## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

# NEW GUIDELINES ON APPLICATION FOR CLASSIC AND VINTAGE VEHICLES IMPORT LICENSE (AP)

## (EFFECTIVE ON 1 JULY 2018)

NO	CRITERIA	GUIDELINES
1.	Vehicle Type	Passenger Car and Motorcycle.
2.	Vehicle Age Limits	<ul> <li>There are two categories:</li> <li>i. Classic Vehicles: 35 years and above; and</li> <li>ii. Vintage Vehicles: 50 years and above.</li> <li>For both categories, the vehicle's age is determined based on Vehicle Manufacturing Year.</li> </ul>
3.	Vehicle's Condition	<ul> <li>Vehicles must be in good condition and restored to the original factory specification.</li> <li>Replica or rebuilt vehicles are prohibited.</li> </ul>
4.	Classic and Vintage Certification	<ul> <li>Vehicles must be certified as classic or vintage by recognised certification bodies from the exporting or manufacturing country.</li> <li>All application must include a copy of Certificate of Origin or a Certificate of Registration.</li> </ul>

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		For both documents above, a <b>certified translated version</b> should be included if     the language used in the original document     is other than Bahasa Malaysia or English.
5.	Applicant Eligibility	<ul> <li>For individual:</li> <li>i. A Malaysian citizen</li> <li>ii. Have a valid Driving License according to the type of classic or vintage imported vehicle; and</li> <li>iii. Only ONE (1) AP for classic or vintage vehicles is eligible for each individual.</li> <li>For company:</li> <li>i. Registered with the Companies Commission of Malaysia (SSM) as a Private Limited Company; and</li> <li>ii. Have experience in the automotive industry for at least 3 years.</li> </ul>
6.	Vehicle Registration	<ul> <li>Company must provide a copy of Vehicle Ownership Certificate (VOC) within six (6) months from the date of MITI's approval.</li> </ul>
7.	Ownership Restriction	<ul> <li>Imported vehicles shall be registered at Jabatan Pengangkutan Jalan (JPJ) and the ownership of the vehicle is non- transferable within five (5) years from the date of first registration at JPJ.</li> </ul>

Note: The MITI approved Import License (AP) must be obtained before the vehicle is imported into Malaysia.

#### DOCUMENTS CHECKLIST FOR APPLICATION

Please submit an application letter to MITI and the application must include the following information and documents:

- i. Application letter must include detailed information on vehicles as follows:
  - a. Brand and model:
  - b. Chassis number;
  - c. Engine number; and
  - d. Year of manufacture.
- ii. Vehicle Status Certification as classic or vintage.
- iii. Certificate of Origin/Certificate of Registration.
- iv. Photo of the vehicle.
- v. Purchase order/invoice from seller in export country.
- vi. For application by individuals, the following additional documents should be included:
  - a. Photocopy of identity card; and
  - b. Copy of driving license.
- vii. For applications by companies, the following additional documents should be included:
  - a. Certificate of registration of SSM as a certified Private Limited Company; and
  - b. Experience records in automotive related fields for 3 years.

### NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THE GUIDELINE

Any application which does not comply with the terms and conditions set out in this New Guideline will be rejected.

Ministry of International Trade and Industry 11 June 2018