



MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
 LICENSING AND REGISTRATION SERVICE  
**ADMINISTRATION EXEMPTION AFFIDAVIT**

This form is required for Exemption from Estate Administration to Transfer a Decedent's vessel.

VESSEL Identification Number EX: MD 1234 AB or USCG # 123456	Manufacturer	Length	Year
		ft. in.	

**Vessel Owner (Decedent):**

DNRid \_\_\_\_\_ (dept. use only)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 First Middle Last Date of Birth

**Name of Applicant (Spouse):**

\_\_\_\_\_  
 First Middle Last Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Daytime Phone Number Email address

I certify under penalty of perjury that all statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and

- I am the current legal spouse to the Vessel Owner identified above
- I am the Decedents only Heir or Legatee
- All debts and taxes owed by the Decedent have been paid
- The Vessel referenced above is the only property owned by the Decedent
- This transfer does not violate Maryland law

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Spouse

Applicant must provide the following:

- Proof of Marriage
- Copy of Death Certificate
- Verification the Boat/Vessel value does not exceed \$5,000
- Properly executed ownership documents
- If lien(s) exist on this vessel at time of decedent's death, either a lien release or letter of authorization from the lien holder must be obtained prior to transfer of ownership

**YOUR APPLICATION CAN BE PROCESSED AT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING DNR SERVICE CENTERS**

**8:30 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday (except State holidays)**

- (410) 260-3220 Annapolis Service Center: 160 Harry S Truman Pkwy, P.O. Box 1869, Annapolis, MD 21404
- (667) 401-0760 Essex Service Center: 1338 Eastern Blvd. A, Essex, MD 21221 **(Walk-In only: M/W/F)**
- (410) 819-4100 Centreville Service Center: 120 Broadway Ave # 5, Centreville, MD 21617
- (240) 236-9950 Frederick Service Center: 1601-A Bowmans Farm Lane, Frederick, MD 21701
- (410) 535-3382 Solomons Service Center: 14175 Solomons Island Rd S, P. O. Box 1309, Solomons, MD 20678
- (410) 836-4550 Bel Air Service Center: 501 West MacPhail Rd. #2, Bel Air, MD 21014
- (410) 713-3840 Salisbury Service Center: 251 Tilghman Rd Rm #2, Salisbury
- (301) 777-2134 Cumberland Service Center: 13300 Winchester Road, SW, Cumberland, MD 21502 **(Walk-in only: T/TH)**