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CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF FIREARMS
Dangerous Weapons License/Permit(s) Application

LICENSE/PERMIT(S) DESIRED:

- ☐ Assault Weapon/.50 BMG Rifle Permit (Pen. Code, §§ 31000, 31005)
- ☐ Short-Barreled Shotgun/Rifle Permit (Pen. Code, §§ 33300, 33305)
- ☐ Destructive Device Permit (Pen. Code, §§ 18900, 18905)
- ☐ Machinegun Permit (Pen. Code, §§ 32650, 32655)
- ☐ Machinegun License (Pen. Code, §§ 32700 - 32715)

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Last Name | First Name | Middle Name | Date of Birth | Driver License Number

United States Citizen: ☐YES ☐NO **IF NO** Country of Citizenship | Alien Registration or I-94 Number

Social Security Number | Hair Color | Eye Color | Height | Weight | Gender

Physical Address | City | State | Zip Code | Telephone Number (Day)

Mailing Address (if different) | City | State | Zip Code | Telephone Number (Evening)

Email Address

APPLICANT EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (Last 5 years only. Use additional sheets if necessary.):

Current Employer Business Name | Current Supervisor's Name | Dates of Employment

Current Employer Business Address | City | State | Zip Code | Telephone Number

Past Employer Business Name | Past Supervisor's Name | Dates of Employment

Past Employer Business Address | City | State | Zip Code | Telephone Number

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Spouse/Domestic Partner Last Name | First Name | Middle Name | M/F | Date of Birth | Driver License Number

Physical Address *(if different than applicant)* | City | State | Zip Code | Telephone Number

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PERSONAL INFORMATION Continued:

Please answer the following questions. If you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions, please provide a full explanation on a separate sheet. Include dates, places, agencies, dispositions, etc.

1. Have you ever been arrested, cited, or charged with an offense, including traffic violations and juvenile arrests? ☐YES ☐NO
2. Are you now a party in any lawsuit or legal action? ☐YES ☐NO
3. Do you have/had any physical or mental disabilities that would affect the safe handling of dangerous weapons? ☐YES ☐NO
4. Have you ever been adjudicated by a court as being a danger to others or been committed to any mental institution? ☐YES ☐NO
5. Have you ever abused drugs or alcohol? ☐YES ☐NO
6. Have you ever been discharged from the armed forces under conditions other than honorable? ☐YES ☐NO
7. Have you ever had a business or firearms license revoked, suspended, or denied? ☐YES ☐NO
8. Have you ever been associated with a person or business having a firearms license? ☐YES ☐NO

BUSINESS INFORMATION:

Business Name _____ Telephone Number _____ Years at this Location _____

Physical Address _____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Mailing Address *(if different)* _____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Previous Physical Address _____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
(if at current location less than three years)

This business is: ☐ Individually Owned ☐ Partnership ☐ Corporation ☐ Joint Venture
☐ Other, specify _____

This applicant is: ☐ Owner ☐ Partner ☐ Stockholder ☐ Employee/Agent
☐ Consultant/Contractor ☐ Other, specify _____

REFERENCES:

1st Reference Name _____ Telephone Number _____ Email Address _____

1st Reference Address _____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

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Applicant:

REFERENCES continued:

2nd Reference Name | Telephone Number | Email Address

2nd Reference Address | City | County | State | Zip Code

3rd Reference Name | Telephone Number | Email Address

3rd Reference Address | City | County | State | Zip Code

GOOD CAUSE FOR ISSUANCE OF LICENSE/PERMIT(S):

No dangerous weapons license or permit shall be issued to any applicant who fails to establish good cause for such license or permit or if issuance of the license or permit would endanger the public safety. (Cal. Code Regs., tit.11, § 4128, subd. (b).) Applicants are required to provide clear and convincing evidence that there is a bona fide market or public necessity for the issuance of a dangerous weapons license or permit and that the applicants can satisfy that need without endangering public safety. (Cal. Code Regs., tit.11, § 4128, subd. (c).) Examples of good cause recognized by the California Department of Justice (DOJ) to establish the bona fide necessity of the issuance of a dangerous weapons license or permit are listed in DOJ's regulations. (Cal. Code Regs., tit.11, § 4128, subd. (c).) Below, please describe the clear and convincing evidence of the necessity for the issuance of a dangerous weapons license or permit to you and your ability to satisfy that necessity without endangering the public safety (use additional sheet(s) as necessary):

CERTIFICATION:

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I expressly authorize DOJ to perform firearms eligibility checks of all relevant state and federal databases including the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) National Instant Criminal Background Check Systems (NICS). I also expressly authorize DOJ to perform a background investigation into my suitability as a dangerous weapons license/permit holder. I understand that if I furnish any incorrect information or omit any information required on this application or required by the DOJ investigator, I can be denied the license/permit(s) I seek. I have read and I understand the applicable statutes and regulations pertaining to dangerous weapons license and permits and I agree to abide by them.

Signature | *Date*

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FINGERPRINT REQUIREMENTS:

You must submit your electronic fingerprints before submitting this application to the DOJ, Bureau of Firearms (BOF). You must take a completed Request for Live Scan Service form BCII 8016 to a Live Scan station. Please refer to *www.ag.ca.gov/fingerprints* for Live Scan station location information. Have the Live Scan station submit your electronic fingerprints to both the DOJ and FBI. You must pay the Live Scan operator a **$32** DOJ fingerprint processing fee, a **$17** FBI fingerprint processing fee, as well as the Live Scan operator's fee (Note: the Live Scan operator fee varies by Live Scan site, and the Bureau of Firearms does not regulate or set this price).

The Live Scan operator will provide an Applicant Tracking Identifier (ATI) number on your copy of the Request for Live Scan Service form BCII 8016. The ATI number documents your fingerprint submissions. You must enter your ATI number on the space below. Failure to do so will result in your application being returned to you unprocessed.

Applicant Tracking Identifier (ATI) number: _____

FEES:

The BOF's initial dangerous weapons license/permit fee (minus the $32 state and $19 federal fingerprint fees already paid to obtain electronic fingerprints at an approved Live Scan station), is $321 for the first license or permit, plus $22 for each additional license or permit.

While dangerous license permit inspection fees pursuant to Penal Code sections 18910, 31110, 32670, and 33320 do not apply to the initial application, please remain mindful inspection fees are charged with each renewal application at the following rates: 0 to 4 inventory, $165; 5 to 25 inventory, $750; 26 or more inventory, $1500; out-of-state permit holders with no California based location, $100.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Completed application dangerous weapons application package consists of this completed form, including your ATI number obtained from the Live Scan operator upon your submission of your fingerprint impressions; all applicable documentation of necessity as required by California Code of Regulations, title 11, section 4132 (all federal, state, and local licenses as required, as well as all relevant reference letters and other forms of documentation of necessity as applicable), and a check or money order remittance in the proper amount, payable to the Department of Justice.

- Check or Money Order remittance in the proper amount, payable to the Department of Justice.
- A copy of your California driver license or identification card. (Cal. Code Reg., tit 11, § 4045.1)
- If your California driver license or identification card has “FEDERAL LIMITS APPLY” on the front, you shall also submit proof of lawful presence in the United States, in the form of one of the following documents:
  - (1) Valid, unexpired U.S. passport or passport card.
  - (2) Certified copy of U.S. birth certificate.
  - (3) Certification of Birth Abroad (FS-545), Certification of Report of Birth (DS-1350) or Consular Report of Birth Abroad of a Citizen of the United States of America (FS-240), issued by the U.S. Department of State.
  - (4) Valid, unexpired foreign passport with valid U.S. immigrant visa and approved Record of Arrival/ Departure (I-94) form.
  - (5) Certified copy of birth certificate from a U.S. Territory.
  - (6) Certificate of Naturalization or U.S. Citizenship.
  - (7) Valid, unexpired Permanent Resident Card. (Cal. Code Reg., tit 11, § 4045.1)

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- If your name, as it appears on the "FEDERAL LIMITS APPLY" California driver license or identification card, differs from the name on the document(s) above, you shall also submit one of the following certified documents:
  (1) An adoption document that contains your legal name as a result of the adoption.
  (2) A name change document that contains your legal name both before and, as a result of, the name change.
  (3) A marriage certificate.
  (4) A dissolution of marriage document that contains your legal name as a result of the court action.
  (5) A certificate, declaration or registration document verifying the formation of a domestic partnership.
  (6) A dissolution of domestic partnership document that contains your legal name as a result of the court action.
  (Cal. Code Reg., tit 11, § 4045.1)

Submit your completed application package to:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF FIREARMS - DW
P.O. Box 160367
Sacramento, CA 95816-0367

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Privacy Notice

As Required by Civil Code, § 1798.17

Collection and Use of Personal Information. The Division of Law Enforcement in the Department of Justice collects the information requested on this application as authorized by California Code of Regulations, title 11, section 4142. The Division of Law Enforcement uses this information to establish grounds for the issuance of the license or permit indicated on this application. In addition, any personal information collected by state agencies is subject to the limitations in the Information Practices Act and state policy. The Department of Justice's general privacy policy is available at **https://oag.ca.gov/privacy-policy**.

Providing Personal Information. All the personal information requested in the application must be provided. If you fail to provide any of the required personal information, the unprocessed application will be returned to you for completion and resubmission.

Access to Your Information. You may review the records maintained by the Division of Law Enforcement in the Department of Justice that contain your personal information, as permitted by the Information Practices Act. See below for contact information.

Possible Disclosure of Personal Information. In order to ensure you are not prohibited from owning a firearm and establish grounds for the issuance of the license or permit indicated on this application, we may need to share the information you provide us with entities as authorized in Penal Code section 11105. The information you provide may also be disclosed in the following circumstances:

- With other persons or agencies when necessary to perform their legal duties, and their use of your information is compatible and complies with state law, such as for investigations or for licensing, certification, or regulatory purposes;
- To another government agency as required by state or federal law.

Contact Information. For questions about this notice or access to your records, you may contact the Staff Services Analyst in the Customer Support Center at (916) 210-2300, via email at firearms.bureau@doj.ca.gov, or by mail at P.O. Box 820200, Sacramento, CA 94203-0200.