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2.1 date for a passenger automobile, as defined in section 168.002, subdivision 24, upon the
2.2 request of the owner of the passenger automobile, if the owner has paid the lien in full and
2.3 is unable to locate the lienholder to obtain a lien release. At a minimum, the owner must
2.4 send a letter to the lienholder by certified mail, return receipt requested, requesting a lien
2.5 release. If the owner is unable to obtain a lien release by sending a letter by certified mail,
2.6 then the owner must present to the department or its agent the returned letter as evidence
2.7 of the attempted contact. This subdivision applies only to: (1) vehicle owners who are
2.8 individuals; or (2) dealers licensed under section 168.27, subdivision 2 or 3, who are
2.9 purchasing a vehicle from an individual owner for resale.