# Application for a Visitor's Firearm/Shot Gun Permit

*I am applying for (tick box which applies):*

☐ **a Visitor's Firearm Permit**

☐ **a Visitor's Shot Gun Permit**

**Please read the all notes on this form carefully before completing this application.**

**Write in BLOCK CAPITALS throughout except when signing.**

- This form should be used to apply for a Visitor's Firearm/Shot Gun Permit. It should be completed by a person resident in Great Britain on behalf of a visitor who wishes to possess firearms to which section 1 of the Firearms Act 1968 applies, or possess, purchase or acquire any ammunition to which that section applies whilst in Great Britain or to possess a shot gun to which section 2 of the Act applies.
- The person making the application is referred to in this form as the Sponsor. The completed form should be sent to the Sponsor's local chief officer of police.
- Firearms to which section 1 applies include any smooth bore gun which has a barrel with a length of less than 60.96 cm (24 inches) or a bore greater than 50.8 cm (two inches) in diameter, or which has a non-detachable magazine capable of holding more than two cartridges, or a detachable magazine.
- **It is an offence for any person knowingly or recklessly to make a false statement for the purpose of procuring the grant of a permit.**

## Part A Sponsor's details To be completed by sponsor

**1** Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, Dr etc)

**2** Surname

**3** Forename(s)

**4** If you have at any time used a name other than those quoted at **2** and **3** above, please give details – if not write NONE
Other surname
*(if a married woman, give surname before marriage)*

**5** Date of birth (DD/MM/YY)

**6** Address

Post Code

Home telephone number

**7** If you hold a firearm or shot gun certificate or firearms dealer's certificate of registration, give details

**8** If you are submitting this application as a representative of a shooting organisation, give details

Name of organisation

Position held

**9** What arrangements have been made for the safekeeping of the visitor's firearms and ammunition whilst in Great Britain?

## Part B Individual visitor's details To be completed by either the sponsor or the visitor

**10** Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, Dr etc)

**11** Surname

**12** Forename(s)

**13** Date of birth (DD/MM/YY)

**14** Nationality

**15** Permanent address

**16** Address of visitor whilst in Great Britain

Post code

**17** If the visitor has been convicted of any offence (including by courts outside Great Britain), give details

**18** Give details of firearms/shot guns to be possessed by the visitor whilst in Great Britain:

| Calibre, bore or gauge | Maker's name | Type and action | Identification number |
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**19** Give details of the maximum quantity of ammunition to be possessed, purchased and/or acquired by the visitor

| Calibre | Quantity: To be possessed | Quantity: To be purchased or acquired |
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**20** Does the visitor intend to purchase or acquire a shot gun whilst in Great Britain?

**no** ☐ **yes** ☐ If **yes,** please give details

| Description | Gauge or calibre |
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**21** Give reason(s) for the visitor requiring each of the firearms/ shot guns and the ammunition specified in **18, 19** and **20**

**22** Does the visitor intend to participate in an established shooting event/competition?

**no** ☐ **yes** ☐ If **yes,** please give details

If **no** please give details of where the visitor intends to use the firearms/shot guns and ammunition

**23** Expected date of arrival in Great Britain (DD/MM/YY)

**24** Period for which permit needs to be valid

from (DD/MM/YY) to (DD/MM/YY)

## Part C Group visitors' details (this section may be completed either by the sponsor or by individual group members)

**Note:** An application may be made on behalf of a group of up to 20 visitors who will be using firearms/shot guns for sporting purposes on the same private premises during the same period, or who will be participating in the same competition or event or series of competitions or events.

**Please print in BLOCK CAPITALS or type**

**25 Personal Details**

| a Name<br>b Date of birth (DD/MM/YY)<br>c Nationality | Permanent address | Address of visitor whilst in Great Britain |
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**26 Firearms/shot guns**

| Calibre or bore | Maker's name type and action | Identification number |
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**27 Ammunition**

| Calibre | Quantity to be possessed | Quantity to be purchased or acquired |
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| 25 Personal Details<br>a Name<br>b Date of birth (DD/MM/YY)<br>c Nationality | Permanent address | Address of visitor whilst in Great Britain | 26 Firearms/shot guns<br>Calibre or bore | Maker's name type and action | Identification number | 27 Ammunition<br>Calibre | Quantity to be possessed | Quantity to be purchased or acquired |
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**28** If any member of the group has been convicted of an offence (including by courts outside Great Britain), give details

**29** Give reason(s) for the members of the group requiring the firearms/shot guns and ammunition specified in **25** and **26**

**30** Do any members of the group intend to participate in an established shooting event/competition?

**no** ☐ **yes** ☐ If **yes,** please give details

If **no**, please give details of where the members of the group intend to use the firearms/shot guns and ammunition.

**31** Period for which permits need to be valid

from (DD/MM/YY) to (DD/MM/YY)

## Part D Application and declaration by sponsor

**To be completed by the sponsor**

**Delete as applicable*

**I hereby apply to the chief officer of police on behalf of**

* the person named in Part B above

or

* the persons in the group specified in **Part C** above

for *a Visitor(s) Firearm Permit/*Visitor(s) Shot Gun Permit.

**I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above information is true.**

**Usual signature**

**Date** (DD/MM/YY)

**This form must be accompanied by the appropriate fee**

**Notes**

***Before submitting this application please ensure that:***

**(i)** All relevant sections have been completed

**(ii)** You have signed the application

**(iii)** You have enclosed the correct fee.

**For official use only**

Fee paid £ Signature

Receipt number Rank/Number

Date Station

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