

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BUREAU OF FIREARMS



APPLICATION FOR LARGE CAPACITY MAGAZINE PERMIT

Instructions:

Any firearms dealership licensed pursuant to Penal Code section 12071 may apply for a DOJ Large Capacity Magazine Permit to engage in the lawful importation and exportation of large capacity magazines and the activities associated thereto as specified in Penal Code section 12020.

Please complete this application by typewriter or printing in ink.

All COE holder licensees of the dealership must sign the form before a permit will be issued to the dealership. Use the reverse side of this form for additional signatures as necessary.

To apply for a DOJ Large Capacity Magazine Permit, complete this application and mail to the Department of Justice, Firearms Licensing and Permits Unit – CL, P.O. Box 981118, West Sacramento, CA 95798-1118. You are encouraged to return this application in the same envelope with your Centralized List of Firearms Dealers renewal application.

California Firearms Dealership (CFD) Number

Dealership Name

Dealership Mailing Address

City

Zip Code

I (we) certify good cause exists for issuance of this permit because a bona fide marketplace for large capacity magazines exists for my (our) dealership and I (we) request a DOJ Large Capacity Magazine Permit. I (we) agree to abide by the statutes and regulations governing the importation, exportation, keeping for sale, exposing or offering for sale, and sale of large capacity magazines. I (we) understand the DOJ Large Capacity Magazine Permit must be renewed annually at the close of each calendar year term.

Dealership Licensee Signature

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NOTICE

December 1, 2000

Effective January 1, 2000, the manufacture, importation, sale, or transfer of any large capacity firearms magazine, except to specifically designated parties and under specified conditions (including law enforcement use, loans for service/repair, et al.), will be prohibited by law. A large capacity magazine is defined as any ammunition feeding device with the capacity to accept more than ten rounds but shall not include any .22 caliber tube ammunition feeding device, or a magazine that has been permanently altered so that it cannot accommodate more than 10 rounds.

A permit is not required for the lawful sale of large capacity magazines within the state to persons authorized under PC §12020 (b), such as law enforcement agencies, peace officers, other licensed firearms dealers, armored car companies, museums, and theatrical companies. Record keeping requirements will include the maintenance of records of sales for all transactions, including a copy of the picture identification of the peace officer or licensed firearms dealer, a copy of the official invoice of the law enforcement agency, or an authorization letter on the letterhead of the company to which the sale is being made. The records must be maintained at the dealership location for three years and upon request, be made available to law enforcement.

A permit is required for the import or export of large capacity magazines. Large Capacity Magazine Permits will be issued, by request, to Licensed Firearms Dealers on the Department of Justice (DOJ) Centralized Dealers List, whose businesses have a bona fide marketplace for the import or export of large capacity magazines. (PC § 12079) You must have a permit issued by the DOJ to engage in the import or export of large capacity magazines. Large Capacity Magazine permittees will be required to maintain acquisition and disposition records for all large capacity magazines they purchase, import or export. The records must be maintained at the dealership location for three years and upon request, be made available to law enforcement.

An application form is provided on the reverse side of this page for your convenience. Whenever dealerships have multiple licensees, all licensees must sign the application form. There is no additional fee for the permit. However, maintenance of active status on the Department's Centralized List of Firearms Dealers is required. The permit will be valid for the calendar year term, provided the permittee abides by the conditions and limitations of the permit, and may be renewed annually with the Centralized List of Firearms Dealers renewal application.

If you have any questions, please call the Firearms Program at (916) 263-8100.