

Total Loss Vehicle Title Instructions:

This vehicle has been reported as a total loss with Washington State Department of Licensing (DOL). The title has been destroyed and a Total Loss Claim Settlement Report has been filed with the Washington State DOL. Upon winning this auction you will need to complete the following steps before this vehicle can be relicensed in Washington State:

1. Upon payment of this auction, the winner will receive a Bill of Sale, and a copy of the Total Loss Claim Settlement Report from DES Surplus Operations.
2. Once possession is taken the auction winner will need to complete the necessary repairs in order to make the vehicle roadworthy.
3. After the repairs are completed the auction winner will need to have the vehicle's VIN inspected by Washington State Patrol (WSP). For information regarding the VIN inspection, please visit the WSP website <http://www.wsp.wa.gov/traveler/vinspect.htm>. If the vehicle passes the VIN inspection, the auction winner will be issued a VIN Inspection Verification Certificate.
4. The auction winner will then need to complete a Vehicle Certificate of Ownership (Title) Application found on the DOL web site <http://www.dol.wa.gov/forms/420001.html>.
5. Once steps 1-4 are completed the auction winner can take the Bill of sale, Total Loss Claim Settlement Report, the VIN Inspection Verification Certificate and the Title Application to their local DOL office and complete the registration and titling of this vehicle.

For buyers living outside of Washington State, please check with your State's Department of Licensing office for instructions regarding the registration and transfer of ownership of vehicles destroyed in Washington State. Please note that Washington State Patrol will only perform VIN Inspections for State of Washington residents.