

Buyer Search

Use this Form to obtain the name and address of the Buyer of a vessel which a Bankrupt Individual has disposed of. Note that the Notice of Disposal Form does not record the price paid for the transfer of a vessel.

Ownership & Disposal Search

Normally, before you use this Form to obtain a Buyer's details, you will first need to lodge [Form 5658](#) (Bankruptcy Vessel Ownership Search) to confirm that the Bankrupt was the vessel owner at the time of disposal.

1. APPLICANT DETAILS

Your Name *(note: must be the full legal name of the person appointed as Trustee/Official Receiver in Bankruptcy)*

Your Firm's Name (If applicable)

Address *(note: must be a street address)*

Capacity

I am making this Application in my capacity as:

Trustee in Bankruptcy Official Receiver in Bankruptcy

Contact Phone No.

Contact Email

(note: must be a work email)

Your File/Case Reference No.

2. BANKRUPT INDIVIDUAL

NOTES

- We cannot undertake any searches unless the Bankrupt is accurately identified.

Bankrupt's Family Name:

Given Names:

Former Names (if any):

Current Address of Bankrupt:

Previous Address of Bankrupt:

Proof of Identity:

You must provide one of the 4 identifiers:

NSW Driver Licence No:

NSW Photo Card No:

Date of Birth:

Transport for NSW Customer No:

3. VESSEL DETAILS

NOTE

- We will only provide Buyer details if this Vessel was transferred by the Bankrupt Individual to the Buyer.
- To obtain a search of vessels owned by the Company and the dates of any disposals please complete [Form 5658](#) (Bankruptcy Vessel Ownership Search).
- You may nominate more than one vessel on this Form (a fee is payable for each vessel search)

NSW Registration Number

WARNING: we can only release the name and address of the Buyer if we have that information on a Notice of Disposal or Receipt which was signed by or lodged with us by or on behalf of the Bankrupt. This is because we can only release information to you from “books and records kept by the Bankrupt” and unless the Bankrupt signed or lodged the document the records are not Bankrupt records. Otherwise you may apply for the Buyer’s details by making an [Access Application](#) under the *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 (NSW)* OR by the Official Receiver serving a s.77C Notice compelling the release of the information.

4. DETAILS OF RELATED VESSEL OWNERSHIP ENQUIRY

NOTE

Before you can complete this Form normally you will first need to have lodged [Form 5658](#) (Bankruptcy Vessel Ownership Search) to search for vessels owned by the Bankrupt as you cannot request Buyer information unless you have confirmed that the Bankrupt owned and disposed of the vessel.

Have you previously lodged a [Form 5658](#) (Bankruptcy Vessel Ownership Search) in respect of this Vessel for this Bankrupt?

- Yes ► Advise the date that we released the vessel search results to you so that we can match this application with your previous application: **Date (if any) of Your Prior Vessel Search for this Bankrupt**
- No

5. DECLARATIONS & SIGNATURE


WARNING: It is a criminal offence under s.307B of the *Crimes Act 1901 (NSW)* to provide false or misleading information to Transport for NSW

I declare that:

- (1) the contents of this Application are correct
- (2) I am requesting these searches solely for the purpose of carrying out my official duties and functions in my capacity shown in Section 1 above
- (3) I am making this application under sections 19(1)(f) and/or 19AA Bankruptcy Act 1966.

Signature	Date
Name	


6. EVIDENCE OF APPOINTMENT

 Unless you are the Official Receiver in Bankruptcy, you must provide evidence of your appointment as a Trustee of the Bankrupt’s estate.

7. FEES

A search fee is payable for every vessel. You must use [Form 5623](#) to make payment (that Form sets out the fee)

8. LODGEMENT

 Send the following in a single email to maritimecompliance@transport.nsw.gov.au:

- this Form
- [Form 5623](#)
- evidence of your appointment

The subject line of your email should be: *Bankruptcy Vessel Buyer Search for* [#insert name of Bankrupt Individual]

9. PRIVACY STATEMENT

Transport for NSW is collecting your personal information to use in connection with this Application. You do not have to provide this information but we cannot process your Application without it. We may disclose the information you have provided in order to verify it. You can contact us if you need to access or amend this information by completing an access form at transport.nsw.gov.au/about-us/transport-privacy or by contacting us at privacy@transport.nsw.gov.au or on 132 213.