

Firearms Licence Application



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PART 1 (TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS)

| | | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|--|
| Name in Full | | | |
| Address | | | |
| | | | |
| Date of Birth | | Home Telephone | |
| Cellular Number | | Work Telephone | |
| Occupation | | Position | |
| Business Name and Address | | | |
| | | | |
| Telephone | | Fax Number | |
| Email | | | |
| Business Mailing Address | | | |
| Licence being applied for | | | |

PART 2 (TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL APPLICANTS)

| | | | |
|---|---------------|-------------------------|--|
| Reason for requiring | | | |
| Type (Rifle, Shotgun, Power Tool etc.) | | | |
| Make | | Model | |
| Calibre | | Serial Number of Weapon | |
| Where will the firearm/power tool be purchased? | | | |
| Where will the firearm/power tool be kept? | Address: | | |
| | Which Room: | | |
| | House/Office: | | |

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| Who will be using the firearm/power tool? List details of all persons to include the full Name/D.O.B./Address/Telephone below | | |
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| | | |
| If registering for a Flare Gun, submit name of Boat, Mooring and Location | Boat Name & No. | |
| | Mooring No. | |
| | Mooring Location | |

***Attach additional firearm(s) and or Gun(s) information to back page labeled Notes.**

PART 3 (TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANTS FOR AN AMMUNITION LICENCE)

| | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Quantity of ammunition required | |
| Type | |
| Calibre | |
| Storage Location | |
| Quantity of ammunition required | |
| Type | |
| Calibre | |
| Quantity of ammunition required | |
| Type | |
| Calibre | |

PART 4 (TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANTS FOR A FIREARMS LICENCE)

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| Name of rifle club of which you are a member | |
| Date that you became a member of the club | |
| Are you a regular participant at club functions? i.e. How many time during the preceding twelve months have you attended the club or participated in a club firing function? | |

THIS SECTION IS TO BE CERTIFIED AS CORRECT BY AN OFFICER OF THE CLUB

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| Club Name | |
| Club Official (Print Name) | |
| Signature of Club Official | |
| Date | |

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I certify that the information given in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I have known the applicant for _____ years and to the best of my knowledge, I have no reason to believe that _____ is of intemperate habits or unsound mind, or to be for any other reason unfit to hold licence.

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|------------------|--|----------------|--|
| Name in Full | | | |
| Address | | | |
| Telephone Home | | Telephone Cell | |
| Occupation | | Position | |
| Business Name | | Telephone | |
| Business Address | | | |
| Reference | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must not be a member of the applicant's family 2. Must be a British subject 3. Must be a member of one of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> I. Parliament II. Justice of the Peace III. Minister of religion IV. Doctor V. Lawyer VI. Bank officer VII. Person of similar standing in society <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Please indicate: _____ 4. Must have known the applicant for at least two years | | |

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|------------|--|------------------------|--|
| Print Name | | Signature of Applicant | |
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NOTES:

FOR POLICE USE ONLY

Remarks concerning applicant's suitability to continue to hold Licence:

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|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Was firearm inspected? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| Inspecting Officer: (Print Name) | | | | |
| Signature: | | | | |
| Date: | | Time: | | |

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**STORAGE AND MOVEMENT OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION
REFERENCE SECTION 21 OF THE FIREARMS ACT 1973
GUIDELINES SET BY COMMISSIONER OF POLICE**

1. Every firearm must be properly secured in an approved safe, containment case, or storage area.
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2. Where both ammunition and firearms are stored on the same premises, each approved firearm safe, containment unit or storage area shall be fitted with an alarm system.
3. At no time should a firearms safe, ammunition safe or containment unit or storage area (used for the storage of firearms or ammunition) be unlocked or opened together, when both firearms and ammunition are kept on the same premises, unless demanded by a member of the Bermuda Police Service during lawful entry.
4. At no time should firearms or ammunition be transported by motorcycle, auxiliary cycle, or any other vehicle not approved by the Commissioner of Police.
5. When ammunition and firearms are being transported in the same vehicle, trigger locks will be used to secure all firearms. Ammunition will be secured in locked metal tool boxes. Shotguns will have front ends removed and stored separately from the ammunition.
6. When a member of a rifle club is travelling with ammunition to or from a storage premise; or from a range, that member will provide all particulars to the Police Operations Department, (295-0011), including names of persons; registration number of vehicle; type of firearm; quantity of ammunition, and intended route.
7. In the event of an accident or mechanical breakdown, or any other reason for a diversion from the intended route, the member must immediately inform Police Operations.

I certify that I have read, understood and agree to abide by the above procedures, I realize that failure to do so may result in the immediate revoking of my firearm/gun licence.

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| Name: (Print) | | Signature: | |
| Date: | | | |
| For COP as Witness: | | Signature: | |
| Date: | | | |

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**REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL APPLICANTS
OF FIREARM / AMMUNITION / LICENCE**

1. Storage receptacles must be in accordance with the guidelines stipulated by the Commissioner of Police.
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2. Photographs of storage safe and firearms/guns
3. Floor plan of the residence showing location of storage
4. Aerial plot of map showing the location of the applicants address
5. Two character references under section 11(2) of the Firearms Act 1973
6. Application must be fully completed online and printed
7. Printed application must be submitted by the applicant to the BPS administration Officer where the applicant will be photographed

Note: Once the application has been approved by the Commissioner, the applicant will be notified and issued an official licence. An application fee in the amount of **\$250.00 per firearm/gun** must be paid in full. (All cheques made payable to the Accountant General).