

APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION

Antique Firearms



This form allows a person to apply under Section 155(4) of the *Firearms Act 1996* (the Act), for an exemption from the Commissioner to possess a firearm that was previously possessed under the authority of Exemption No.4, which has been cancelled.

Guide to completing this application

- Only one applicant can be included in this application.
- Multiple firearms can be included in this application.
- Please note that if an exemption is granted, it will be conditional that:
 - › any firearm/s must not be used or discharged;
 - › the holder must not possess any ammunition for the firearm/s;
 - › specified storage conditions will be required; and
 - › the exemption will be issued with an expiry date that allows for the review of individual circumstances.
- All applications will be assessed on their merits and the applicant's individual circumstances will be taken into account.
- Before an application is progressed, an assessment will be made as to whether the applicant is a fit and proper person, as defined under Section 29 of the Act, in the same manner as for a firearms licence application.
- You may be required to provide further information in support of the application and failure to do so will prevent the application from being further assessed or processed.
- If an application is refused by the Commissioner of Police, the applicant will be required to surrender any firearm/s to a licensed firearms dealer for storage or sale, or to Tasmania Police for destruction.
- Any exemption that is issued will have specified conditions required by the Commissioner of Police, which must be adhered to.
- Storage of firearms related to this exemption will be required to adhere to the relevant requirements under the *Firearms Act 1996*, and the *Firearms Regulations 2016* and will be dependent upon the type and total number of firearms possessed by the applicant.
- The Commissioner may cancel an exemption at any time for any reason.
- **Submit your completed form:**
 - › email antique.firearms.transition@police.tas.gov.au; or
 - › post to Antique Firearms Transition Project, GPO Box 308, Hobart TAS 7001.

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Application details

Date of application:

Do you have a current Tasmanian firearms licence?

- Yes Number: (you must attach a copy to this application)
 No

Do you have a current Tasmanian drivers licence?

- Yes Number: (you must attach a copy to this application)
 No

If you do not have a Tasmanian firearms or drivers licence, please provide a copy of your passport. I have attached a copy of my passport:

- Yes
 No (if you do not have a passport, contact the project team for proof of identity advice)
 Not applicable

Personal details and identification

Title: Ms Mrs Mr Dr Other:

Surname:

Given name/s:

Date of birth:

Gender: Man Woman Non-binary Prefer not to say
 Other – if you would like to provide details, type here:

Residential address:

Postal address (if different):

Will the firearm be stored at your residential address?

- Yes
 No Provide address:

Mobile number: Home number:

Would you like to receive SMS notifications to your mobile? Yes No

Email address:

Preferred contact method: Phone call SMS Email

Have you ever applied for and/or been issued a firearms licence or permit in another state or territory of Australia?

- Yes State / territory: Licence / permit No:
 No

History

The following questions relate to your history anywhere in the world.

Have you ever:

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| Been charged with an offence or crime? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Been found guilty or plead guilty to any offence or crime? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or probation? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Had a Restraint Order, Police Family Violence Order or Family Violence Order made against you? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Been protected from a person via a Restraint Order, Family Violence Order or Family Violence Order? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Been subject to a Firearms Prohibition Order (banned from owning a firearm)? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Been a party involved in a Child Protection Order or National Personal Protection Injunction (or similar) in any state or territory of Australia, or an equivalent order in another country? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

If you have answered yes to any of the above questions you must provide all relevant information below.

Incident 1

Court date: Court name:

City: Country:

Reference number (if known):

Outcome
(state whether you were convicted or acquitted and details of any fines):

Start date (of any Order / probation / imprisonment):

End date (of any Order / probation / imprisonment):

Incident 2

Court date: Court name:

City: Country:

Reference number (if known):

Outcome
(state whether you were convicted or acquitted and details of any fines):

Start date (of any Order / probation / imprisonment):

End date (of any Order / probation / imprisonment):

If you require more space, contact the project team for advice.
Email antique.firearms.transition@police.tas.gov.au or call 6173 2225.

History (continued)

Have you ever experienced, been diagnosed with or required treatment for any of the following (tick any applicable box):

- Mental health condition Yes No
- A neurological condition
(including but not limited to Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), Autism Spectrum Disorder, brain injury, dementia, epilepsy, fainting, insomnia, learning disability, migraine, Motor Neuron Disease, Multiple Sclerosis, narcolepsy, Parkinson's Disease, seizures, stroke, Tourette Syndrome) Yes No
- An intellectual disability Yes No
- A physical disability Yes No
- A sensory disability (including but not limited to sight or hearing impairment) Yes No
- Alcohol or drug related problems Yes No
- Any other physical or mental condition that may impede your control over a firearm Yes No

Have you ever:

- Attempted suicide or self-harm Yes No
- Attended an appointment with a psychologist or psychiatrist Yes No
- Ever been subject to a mental health plan Yes No

If you answered yes to any of the above questions you must include all information in relation to the matter with your application.

Information will generally be required from a medical practitioner, such as a specialist in the relevant area or your General Practitioner.

You may be required to nominate the name of your treating medical practitioner in order to facilitate a report to be obtained from them in respect to your application, as per Section 148 of the Act.

Firearm details

I am seeking an exemption to continue to possess the following antique firearms:

Please provide details for each antique firearm.

Firearm 1

Make: Model:
Serial no: Action type:
Calibre: Magazine capacity:
Length overall: Year of manufacture:
Country of manufacture:

Firearm 2

Make: Model:
Serial no: Action type:
Calibre: Magazine capacity:
Length overall: Year of manufacture:
Country of manufacture:

Firearm 3

Make: Model:
Serial no: Action type:
Calibre: Magazine capacity:
Length overall: Year of manufacture:
Country of manufacture:

Firearm 4

Make: Model:
Serial no: Action type:
Calibre: Magazine capacity:
Length overall: Year of manufacture:
Country of manufacture:

Firearm 5

Make: Model:
Serial no: Action type:
Calibre: Magazine capacity:
Length overall: Year of manufacture:
Country of manufacture:

If you require further entries, email antique.firearms.transition@police.tas.gov.au or call 6173 2225.

Please attach photographs of your firearms from both sides, close-up detail of the trigger mechanism, serial numbers and any identifying marks.

Applicant's declaration

I _____ (full name) hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all of the information given in this form is correct in every particular. I acknowledge that prior to the making of this application I have read the information regarding the requirements in relation to the storage and safety of firearms.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

WARNING: Section 126 of the *Firearms Act 1996* states that:

A person, in making an application or providing information, must not –

- (a) make a statement knowing it to be false or misleading; or
- (b) omit any matter knowing that without that matter the application or information is false or misleading.

Penalty: Fine not exceeding 100 penalty units or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 years, or both.

Your personal information will be used for the primary purpose for which it is collected and will only be disclosed to members of the Department of Police, Fire and Emergency Management. Your basic personal information may be disclosed to other public sector bodies where necessary for law enforcement purposes. Personal information will be managed in accordance with the *Personal Information Protection Act 2004* and may be accessed by the individual to whom it relates on request to the Department of Police, Fire and Emergency Management.

More information

Contact the Antique Firearms Transition Project via the following options:

Phone: 03 6173 2225

Email: antique.firearms.transition@police.tas.gov.au

Post: GPO Box 308, Hobart TAS, 7001.

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Project Manager AFTP approved refused

Conditions:

Are FAS staff or police required to assess any part of this application by further attendance or assessment prior to approval or during event? Yes No

Inspection of storage – ATLAS report number: _____

Inspection of firearm (if required) – ATLAS report number: _____

Follow up required after a period of time if an ongoing exemption? No 3 months 6m 12m

Briefing Note CM10 record number: _____ Exemption CM10 record number: _____

Allocated to _____ for completion of Briefing Note and Exemption.