

NOTICE OF OWNER RETAINED SALVAGE - BRANDED "SALVAGE"**CAUTION:**

As a result of a total loss appraisal, your vehicle has been branded as "SALVAGE" by the Ministry of Transportation, and the licence plates are no longer registered to this vehicle. It is illegal to drive this vehicle without licence plates registered to it.

IN ORDER TO PUT THIS VEHICLE BACK ON THE ROAD, IT MUST PASS THE FOLLOWING INSPECTIONS.

A/ STRUCTURAL INSPECTION CERTIFICATE:

You must present the following documents to a licensed Type 6 Motor Vehicle Inspection Station.

- 1/ A copy of the original Appraisal form from the insurance company that wrote off the vehicle.
- 2/ Four (4) colour photographs of the vehicle, (front, rear, left and right sides) **BEFORE IT IS REPAIRED.** You can take these photos yourself, or the repair shop can take them for you.
- 3/ Receipts for any major parts if they are replaced. These receipts must clearly show the following:
 - 1/ The name of the supplier of the part.
 - 2/ The date of purchase of the part.
 - 3/ The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of the vehicle from which the part was removed.

You must give the photos, appraisal, and receipts to the inspection station, for their records.

When **all** of the above documents are OK, the inspection station will inspect your vehicle. This inspection includes structural dimensions, the method of welding, and the assembly and installation of structural components. All undercoating, paint and sound deadening material must be removed from any structural part that has been repaired - it must be BARE METAL! Also, some disassembly or removal of body panels or drivetrain components may be required to give the technician access to the repaired areas to confirm the repairs were done correctly.

B/ SAFETY STANDARDS CERTIFICATE:

You must get a Safety Standards Certificate for the vehicle. This will include all other safety items such as tires, steering, lights, suspension and so on.

C/ EMISSIONS CERTIFICATE:

If you live in an area where an Emissions Test is required under Ontario's "Drive Clean" program, you must have an emissions certificate not more than 6 months old for the vehicle.

FINALLY...

Once you have all of the required certificates, you can re-licence the vehicle by presenting them, along with your registration permit, to an MTO Licence Issuing office. They will issue a new registration permit that will show the brand as "REBUILT". Also, they will change the status of the vehicle from "UNFIT" to "FIT", and they will re-register licence plates to the vehicle if you wish.

There will be a charge for this re-registration process.

Please sign one of the following acknowledgements:

I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understood the above requirements for re-branding my vehicle.

I **accept** this vehicle as branded "SALVAGE".

Signed _____ Date: _____

I **decline** the purchase of this vehicle:

Signed _____ Date: _____