

South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles APPLICATION FOR MANUFACTURER PLATES

MA-01 EST. (09/2025)

Applications must be mailed to: SCDMV, Mail in Titles and Registration, P.O. 1498, Blythewood, SC, 29016-0038.

Pursuant to S.C. Code §§56-3-2330 The license plates must be used exclusively on motor vehicles, including motorcycles, owned or in the possession of a manufacturer. They may not be used to operate wreckers in use by the manufacture nor to operate vehicles leased or rented to the public by the manufacturer

RULES & REGULATIONS

- A motor vehicle manufacturer is defined as a person in the business of manufacturing or assembling new and unused vehicles in this state.
- 2. New applicants must provide proof of bona fide manufacturer status. Acceptable documentation may include Articles of Incorporation or business registration, a manufacturer's license or certification, facility documentation verifying a manufacturing location in South Carolina, or federal manufacturer credentials (such as a World Manufacturer Identifier).
- 3. The Department of Motor Vehicles may issue no more than 500 manufacturer license plates to a motor vehicle manufacturer.
- 4. Vehicles with manufacturer plates may be operated by persons authorized by the manufacturer on vehicles of that manufacturer's brand on state streets and highways for testing, distribution, evaluation, and promotion of vehicles.
- 5. The fee for each manufacturer plate issued is \$200.00 and is valid for 2 years

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APPLICANT INFORMATION											
Company Name:					Contact Phone Number:						
Customer Number:			New Plate (\$200): □	Yes 🗌 No	Renew Decal: [(No fee until 2-ye						
Authorized Contact Person Signature:											
Physical Address:											
City:			State:		ZIP Code:						
Mailing Address (if different from above):											
City:			State:		ZIP Code:						
NUMBER LICENSE PLATE VEHI			CLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER		TRANSACTION						
1.					☐ New	Renew					
2.					☐ New	Renew					
3.					☐ New	Renew					
4.					☐ New	Renew					
5.					☐ New	Renew					
6.					☐ New	Renew					
7.					☐ New	Renew					
DMV USE ONLY											
Current Number of Plates: Proce		Processed By:		Signature:		Date:					



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NUMBER	LICENSE PLATE	VEHICLE IDENTIFIC	CATION NUMBER	TRANSACTION			
8.					New		Renew
9.					New		Renew
10.					New		Renew
11.					New		Renew
12.					New		Renew
13.					New		Renew
14.					New		Renew
15.					New		Renew
16.					New		Renew
17.					New		Renew
18.					New		Renew
19.					New		Renew
20.					New		Renew
21.					New		Renew
22.					New		Renew
23.					New		Renew
24 .					New		Renew
25.					New		Renew
26.					New		Renew
27.					New		Renew
28.					New		Renew
29.					New		Renew
30.					New		Renew
Total number of new and renewed plates: Amount Due:							
Note* For additional manufacturer plates, attach additional applications							