

Government of Western Australia Department of Transport

E178D Application to Display Flashing Warning Lights Only

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Your personal driver's licence information, photograph and vehicle licence information may be disclosed to a third party, where authorised under 'road law' (as defined in the *Road Traffic (Administration) Act 2008*), or Commonwealth law or in compliance with a Court Order issued within Australia. Your personal details may also be disclosed to other driver licensing authorities to assess your application or verify any information you have provided.

IMPORTANT - ENSURE YOU READ THIS INFORMATION BEFORE COMPLETING THE FORM

This form is to be used to apply for the authorisation for a vehicle that is already approved to fit flashing warning lights (FWLs), to display (use) those lights on public roads where there is a genuine need for the vehicle to do so to warn other roads users of its presence.

The organisation that is hiring/leasing a vehicle with FWLs must have obtained authorisation from the CEO, Department of Transport (DoT) to fit the FWLs. Drivers of these vehicles must comply with all WA road rules.

All vehicles must comply with the standards and requirements set out in the *Road Traffic (Vehicles) Regulations 2014*, that apply to the kind of motor vehicle. Applications must be submitted to vsp@transport.wa.gov.au and may take up to three weeks to process. All applications are considered individually on a case by case basis.

If you have an enquiry regarding flashing warning lights, vehicle standards, vehicle policy or vehicle operations, contact vsp@transport.wa.gov.au or visit www.transport.wa.gov.au/dvs

APPLICANT DETAILS	SUPPORTING INFORMATION
YES NO	Attach the following information on company letterhead:
Is your organisation the owner of the specified vehicle (if no, complete vehicle owner details)	 An overview of the applicant organisation, including name of mine site and township locality (if applicable)? Why does your organisation need to be authorised to display (use) flashing
Are the specified vehicle(s) authorised by the CEO, DoT to fit FWLs and/or siren? (if no, your application cannot be assessed)	 Why does your organisation need to be authorised to display (use) hashing warning lights on public roads? Details of the circumstances in which your organisation proposes to use FWLs on public roads.
HIRE/LEASE DETAILS	 Details of the duties undertaken by the applicant organisation when displaying FWLs on the specified vehicle(s).
YES NO	 Details of any additional vehicle(s) included in this application (plate number, VIN, make, model).
Have you hired/leased the specified vehicle(s) (provide a copy of the hire/lease agreement)	Provide details of the name, position and postal address where the authorisation letter may be mailed to.
What is the term of your hiring/leasing agreement?	Has your organisation previously been authorised to display FWLs? If yes, provide a copy or the reference number.
From Date: To Date:	IMPORTANT INFORMATION
VEHICLE OWNER DETAILS	Drivers of a vehicle fitted with FWLs must comply with all WA road rules.
Application must be submitted by the vehicle owner or authorised representative.	If your application is approved, your organisation will be authorised to display (use) flashing warning lights on the approved vehicles for the term of your hire/lease agreement.
ORGANISATION/COMPANY (must be a legal entity)	If you intend on extending the hire/lease agreement you must notify DoT prior to the beginning of the new hire/lease term to enable your authorisation period to be extended.
CONTACT PERSON (full name and position title)	OFFICE USE ONLY
	DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED DVS REFERENCE
PHONE NUMBER EMAIL	
POSTAL ADDRESS	BRANCH OPERATOR
	YES NO
SUBURB	Are vehicles authorised to fit FWLs? (if no, application cannot proceed)
STATE W A POST CODE	If organisation is applying for approval to operate red/ blue or red/blue and white FWLs (if yes an E178 form must be also submitted)
VEHICLE(S) DETAILS	All supporting documentation received as required?
What colour/colour combination FWLs are you seeking authorisation to fit?	Number plate/VIN details provided for all vehicles?
Red	Approved by delegated officer?

An application will not be approved to operate red, blue and white FWLs on public roads unless the operating organisation is a State emergency response agency or is providing services that cannot be provided by an existing State emergency response service agency.

Blue White

Yellow/Amber

Other (specify below)