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BUSINESS REPORT

Date: **4th November 2026**
Business Reference:**BFS00341**

About the Business:

ON AUCTION - Lexus Celsior 4 Door Sedan 4.0L V8 (1994)

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Location: 10 CHOPIN STREET, KLARINET, WITBANK, MPUMALANGA

Start: 2026-06-25 at 08:00

End: 2026-06-25 at 12:00

Tax on Fees: 15.00%

Currency: ZAR

Collectore Item: Rare Japanese import Toyota Celsior luxury sedan fitted with the legendary Toyota 1UZ FE 4.0L V8 engine, internationally renowned for exceptional reliability, refinement and durability.

The Toyota Celsior served as the Japanese domestic market equivalent of the Lexus LS400 and is widely regarded as one of Toyota's finest luxury vehicles ever produced. This example presents in highly original condition with factory luxury features, original trim and classic period correct styling. Increasingly sought after by Japanese luxury vehicle enthusiasts and collectors.

Odometer reading of approximately 379,236 km. Vehicle presents in good overall cosmetic condition for age, with signs of careful ownership and normal wear associated with age and mileage.

Features & Accessories
4.0L Toyota 1UZ FE V8 petrol engine
Automatic transmission
Factory luxury sedan configuration
Electric windows
Electric mirrors
Electric front seats
Driver seat memory function
Automatic climate control air conditioning
Factory Lexus premium sound system
Radio / CD / cassette audio system
Woodgrain interior trim finishes
Central locking
Power steering
Original wheel covers
Luxury leather interior
Factory instrument cluster and controls intact
Collector and enthusiast appeal

Visual Condition Assessment

Exterior
Champagne gold metallic paintwork presents well for age
Body panels appear straight and original from supplied photographs
Chrome trim and badging present well
Minor cosmetic wear and age related imperfections visible
Front lower bumper area shows visible scuffing / damage
No obvious major accident damage noted from supplied photographs
Vehicle retains a clean and original luxury sedan appearance

Interior
Cabin presents exceptionally clean and original for age and mileage

Dashboard, switches and centre console appear in good condition
Factory premium audio system still fitted
Woodgrain trim presents well
Leather upholstery appears preserved beneath seat covers
Door trims, carpets and interior plastics appear intact
Instrument cluster operational at time of inspection
Luxury features and switchgear appear complete

Mechanical / Operational
Vehicle starts and instrument cluster operational at time of inspection
Legendary Toyota 1UZ FE V8 engine fitted
Engine bay presents clean and largely original
Odometer reading reflects approximately 379,236 km
Prospective purchasers are encouraged to conduct their own mechanical assessment and roadworthy inspection
Sold as viewed and subject to Auction Terms & Conditions

Collector & Market Commentary
The Toyota Celsior has developed a strong international collector and enthusiast following due to its exceptional engineering quality, reliability and luxury refinement. Clean and original examples are becoming increasingly scarce in South Africa, particularly imported units retaining factory features and trim. The renowned 1UZ FE V8 engine is highly respected globally for long-term durability and smooth performance, making this vehicle attractive to collectors, enthusiasts and buyers seeking a distinctive Japanese luxury sedan.

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Sector: **Auctions**

AUCTION

Monthly Profit:

R 0

Asset Value:
R 0

Stock Value:
R 0

Yearly Net Profit :
R 0

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Summary

Disposable Vehicles - Lexus **25 June 2026 at 11:00** **1 vehicle(s)**

Aldes Auctions invites you to a focused vehicle disposal auction taking place on **25 June 2026 at 11:00, held at 11 Chopin Street, Klarinet, Witbank,** under the expert gavel of **auctioneer Peet Brits**. This is a prime opportunity for buyers seeking a well-regarded Japanese luxury vehicle at auction, with a buyer's commission of 12% applicable on all successful bids.

Leading the sale is Lot B1, a **1994 Toyota Celsior 4-Door Sedan**, powered by a commanding **4.0L V8 engine** and presenting in good, running condition with **379 236 kilometres** on the clock. The Celsior - the Japanese domestic market equivalent of the **Lexus LS400** - is celebrated for its legendary build quality, refined ride, and the enduring reliability of its V8 powerplant. This is a rare chance to acquire a classic luxury saloon that continues to command respect among enthusiasts and collectors alike.

Do not miss your opportunity to register and bid on this exceptional lot. Prospective buyers are encouraged to arrange a vehicle viewing prior to the auction date to inspect the vehicle firsthand and bid with confidence. For further information regarding registration, viewing times, or any auction enquiries, please do not hesitate to contact the Aides Auctions team- we look forward to seeing you at **Witbank on 25 June 2026.**

VEHICLES ON OFFER:

LOT B1

VEHICLE 1994 TOYOTA Celsior 4 Door Sedan 4.0L V8

MILEAGE 379,236 km

RESERVE R 200 000

1994 TOYOTA CELSIOR 4 DOOR SEDAN 4.0L VB

VEHICLE SPECIFICATION:

Make	**TOYOTA**	Colour	**Champagne Gold Metallic**
Model	**Celsior 4 Door Sedan**	Mileage	**379,236 km**
Variant	**4.0L VB**	Condition	**Good**
Year	**1994**	Running State	**Runner**
Category	**Cars**	Service History	**Yes**
Fuel	**Petrol**	Spare Key	**Yes**
VIN No	**HCF100164532**	Tools Included	**No**
Engine No	**1UZ0375798**	Accident Damage	**No**
Registration No	**BFR912MP**	No. of Keys	**1**

PRICING:

TRADE TBC

RETAIL TBC

RESERVE

R 200 000

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Documentation available for viewing on day of auction.

FEATURES & ACCESSORIES:

"1 UZ-FE 4.0L Naturally Aspirated VS Petrol Engine●● - Toyota's benchmark luxury powerplant, known for exceptional smoothness and long-term durability

"Electronically Controlled 4-Speed Automatic Transmission" (TBC - standard fitment for this generation)

"4-Door Full-Size Luxury Sedan Body Configuration" - UCF10 Celsior

/ Lexus LS400 platform

"Multi-spoke alloy-style wheel covers" (factory original Lexus/Celsior hub cap design)

"Chrome front grille surround" with centre Lexus "L" badge

"Dual-lens rectangular headlamp clusters" with integrated front corner indicators

"Colour-coded exterior body mouldings and bumpers" "Rear "LEXUS" badging" with Lexus "L" bootlid emblem "Rear window demister" (standard on this model) "Dual exhausts" - visible at the rear lower bumper

"Power-adjustable heated side mirrors" (standard fitment) "Tinted privacy glass" - rear side windows and rear screen

"Automatic climate control air conditioning" (standard on this model) "Multi-function leather-wrapped steering wheel" (standard fitment) "Power windows - all four doors" (standard fitment)

"Central locking system" (standard fitment) "Service history documentation present" "1 x Spare Key"

"Mpumalanga registration (BFR 912 MP)" - currently licensed

CONDITION ASSESSMENT:

EXTERIOR

"Paintwork" presents well overall for a 30-year-old vehicle - the Champagne Gold Metallic finish retains a reasonable level of gloss with light surface oxidation and minor age-related fade consistent with the year of manufacture

"Body panels" appear largely straight and free of major dents or panel damage across all four doors, front wings, bonnet, and boot lid - no accident damage reported and this is consistent with what is visible in photos "Front bumper" shows minor scuffing and light surface damage to the lower chin section, most notable in the front three-quarter view - consistent with general age-related wear rather than collision damage

"Rear bumper and boot lid" present cleanly with no visible damage; rear light clusters appear intact and undamaged with good lens clarity on both sides

"Alloy-style wheel covers" appear original and in reasonable condition with some road grime and light kerbing marks visible; tyres appear to have usable tread remaining but condition should be verified on inspection

"Chrome front grille surround" retains its lustre and presents as a strong aesthetic feature of this vehicle

INTERIOR

"Dashboard and instrument cluster" visible through the windscreen appear intact and largely original - the UCF10 Celsior featured a wood-trimmed, analogue-instrumented dashboard typical of Japanese flagship luxury of this era; no visible cracking or significant deterioration noted from available photos

"Front seating" appears to be the original light-coloured (beige/ivory) leather or leather-look upholstery, consistent with the Celsior's luxury specification; general condition appears reasonable with expected age-related wear

"Rear passenger compartment" reflects the Celsior's hallmark spaciousness; rear seating visible through tinted glass appears intact and unmodified

"Door trims and window surrounds" appear to be in keeping with the overall interior condition - no visible tears or damage noted from photos

"Steering wheel and centre console" appear original and unmodified; the Celsior's wood-and-leather interior appointments are still present

"No tools present" as declared; buyers should account for this when assessing the lot

MECHANICAL

"Confirmed runner" - the vehicle starts and is operational at the time of assessment, as declared by the seller

"Odometer reads 379,236 km" - high mileage for a 1994 model, though the 1UZ-FE V8 is widely regarded as one of the most reliable and long-lived engines in automotive history, with many examples surpassing 500,000 km with proper maintenance

"Service history is present" - buyers are strongly encouraged to review the service documentation in full prior to bidding to assess maintenance intervals, recent work completed, and any noted mechanical concerns

"A full independent mechanical inspection is recommended" prior to bidding, with particular attention to transmission condition, cooling system integrity, suspension bushes, air conditioning function, and electrical system operation given the vehicle's age

"This vehicle is sold as viewed, as is, where is" - all bids are final and Aides Auctions provides no warranty, expressed or implied; all information is provided in good faith based on available data and visual assessment at the time of cataloguing.

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