

## **Abandonment to Landlord**

Department of Safety and Professional Services Manufactured Home Unit P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

Submit this statement with the Certificate of Title, form SBD-10687, for each manufactured home. Enclose a payment of \$23.00 for each manufactured home.

Personal Information you provide may be used for secondary purposes [Privacy Law, s.15.04(1)(m)].

This procedure should be followed for situations in which a tenant moves and leaves a manufactured home on the premises in accordance with s.704.05(5) Wis. Stats.

Owner / Tenant FULL Name	Manufactured Home Serial Number	Year	Make		Size Body Length X Width
Manufactured Homes Is Located At: Address	City	State	Zip Code	County	HUD Numbers

I checked the official manufactured home records for the state in which the home is registered and obtained the names and addresses of the owners and any lien holders of record who may claim an interest in the home. I gave each owner, tenant, and lien holder a statutory notice prior to selling or junking the home.

## See guidelines on following page.

Seller's Business Name		tured Home Community Name	Community ID Numb	
Address	Address (If different than Seller Address)			
City, State, Zip Code	City, State, Zip Code			
(Area Code) Telephone Number	(Area Code) Telephone Number			
Purchaser Name	Disposition of Manufactured Home (Check one)			
Address		Junked Title in Business Name		
City, State, Zip Code		Sold to Purchaser Identified		
(Area Code) Telephone Number				
I, the seller, certify that to the best of my knowledge the information contain and indemnify the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Servament of the purchaser at sale on the above-described manufactured how	vices in ar me. I also	ny claim arising out of the issuance of certify with my signature that to the b	title in the	
(Seller Business Representative Signature)	(Date)			

NOTE: This document is given to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services for the purpose of either junking the above described home of record or transferring title to the home on the records of the department.

Falsifying information given in this document could result in a fine of up to \$10,000 and imprisonment for up to five (5) years, or both.

## **Eligibility**

If a tenant moves from the premises and leaves a manufactured home, the landlord may dispose of the abandoned personal property in any manner that the landlord, in its sole discretion, determines appropriate. This statutory process has priority over any ownership or security interest.

#### To Verify Ownership

Wisconsin manufactured home – you may use form SBD-10752, Manufactured Home / Owner Record Information Request.

An online search can be performed here: https://apps3.dsps.wi.gov/php/manufactured\_homes/Manufactured\_home\_search.php

Another jurisdiction – contact the state where the home is currently registered.

# Notify owners, tenants, and lien holders of record of intent to dispose of manufactured home

In addition to the notification to the tenant by general mail required by s. 704.05 (5), we suggest you also send written notice by certified mail, "Return Receipt Requested" to the owners, tenants, and any lien holder of record notifying them:

- the home will be sold if it is not claimed disposal, and
- of the home description by identification number, year, make, body length, and body width; and
- of the date, time, and location of a public sale OR of the date a private sale will be held.

## **Noncompliance**

If the manufactured home is not claimed prior to the date stated in your notice, you may sell or otherwise dispose of it in accordance with the notice.

#### To sell the manufactured home

The manufactured home sale may be either public or private. An example of a public sale is an auction. A private sale would be the sale to a used manufactured home dealer without offering it to the public.

If the home is sold, furnish the buyer with this completed form indicating you are selling the manufactured home.

CAUTION: Be sure to retain a photocopy for your records.

## To obtain a title for the manufactured home

(you or a buyer) Submit:

- this completed form; and
- SBD-10687 (Wisconsin Manufactured Home Certificate Application) and applicable fees.

Note: A home sold and transferred as a result of this process does not require the previous owner's consent and will not show any previous liens.

#### Mail To:

Department of Safety and Professional Services Manufactured Home Unit PO Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

## Photocopying:

If photocopying this form, both sides must be copied, or the application will be refused.

## Questions:

Call (608) 266-2112 (option 3) between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.