

CLIENT RESOURCE

Property Transfer Checklist

Having these ready when you instruct us helps your transfer move as quickly as possible. Not every item applies to every matter — we'll let you know what's needed for yours.

For the seller

- Certified copy of your ID (and your spouse's, if married)
- Proof of residential address (not older than 3 months)
- Marriage certificate and/or antenuptial contract, if applicable
- Original title deed (or the details of the bank holding it)
- Latest municipal rates account / utility statement
- Bank details for the proceeds of the sale
- Bond account number and bank, if there's a bond to cancel
- Levy details and managing agent, if sectional title or in an estate

For the buyer

- Certified copy of your ID (and your spouse's, if married)
- Proof of residential address (not older than 3 months)
- Marriage certificate and/or antenuptial contract, if applicable
- Income tax number (required for transfer duty)
- Bond grant / approval details, if financing the purchase
- Details of how you'll hold the property (individual, trust, company)

FICA — required by law

As a law firm we're legally required to verify every client's identity and address under FICA. The certified ID and proof of address above cover this. See our separate **FICA Requirements** guide for the full detail.

Tip: certified copies must usually be certified within the last three months. A police station, post office or commissioner of oaths can certify them free of charge.