Applying for a tax class change to a Historic Vehicle and for a NIL value tax disc

For updates on VED exemption see our information gateway at:
www.v8register.net/subpages/gatewayVEDexemption1.htm

Was your car first registered in 1975 or earlier or up to and including 7th January 1976? See the date in section 4B on your red V5C.

Yes it was first registered in 1975 or earlier or up to and including 7th January 1976.

No it was first registered on or after 8th January 1976.

Do not apply too early for tax class change to DVLA Swansea or at a Post Office counter for a tax class change - suggest you apply in the second half of March.

If you need a BMHT Heritage certificate to evidence the "build date" then do apply early because during January to March BMHT is usually very busy with a flood of applications.

Was your car built in 1975 or earlier?

Yes it was built before 1st January 1976.

Not sure - you can check the build date using the V8 Grapevine factory records check and/or get a BMHIT Heritage certificate. www.v8grapevine.net/logon.php?from=factoryrecords

No but it was built in 1976 – your car will be eligible from 1st April 2017 under the rolling 40 year exemption announced in the Budget 2014. **Apply in 2017**.

Submit your application for a **tax class change & NIL value VED** with the V5C at your local Post Office.

You will need to get a BMHIT Heritage certificate as evidence of the date the car was built.

Get a **BMHIT Heritage certificate** to provide evidence of the date the car was built. www.heritage-motor-centre.co.uk

Post Office processes your application, changes the tax class, issues a **NIL value VED** & sends off the V5C to the DVLA for updating to Historic vehicle.

Post Office declines to process your application.

Send your application for a **tax class change and NIL value VED** with the V5C to DVLA, Central Capture Unit, Longview Road, Swansea SA6 7JL

DVLA Swansea sends you a **new red V5C** with the tax class shown as Historic vehicle.

DVLA Swansea processes the application and sends you a **NIL value tax VED** confirmation and a **new red V5C** with the tax class shown as Historic Vehicle.