BPM DEPOSIT ON EXPORT

Registration and refund

2026

WHY DO YOU PAY A BPM DEPOSIT?

BPM is a Dutch vehicle tax, separate from VAT. On export, part of this tax may be reclaimed, subject to conditions.

The agreed export price excludes the refundable BPM. You therefore pay a temporary deposit. The amount is shown separately on the invoice.

WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO?

Arrange permanent registration of the vehicle in another EU member state, Norway, Iceland or Liechtenstein. The vehicle must also actually be taken to that country.

Within 13 weeks of the Dutch export date, the vehicle must be permanently registered there and our refund application must have been submitted to the Dutch Tax Administration.

Immediately after registration, send us the **final foreign registration certificate** and your **IBAN**. Allow time for us to process and submit the application.

Temporary registration or export plates are not sufficient.

WHEN WILL YOUR DEPOSIT BE REFUNDED?

We will refund your deposit once we have checked the documents and all conditions for a BPM refund have been met.

SUBMIT YOUR DOCUMENTS ON TIME

If late submission of your documents prevents us from obtaining the BPM refund from the Dutch Tax Administration, **your deposit will not be refunded**.

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