27 - Forest	39 - Lehigh	51 - Philadelphia	63 - Washington
04 - Beaver	16 - Clarion	28 - Franklin	40 - Luzerne	52 - Pike	64 - Wayne
05 - Bedford	17 - Clearfield	29 - Fulton	41 - Lycoming	53 - Potter	65 - Westmoreland
06 - Berks	18 - Clinton	30 - Greene	42 - McKean	54 - Schuylkill	66 - Wyoming
07 - Blair	19 - Columbia	31 - Huntingdon	43 - Mercer	55 - Snyder	67 - York
08 - Bradford	20 - Crawford	32 - Indiana	44 - Mifflin	56 - Somerset	
09 - Bucks	21 - Cumberland	33 - Jefferson	45 - Monroe	57 - Sullivan	
10 - Butler	22 - Dauphin	34 - Juniata	46 - Montgomery	58 - Susquehanna	
11 - Cambria	23 - Delaware	35 - Lackawanna	47 - Montour	59 - Tioga	
12 - Cameron	24 - Elk	36 - Lancaster	48 - Northampton	60 - Union	

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How to fill out MV-41 — Application for Correction of Vehicle Record or Verification of Vehicle Identification Number

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For a record that is wrong rather than missing. Four jobs sit behind four tick boxes: correcting or verifying a VIN, applying for a state replacement VIN plate, correcting the body type, axle count or other title and registration data, and having an inspection mechanic verify a weight rating. It is the form that fixes a typed digit before it stops a sale.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank MV-41 from the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation at <https://www.pa.gov/content/dam/copapwp-pagov/en/penndot/documents/public/dvspubsforms/bmv/bmv-forms/mv-41.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	The header and the job	Title number, registration plate number, and one of four tick boxes for what you are actually asking the department to do. Watch out: Each block names the sections to complete beside it. Ticking two of them produces a form that does neither job.
2	YOU	Section A, the owner	Your name and a co-owner's, licence or photo ID numbers, dates of birth, current street address and the county code. Watch out: The county code list is printed on the back of this form, so there is no excuse for guessing it.
3	YOU	Section B, the correct VIN	The VIN as it should read, the original VIN as recorded if you know it, and the tracing taped into the space provided. Watch out: One digit wrong or two digits swapped is what this fixes. Anything larger than that is not a typographical error and needs a different route.
4	VERIFIER	Section B, the verification	A notary public employed by a full agent or dealer, or a certified inspection mechanic, signs with their identification number - or a police officer signs with a badge number. Watch out: Nobody can verify their own vehicle. The verification is somebody looking at the plate on the car with the paperwork in their hand.
5	YOU	Section C, data corrections	Tick the item and write what it should say: make, body type, year, seating capacity, unladen weight, fuel type, odometer, gross weights or other. Watch out: Fuel type is the one that catches modern cars - a hybrid recorded as petrol is a correction, and it is on this list.
6	YOU	Section E, certification	Your signature, a co-owner's, the date and a telephone number. Watch out: The printed penalty is a third-degree misdemeanour with a fine up to \$2,500 and up to a year. A correction is still a sworn statement.

What gets this one rejected

- Using it to change a name. PennDOT's note at the head of the instructions sends a name change to the name-correction form instead.
- Using it on a modified vehicle. If the vehicle has been modified in any manner - an axle added or removed, or a change to the manufacturer's weight specifications - a different application is required.
- A VIN correction that is not a typing error. This application can only be used to correct a typographical error of one digit, a transposition of two digits, or an engine-number situation.
- Filing a VIN correction without the certificate. The certificate of title and the title fee must both be attached, except where the form is used for VIN verification only.
- Completing Section B yourself on a replacement VIN plate application. That block must be completed by a police officer.

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

Read off MV-41 (1-26) and the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation'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