



McPhee Freight
Coastal Shipping Specialists



PREPARE FOR TRANSPORT SERVICES

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TRANSPORT CHECKLIST

CARS – SEDANS & 4WDs

Vehicles are required to;

- Travel empty - no personal goods are permitted to travel inside vehicles, on utility trays or inside trailers.
- Be fully driveable, mechanically sound and in a safe and roadworthy condition with working brakes, good tyres and no damage to windows and/or windscreens.
- Not exceed 30 years of age.*
- Have a minimum ground clearance of 150mm.**
- Not exceed maximum vehicle dimensions (L) 5.3m × (H) 2.1m when booked as a Standard Car.***
- Oversize/large vehicles travel on a different cargo deck of the vessel and require alternate transport in and out of port. Dimensions (L×W×H) will be required to provide an accurate quote.
- Have enough fuel to be driven on and off the vessel/truck. If your car needs refuelling, you will be charged an additional fee.

* Vehicles exceeding 30 years of age must be declared at the time of enquiry and is strictly subject to approval. Photos may be required.

** Vehicles travelling with a ground clearance less than 150mm must be declared at the time of enquiry and is strictly subject to approval. Photos may be required.

*** Vehicles exceeding 5.3m/L or 2.1m/H are considered "Oversize / Large Vehicles" must be declared at the time of booking. Oversize vehicles travel on a different cargo deck of the vessel and may require alternate transport in and out of port. Dimensions (LxWxH) will be required to provide an accurate quote.

Registration

Vehicles are not required to be registered during transport. Please ensure you notify [Customer Service](#) if your vehicle is not registered.



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HOW TO
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OVERSIZE & OTHER DRIVEABLE VEHICLES

Vehicles are required to;

- Travel empty - personal and bulk goods are not permitted, nor goods of any kind in utility trays, vans, trailers or trucks. For commercial service vehicles, please contact [Customer Service](#) - photos will be required.
- Be fully driveable, mechanically sound and in a safe and roadworthy condition with working brakes, good tyres and no damage to windows and/or windscreens.
- Vehicles exceeding 30 years of age must be declared at the time of booking and are subject to approval only. Photos may be required.
- Have sufficient fuel to be driven to/from ports. If your vehicle needs refueling, you will be charged an additional fee.

Dimensions

Please check the dimensions you've provided are accurate before proceeding with a booking. All cargo must be measured from the furthest points (L×W×H).

Incorrect dimensions may result in insufficient space on the collection truck and/or vessel during transit. Service failure charges may apply.

Registration

Vehicles are not required to be registered during transport. Trade plates can be provided on request, subject to availability.





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TOWABLE CARGO

Vehicles are required to;

- Travel empty - personal goods are not permitted. Caravans, campers and motorhomes may travel with some cargo-specific items only such as pots, pans, cutlery etc. Please contact [Customer Service](#) for further clarification, if required.
- Be fully towable, mechanically sound and in a safe and roadworthy condition with working brakes, good tyres and no damage to windows and/or windscreens.
- Seller/supplier is responsible for mailing a set of keys for caravans/campers to the buyer/receiver. We accept no responsibility for keys or their handover to buyers/receivers.

Dimensions

Please check the dimensions you've provided are accurate before proceeding with a booking. All cargo must be measured from the furthest points (L×W×H) and if on a trailer, must include the tow hitch.

Incorrect dimensions may result in insufficient space on the collection truck and/or vessel during transit. Service failure charges may apply.

Registration

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1 GAS BOTTLES

Brand new gas bottles can travel if accompanied by a valid, gas free certificate attached to the cylinder and a declaration provided stating the gas bottle has never been filled, used or tested. If deemed hazardous or identified as a risk, for any reason, gas bottles may be removed and will be destroyed. New gas bottles travel at the Customer's liability and are not covered by Company insurances or warranties.



2 HAZARDOUS GOODS

McPhee Freight is not a common carrier and will not transport dangerous or hazardous goods.



3 THINGS TO CHECK

Seat covers, carpets / floor mats, wheel arches, mud flaps and tyre rims, boot and spare tyres, steps and running boards, engine, grill, radiator core, chassis rails and channels, toolboxes and mounts



QUARANTINE RISK INSPECTIONS

Vehicles travelling into WA and TAS will undergo a Quarantine Risk Inspection to identify items such as soil, hay, plants, flowers, seeds, nuts, insects, food products including fruits and vegetables and perishables packaging. This is a legal requirement. Vehicles must be cleaned inside, outside and underneath prior to transport.



REMOVE PRIOR TO TRANSPORT

The following items are not permitted to travel and must be removed prior to transport.

- Weapons and ammunition
- Gas bottles
- Drugs and medicine
- Perishable goods, plants, food products, spices etc.
- Flammable and hazardous substances (eg. spray cans, flares)
- Fuels and lubricants
- Electronic devices (eg. printers, cameras, computers, iPads etc.)
- TVs, navigation devices, DVDs; excludes fixed units and radios
- Cleaning supplies
- Oil canisters

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Food Products

Remove all food products including food for human consumption as well as commercial produce. Ensure left-overs, spilled food and drink are cleaned prior to transport.



Oil and Grease

All oil (eg. stains or leakage), grease, soot etc. must be removed from inside and outside the product.



Dirt and Soils

Remove dirt, sand, soils and muds, stones and dirty water residue. Pay special attention to the underside of the vehicle, especially on used machinery.

Plant Material

Plant material such as twigs, leaves, bark, roots, grass and straw must be removed from inside and outside of the vehicle.



Animal Material

Ensure the removal of all animal and insect life, dead or alive, including any traces of faeces (eg. bird droppings).

