



Vehicle & Operator Services Agency

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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

I refer to your e-mail of 4th June 2010 requesting information, which we have dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked for the current MOT status for a MG ZT vehicle bearing the registration *****. I can confirm that this vehicle does not have a current MOT certificate. The last certificate issued, expired on 24th February 2010.

I would however strongly suggest you check the status of this vehicle with the Driver and Vehicle Licencing Agency (DVLA) before purchase this vehicle, including the steps needed to be taken with regard to the issue of a V5C to an insurance write off.

You may not be aware that some insurance write offs are required to submit to a Vehicle Identity Check (VIC) prior to DVLA considering the issue of a registration certificate. The following link

<http://www.dft.gov.uk/vosa/publications/leafletsandposters/vehicletestingleaflets.htm>

will take you through to the publications part of VOSA's website where you can find the VIC information leaflet. Such checks are only available to certain classes of vehicle write off and having checked with VOSA's VIC Scheme I am able to confirm that there is no VIC marker set against this vehicle. This vehicle is therefore not in scope of the VIC scheme.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact us, quoting reference **F0002691**.

If you are unhappy with the response provided, you may ask for an internal review. To request an internal review, please write to:

VOSA Corporate Office,
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or email vosa.corporateoffice@vosa.gsi.gov.uk

giving the reasons for your dissatisfaction. It will help us if you quote the reference number for your case.

If you do not agree with the outcome of the internal review, you may lodge an appeal with the Information Commissioner (www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk). The Information Commissioner is an independent official appointed by the Crown to oversee the Data Protection Act 1998, the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

The Information Commissioner can consider complaints about any aspect of the way in which requests for information have been handled. Please note: the Information Commissioner would be unlikely to consider your complaint if you have not first requested an internal review.

You can write to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane,
Wilmslow,
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Yours sincerely

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