APPLICATION FOR ABATEMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX

YEAR OF TAX 200_____ CITY OF WALTHAM BILL NO._____
ASSESSORS OFFICE,610 MAIN STREET, WALTHAM, MA. 02452 TEL. 781-314-3200
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

***Applying for an abatement does NOT stop the collection of excise tax. The bill IS DUE 30 days from the date of billing.**

PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME

PERSON ASSESSED:_____

STREET ADDRESS:_____

CITY:_____ STATE:_____ ZIP CODE:_____
REGISTRATION#_____ MAKE OF CAR_____ YEAR_____

CHOOSE ONE FROM BELOW:

❑ ***SOLD*** *PROVIDE THE NEW OWNERS:*NAME_____
ADDRESS:_____CITY_____DATE:_____
IF PLATE WAS TRANSFERRED:, REQUIRED IS A COPY OF NEW REGISTRATION. *IF YOU HAVE A NEW PLATE*. A COPY OF THE PLATE RETURN FROM THE RMV IS REQUIRED ON THE OLD PLATE.

❑ ***TRADED*** *PROVIDED THE* **:** DEALERSHIP_____
ADDRESS_____. DATE:_____ *IF YOU GOT A NEW PLATE*. A COPY OF THE PLATE RETURN RECIEPT FROM THE RMV IS REQUIRED ON THE OLD PLATE**.**

❑ ***JUNKED*** *SHOW TO WHOM*:_____
ADDRESS_____ CITY_____
REQUIRED IS A COPY OF THE PLATE RETURN RECIEPT FROM THE R.M.V.

❑ ***OTHER***_____

Further information :
IF THE VEHICLE WAS TOTALED REQUIRED IS AN INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT LETTER. OR A COPY OF THE POLICE REPORT. COPY OF THE PLATE RETURN RECEIPT (FROM RMV). IF YOU FAILED TO RETURN THE PLATE, YOU MUST GET A C-19 (LOST PLATE) FROM THE R.M.V.

IF YOU MOVED FROM MASSACHUSETTS: REQUIRED IS A PLATE RETURN RECIEPT FROM THE R.M.V (EXCEPT CA. & AZ.) AND A COPY OF YOUR NEW REGISTRATION FROM THE NEW STATE. THE LAW REQUIRES WE USE WHICH EVER IS THE LATTER DATE TO ABATE THE BILL. Or a Lost Plate form from RMV.

IF YOU MOVED FROM WALTHAM BEFORE JANUARY 1ST *OF TAX YEAR*. REQUIRED IS A COPY OF THE COVERAGE SELECTION PAGE FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR PRIOR TO THE TAX YEAR. FOR EXAMPLE: IF THE BILL IS FOR 1999 REQUIRED IS THE COVERAGE SELECTION PAGE FROM 1998. *

* MOVING TO ANOTHER CITY/TOWN DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR DOES NOT ENTITLE YOU TO ABATEMENT. THE OWNER MUST PAY THE MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TO THE CITY OR TOWN IN WHICH HE/SHE IS REGISTERED AS OF JANUARY 1ST.

THE LAW REQUIRES THAT YOU NOTIFY THE REGISTRY OF MOTOR VEHICLES WITHIN 30 DAYS OF MOVING.

SIGNATURE:_____**DATE:**_____

CURRENT ADDRESS:_____ **CITY**_____ **ZIP**_____

Note: By Law we can only abate bills for the current calendar year or go back one year prior to the current calendar year.

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