



State of Delaware
Department of Transportation
Division of Motor Vehicles

Authorization to drive a vehicle of deceased owner until registration expires

In accordance with 21 *Del.C.* § 2506, this is to certify the proper notification has been provided to the Delaware Division of Motor Vehicles regarding the death of:

Registered Owner's Name:

Registered Owner's Street Address & City

Registered Owner's Plate Number & VIN

The Director hereby grants permission for the usual driver _____ (name)

whose relationship is _____ of the deceased, as well as the immediate members of the family residing in the household, to operate the above vehicle for the remainder of the current registration period ending _____ (expiration date).

Delaware driver's license for usual driver

Signature of usual driver

DMV Associate Authorization:

21 *Del.C.* §2506. Transfer by operation of law; duty of transferee

In the event of the transfer by operation of law of the title or interest of an owner in and to a vehicle as upon inheritance, devise or bequest, order in bankruptcy or insolvency or execution sale, the registration thereof shall expire, and the vehicle shall not be operated upon the highways until and unless the person entitled thereto applies for and obtains the registration and inspection thereof and a transfer of title therefor. The surviving spouse, the child or children of any deceased person and the immediate members of the deceased's family residing in the household, after giving due and proper notice to the Department in such manner and on such form as may be provided therefor by the Department, may operate such vehicle and the current registration thereof shall continue in full force and effect until normal expiration thereof at which time the registration of such vehicle shall expire. An administrator, executor, trustee or other representative of the owner, or a sheriff or other officer or the assignee or legal representative of any such person may operate or cause to be operated any vehicle upon the highways for a distance not exceeding 125 miles from the place where formerly kept by the owner, to a garage, warehouse or other place of keeping or storage, upon displaying upon such vehicle the number plates issued for it and obtaining a temporary or limited permit for such operation as provided by this title.