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## VCA Sharefile user guide – Sending of Type Approval Applications

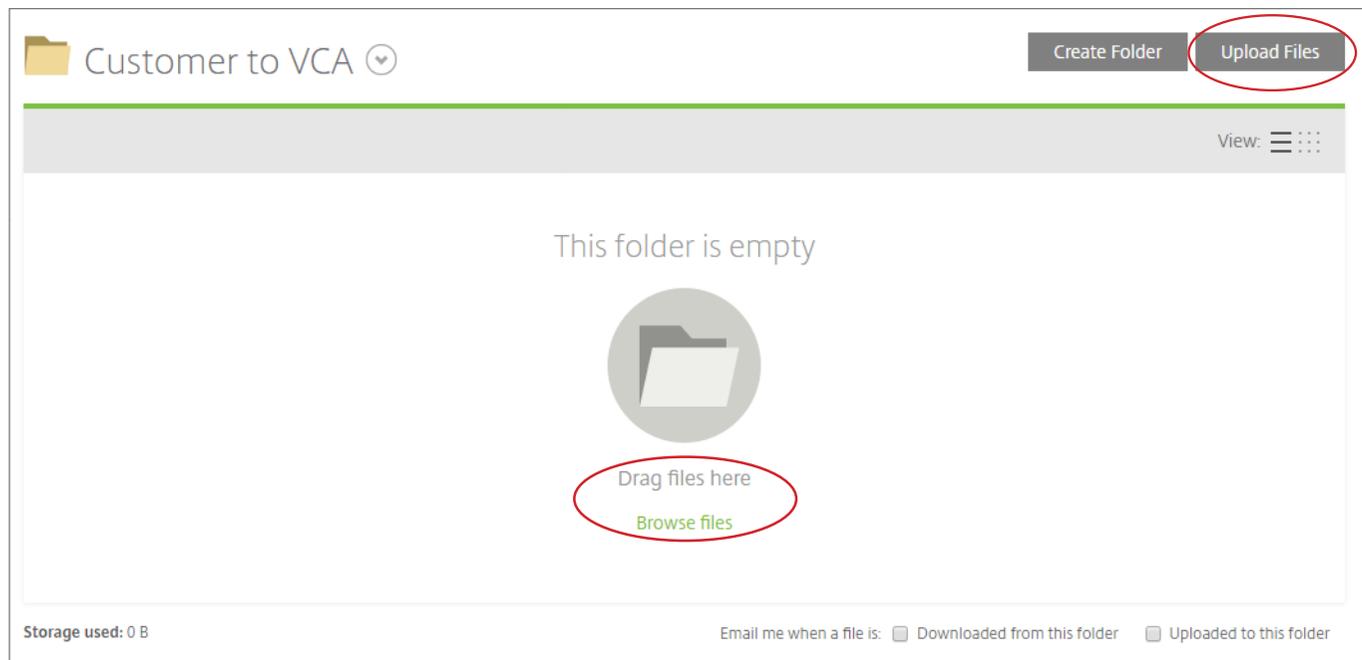
# Email with ShareFile

- Email with ShareFile allows you to send your file(s) via ShareFile's email system. With this method, the recipient receives an email message containing a secure link to download the file(s).

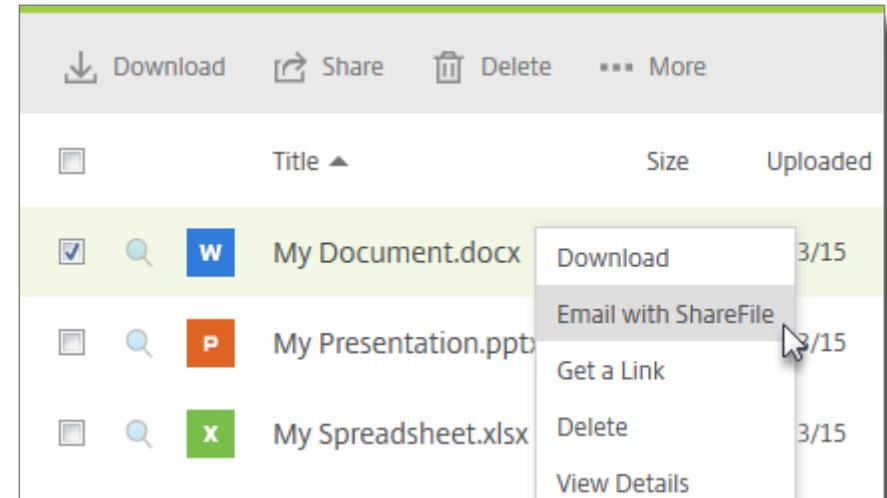
- You can send a file stored on your account.

1) To upload a file from your computer to ShareFile, first click on the name of the ShareFile folder where you would like to store the file (example being "Customer to VCA").

You can upload files manually, or simply drag a file into the web application to upload it.

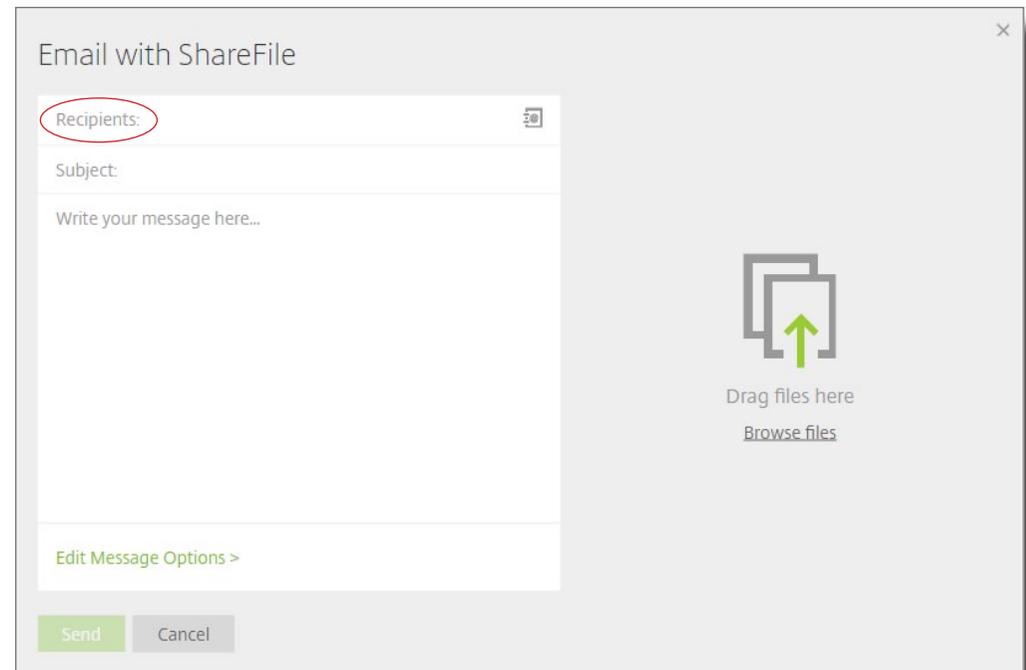


2) To Send a file(s) from your account folder to VCA:  
*Right-click the file and choose **Email with ShareFile***



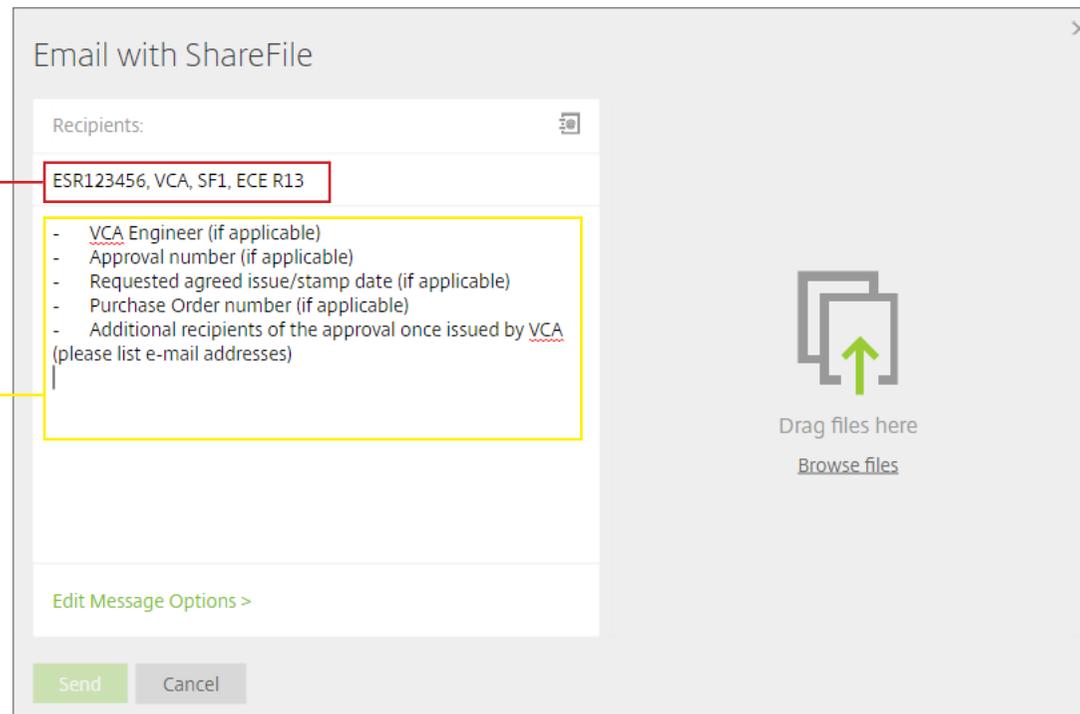
3) Customise your message before sending.

Within recipients, enter the  
VCA Type Approval shared mailbox address:  
[typeapproval@vca.gov.uk](mailto:typeapproval@vca.gov.uk)



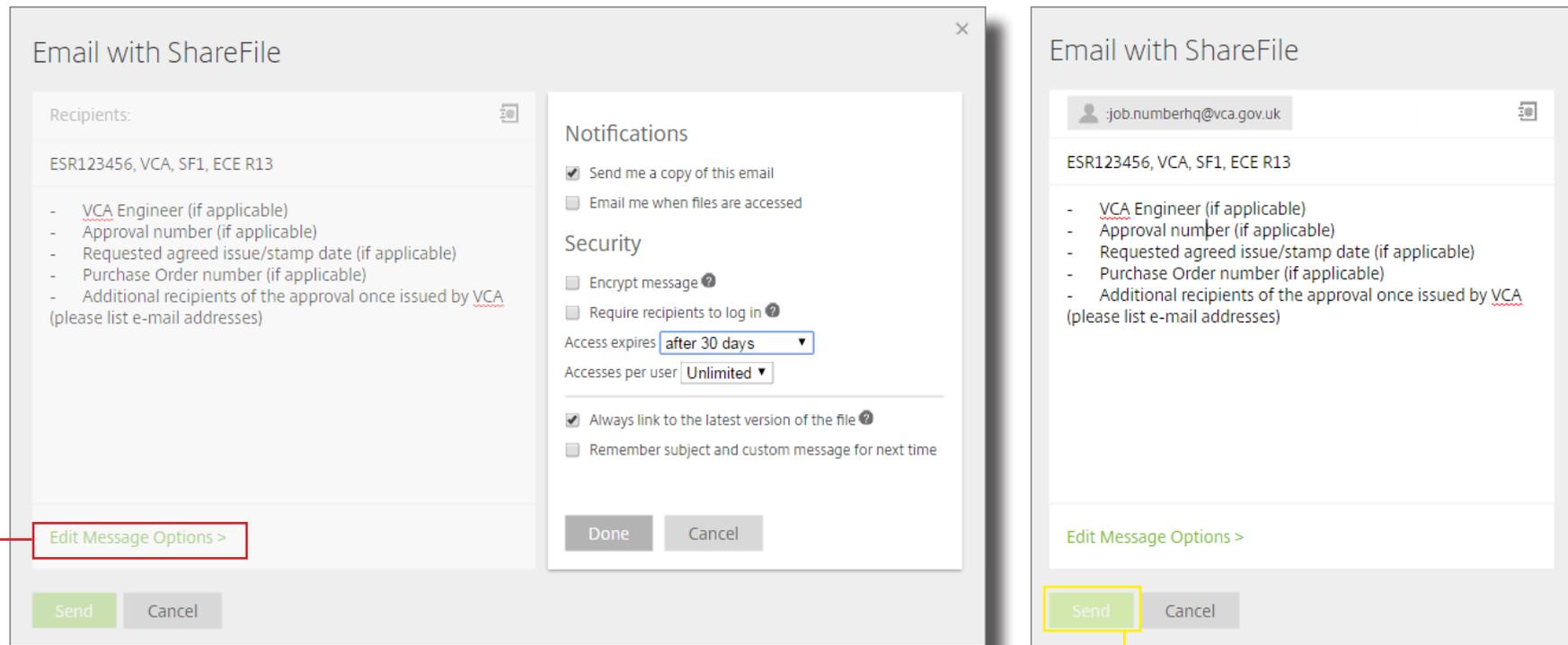
- 4) Under the **Subject** please enter: VCA job number, applicant/Manufacturer, model/type, approval legislation subject (Example; ESR123456, VCA, SF1, ECE R13).

If you are sending multiple documents for multiple job numbers please list these within the e-mail message.



- 5) Within the **Message Content** please give any useful details or specific requests and always include:
  - VCA Engineer (if applicable)
  - Approval number (if applicable)
  - Requested agreed issue/stamp date (if applicable)
  - Purchase Order number (if applicable)
  - Additional recipients of the approval once issued by VCA (please list e-mail addresses)

6) Select Edit Message Options and complete applicable options



7) Click Send when ready. You will receive confirmation that the message was sent successfully.