

MV-41A-SIDE A (3-25)



Pennsylvania
Department of Transportation



BMV Fees

APPLICATION FOR CORRECTION OR CHANGE OF NAME

SIDE A: Marriage or Divorce - No new title requested.

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Bureau of Motor Vehicles • PO Box 68593 • Harrisburg, PA 17106-8593

Side A - No new title will be produced

This side of the application can only be used if the name change is a result of marriage, divorce or pending divorce. If your vehicle is currently registered and you only want a corrected registration card, but not a corrected certificate of title, or your lienholder participates in the Electronic Lien Title Program, use this side of the application. No fees are required with this option.

NOTE: Once the lienholder released their ELT indicator and a paper title is produced, this option is no longer applicable. Customers must then complete the reverse side of this application (Side B) and submit with all applicable fees.

If you or your lienholder want a corrected certificate of title, you must use Side B.

REASON FOR NAME CHANGE: Check (✓) appropriate block below

- 1 ☒ **Marriage:** Attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Divorce:** Attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Court Order:** If your name is changed by permission of the court, attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Pending Divorce:** Attach a copy of the written notice to resume a prior surname and an updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name. The notice must include the caption and docket number of the proceeding in the divorce and be date stamped from the court.

☐ Check here if your title is being held by a lienholder that participates in the Electronic Lien and Titling (ELT) Program. **No Title Will Be Attached.** (Check with your lienholder to determine if they participate in the ELT Program.)

A VEHICLE INFORMATION				
Title Number 61804473529PA			Registration Plate Number LPT-3096	
B APPLICANT INFORMATION				
Correct Last Name (or Full Business Name)	First Name	Middle Name	PA DL/Photo ID# or Bus. ID#	Date of Birth
Hoffmeier	Lorraine	T.	25 148 973	04/17/1979
Correct 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
C FORMER NAME				
Last Name (or Full Business Name)	First Name	Middle Name		
Vandegrift	Lorraine	T.		
D CERTIFICATION - I/We hereby certify under penalty of law that all information given on this application is TRUE and CORRECT. (Date must be listed.)				
Signature of Owner or Authorized Signer			Signature of Co-Owner	
Applicant's Telephone Number (610) 555-0148		Date 08/18/2026		

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MV-41A-SIDE B (3-25)



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SIDE B: Any reason for name change - New title requested.

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Side B - New title will be produced

Use this side of the application if your vehicle is currently registered and you want a corrected certificate of title and registration card.

Certificate of Title and a title fee are required with this option. If the certificate of title is not attached, Section D must be completed, and an additional certificate of title fee is required. **NOTE:** 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 at the top of this application. You will receive a corrected certificate of title and registration card that reflects your name change. **NOTE:** In addition, if your original title has a lien recorded, the lienholder must complete Section F.

REASON FOR NAME CHANGE: Check (✓) appropriate block below.

- ☒ **Marriage:** Attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Divorce:** Attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Court Order:** If your name is changed by permission of the court, attach a copy of your updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.
- ☐ **Pending Divorce:** Attach a copy of the written notice to resume a prior surname and an updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name. The notice must include the caption and docket number of the proceeding in the divorce and be date stamped from the court.
- ☐ **Other:** If you desire to use a name other than (1) birth name, (2) spouse's surname, or (3) a name given through a court order, you must provide a copy of an updated PA Driver's License or PA Photo ID showing the desired name.

A VEHICLE INFORMATION

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B APPLICANT INFORMATION

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Correct Co-Owner Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	PA DL/Photo ID#	Date of Birth
Current Street Address	City	State	Zip Code	
1427 Linden St	Bethlehem	PA	18018	

C FORMER NAME

Last Name (or Full Business Name)	First Name	Middle Name
Vandegrift	Lorraine	T.

D APPLICATION FOR DUPLICATE TITLE - Appropriate box must be checked (✓).

- ☐ Lost/Destroyed ☐ Stolen ☐ Defaced
(Certificate must be attached) ☐ Never Received
(Complete address above)

E CERTIFICATION - I/We hereby certify under penalty of law that all information given on this application is TRUE and CORRECT. (Date must be listed.)

Signature of Owner or Authorized Signer	Signature of Co-Owner	Date
Lorraine Hoffmeier		08/18/2026

F LIENHOLDER SELF-CERTIFICATION - Complete only if Section D is completed and a lien is recorded on the title.

I/We declare under penalty of perjury under the law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, that the foregoing is true and correct, and that application was made for the above product, or that the items as indicated were never received in the mail. Furthermore, I/we state that I/we have read and signed this application after its completion, and I/we swear or affirm that the statements made herein are true and correct, and that any statement made on or pursuant to this application is subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. Section 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification), which include criminal prosecution and a term of imprisonment, the maximum of which may be one year [18 Pa.C.S. 4904(b)], or up to two years [18 Pa.C.S. 4904(a)]. In addition to any other penalty, a person convicted under this section shall be sentenced to pay a fine of at least \$1,000 [18 Pa.C.S. 4904(d)].

Signed on the _____ day of _____, _____ at _____ (city or other location, and state)	(country)
_____ Printed Name of Owner/Authorized Signer	_____ Signature of Owner/Authorized Signer
_____ Printed Name of Co-Owner/Title of Authorized Signer	_____ Signature of Co-Owner

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How to fill out MV-41A — Application for Correction or Change of Name

Pennsylvania · written against MV-41A (3-25), issued under 75 Pa.C.S. 1115

sellmycarhub.com
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For the title that is in a name you no longer use. Two sides, and the choice between them is the whole form: Side A changes the registration card only and produces no new title and no fee; Side B produces a corrected certificate and costs a title fee. A seller almost always needs Side B, because the assignment has to be signed in the name printed on the certificate.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank MV-41A from the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation at <https://www.pa.gov/content/dam/copapwp-pagov/en/pennndot/documents/public/dvspubsforms/bmv/bmv-forms/mv-41a.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	Choose the side	Side A for a corrected registration card with no new title and no fee. Side B for a corrected certificate of title, with the title and a fee attached. Watch out: If you are selling the car, it is Side B. The assignment gets signed in the name on the certificate, and no registration card can bridge that gap.
2	YOU	The reason	Marriage, divorce, court order or pending divorce - plus a general other route on Side B. Watch out: Each reason names its own attachment. Pending divorce is the fussy one: a written notice to resume a prior surname, carrying the caption and docket number, stamped by the court.
3	YOU	Section A, the vehicle	Title number and registration plate number. Watch out: A tick box on Side A says the title is held by a lienholder in the electronic programme and no title will be attached. Check with the lender rather than guessing.
4	YOU	Section B, the correct name	Your correct last, first and middle name, a co-owner if there is one, licence or photo ID number, date of birth and current street address. Watch out: It has to match the updated Pennsylvania credential you are attaching, character for character. This form is a request to make the record agree with that card.
5	YOU	Section C, the former name	The name currently on the record - last, first and middle. Watch out: Write it as the certificate has it, including any initial the department typed in. This is the line the record is matched on.
6	YOU	Section D, certification	Your signature, a co-owner's, a telephone number and the date, which the form notes must be listed. Watch out: On Side B the lienholder has a block of their own further down. If a lender is recorded, the corrected certificate waits on them, not on you.

What gets this one rejected

- Using Side A when the certificate needs correcting. Side A produces no new title at all - the department prints "Side A - No new title will be produced" across the top of it.
- Using Side A after the lender has released an electronic title. Once the electronic indicator is released and a paper title is produced, that option is no longer applicable and Side B is the only route.
- Sending Side A with a fee. No fees are required with that option, and a cheque only complicates it.
- Attaching an old photo ID. Every route wants a copy of the updated Pennsylvania credential showing the name you are asking for.
- A pending-divorce claim without the court's stamp. The notice must include the caption and docket number of the proceeding and be date stamped from the court.

☒ 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-41A (3-25) and the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation's own pages, current as of 2026-08-23. Plain-language help with a form, sellmycarhub.com
not legal advice — where this and the agency differ, the agency governs.