

## Quick Reference Charts

### 6.000 Introduction

This chapter contains “quick reference” charts that outline requirements for basic types of transactions. For those not discussed, contact your local DMV for assistance. Detailed information about each category can be found in the following chapters:

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6.010

<i>California-Titled Vehicles</i>	
Definition	A vehicle that was last registered and titled in California.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ten days after the Dismantlers Notice of Acquisition (REG 42) is mailed to the department.</li> <li>• Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.</li> </ul>
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• The California Certificate of Title, or if the title has been lost, an Application for Duplicate Title (REG 227).</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>NOTE:</b> The legal owner/lienholder's release signature on an Application for Duplicate Title (REG 227) <b>must</b> be notarized. See Section 4.020 for exceptions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the vehicle was purchased from someone other than the registered owner, as shown on the Certificate of Title, bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

6.020

<i>Nonresident Vehicles</i>	
Definition	A vehicle that was last registered out of state.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ten days after the Dismantlers Notice of Acquisition (REG 42) is mailed to the department.</li> <li>• Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler’s Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.</li> </ul>
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)</li> <li>• Application for Title and Registration (REG 343) completed in the dismantler’s name.</li> <li>• Verification of Vehicle (reverse side of REG 343) completed by an authorized DMV employee, a licensed vehicle verifier, or a peace officer.</li> <li>• Out-of state titling documents.</li> <li>• If the vehicle was purchased from someone other than the registered owner, as shown on the out-of-state title, bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

6.030

<i>Nontitle (Goldenrod) California Vehicle</i>	
Definition	A nontitle (Goldenrod) California registration is issued when out-of-state titling documents are not submitted at the time of application for California registration. The registration card is marked: <p style="text-align: center;">**NO TITLE ISSUED/VEHICLE NOT TRANSFERABLE**                      ***CONTACT DMV FOR CA TITLE INFO***</p>
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ten days after the Dismantlers Notice of Acquisition (REG 42) is mailed to the department.</li> <li>• Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction are <b>delivered</b> to the department.</li> </ul>
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle to be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Application for Title and Registration (REG 343) completed in the dismantler's name.</li> <li>• California registration card.</li> <li>• Out-of-state titling documents.</li> <li>• If the vehicle was purchased from someone other than the registered owner, as shown on the out-of-state title, bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

## 6.040

<i>Salvage Vehicles</i>	
Definition	A total loss salvage vehicle for which the department has issued a Salvage Certificate (REG 489) as the titling document.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle to be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• The California Salvage Certificate (REG 489).</li> <li>• If the vehicle was purchased from someone other than the registered owner, as shown on the Salvage Certificate, bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

6.050

<i>Nonrepairable Vehicles</i>	
Definition	A vehicle that has no resale value except as a source of scrap metal due to being surgically stripped, completely burned, or owner declaration, and the department has issued a Nonrepairable Vehicle Certificate (REG 490).
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• The California Nonrepairable Vehicle Certificate (REG 490).</li> <li>• If the vehicle was purchased from someone other than the registered owner, as shown on the Nonrepairable Vehicle Certificate, bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

6.060

<i>Vehicles Sold After the Notice of Acquisition Is Submitted BUT Before the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled and Clearance Documents Are Submitted</i>	
Definition	One licensed dismantler sells a vehicle to another licensed dismantler after submitting a Notice of Acquisition, but before submitting the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled and clearance documents to the department.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ten days after the Dismantlers Notice of Acquisition (REG 42) is mailed to the department.</li> <li>• Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.</li> </ul>
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Titling documents.</li> <li>• Bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the buying dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The bill of sale must show the first dismantler's Notice of Acquisition control number.</p>

6.070

<i>Vehicles Already Reported as Dismantled (Second Junks)</i>	
Definition	A licensed dismantler acquires a vehicle that has been reported as dismantled by an individual or another licensed dismantler.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Not required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Immediately
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Retain in the dismantler's business records:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A bill of sale from the selling dismantler that shows the selling dismantlers Notice of Acquisition control number.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A junk receipt issued by the department or some other evidence, such as a DMV receipt or printout from the person who reported the vehicle as dismantled.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bill(s) of sale to complete the chain of ownership showing the buying dismantler as the latest owner.</li> </ul>

6.080

<i>Lien Sale — Vehicle Valued at \$4,000 or Less</i>	
Definition	A vehicle valued at \$4,000 or less that is sold to satisfy a lien for towing, storage, or services rendered.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Certification of Lien Sale for Vehicles Valued at \$4,000 or Less (REG 168A) completed by the lienholder or agent.</li> <li>• Certified mailing receipts (attached to the REG 168A).</li> <li>• DMV printout of the vehicle record.</li> <li>• If the lien sale was opposed, one of the following:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— A certified copy of a court judgment entered in favor of the lienholder.</li> <li>— A release of interest from the opposer.</li> <li>— DMV authorization to continue with the lien sale after unsuccessful service.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Verification of Vehicle (REG 343), if no California record.</li> <li>• Bill(s) of sale, as needed, to complete the chain of ownership to the buying dismantler.</li> </ul>

6.090

<i><b>Lien Sale — Vehicle Valued at \$4,001 or More or Stored at a Self-Service Storage Facility</b></i>	
Definition	A vehicle valued at \$4,001 or more or from a self-service storage facility that is sold to satisfy a lien for towing, storage, or services rendered.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Certification of Lien Sale (REG 168) completed by the lienholder or agent.</li> <li>• Certified mailing receipts.</li> <li>• DMV authorization to conduct a lien sale.</li> <li>• If the lien sale was opposed, one of the following:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— A certified copy of a court judgment entered in favor of the lienholder.</li> <li>— A release of interest from the opposer.</li> <li>— DMV authorization to continue with the lien sale after unsuccessful service.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Verification of Vehicle (REG 343), if no California record.</li> <li>• Bill(s) of sale, as needed, to complete the chain of ownership to the buying dismantler.</li> </ul>

## 6.100

<i>Vehicles Removed Under a Local Abatement Procedure</i>	
Definition	Vehicles removed pursuant to a city or county ordinance that establishes procedures for the abatement and removal as public nuisances, of abandoned, wrecked, dismantled, or inoperative vehicles.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Not required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Immediately
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Retain in the dismantler's business records:</b> A copy of the resolution or order authorizing disposition of the vehicle.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The agency submits to the department a Notice of Abandoned Vehicle (REG 104) and any available titling documents, which are used to update the vehicle record with junk status.</p>

## 6.110

<i>Abandoned Low Value Vehicles (VC §§22669, 22851.3)</i>	
Definition	A vehicle valued at \$500 or less that was removed by a public agency because it was abandoned.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Public Agency Authorization To Dispose of a Vehicle to a Scrap Iron Processor or Dismantler Valued at \$500 or Less (REG 462), pink copy.</li> </ul> <p><b>AND</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Notice of Intent To Dispose of a Vehicle Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency (REG 684B).</li> <li>• Statement of Facts for Vehicles Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency CVC 22851.3 (REG 686B).</li> <li>• Certified mail receipts to the interested parties.</li> </ul> <p><b>OR</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A copy of the written notification from the public agency</li> </ul>

6.120

<b><i>Low Value Vehicles Removed for Reasons Other than Abandonment (VC §22851.2)</i></b>	
Definition	A vehicle valued at \$500 or less that was removed by a public agency for reasons other than abandonment.
Notice of Acquisition (REG 42)	Not required
Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42)	Required
When can the vehicle be dismantled	Any time after the Report of Vehicle To Be Dismantled (REG 42), evidence of ownership, and license plates or Dismantler's Notice of License Plate Destruction (REG 42) are <b>delivered</b> to the department.
Documents required to obtain junk status	<p><b>Submit to the department:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of Vehicle to be Dismantled (REG 42).</li> <li>• Public Agency Authorization To Dispose of a Vehicle to a Scrap Iron Processor or Dismantler Valued at \$500 or Less (REG 462), pink copy.</li> <li>• Notice of Intent To Dispose of a Vehicle Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency (REG 684A).</li> <li>• Statement of Facts for Vehicles Valued at \$500 or Less Removed by a Public Agency CVC §22851.3 (REG 686A).</li> <li>• Certified mail receipts or U.S. Postal Service Certificate of Mailing receipts to the interested parties.</li> </ul>