

R5 – Dispute of Ownership – Motor Vehicles

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Section 20(4) of the *Motor Vehicles Act* states:

"The registration of a motor vehicle must not be transferred in any case where the Registrar is in receipt of a notice in writing from the true owner notifying that he or she does not authorise the sale or disposal."

Registration of a motor vehicle may not be transferred to a new owner if the Registrar of Motor Vehicles has received notice in writing from the registered owner stating that he/she does not authorise the transfer of the vehicle.

On receipt of the above advice, records will be noted and the transfer will not be accepted until such time as written advice is received from the owner authorising the transfer.

Correspondence should be addressed to:

Registrar of Motor Vehicles
GPO Box 530
Darwin NT 0801

The following information should be included:

- Registration Number
- Year/Make/Model
- Engine Number
- VIN/Chassis Number

Contact Details	
Motor Vehicle Registry	
Telephone	1300 654 628
Facsimile	(08) 8999 3103
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