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NSW POLICE FORCE - FIREARMS REGISTRY

Pistol Permit Legitimate Reason Form

Medical Disability Only

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION PRIOR TO COMPLETING THIS FORM

This is an **interactive** form and applies to a person, who has a medical disability which prevents them from using longarms, making application to possess and use a pistol for the purposes of hunting (including the control or suppression of vermin or pest animals), fishing, farming or grazing activities.

Please complete all sections, print this form and submit with the P634 'Application for a Firearms Permit' form and any supporting documentation to the **Firearms Registry, Locked Bag 1, Murwillumbah NSW 2484**.

NOMINATED PERMIT HOLDER

Nominated Permit Holder Name

Attach documentation of Proof of Identity (*if no other NSW firearms licence or permit is held or has been held*). See FACT Sheet 'Proof of Identity' for documents which are acceptable to prove 100 point ID.

1. EVIDENCE OF LEGITIMATE REASON AND SPECIAL NEED FOR THIS PERMIT

The Commissioner must not issue a permit unless satisfied that the applicant has a legitimate reason for the permit and a special need for a pistol in these circumstances.

Provide documentary evidence below on the hunting (including the control or suppression of vermin or pest animals), fishing, farming or grazing activities you perform and your need to possess and use a pistol for those activities.

2. DETAILS OF THE PROPERTY/PROPERTIES WHERE PISTOL WILL BE USED

Provide the details of the property/properties or location/s where the pistol will be used.

3. FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING

If you have never held a firearms licence or permit in NSW for pistols, or you do not currently hold an equivalent issued firearms licence or permit interstate, you are required to complete an approved firearm safety training course for pistols.

Attach a certificate of successful completion of an approved firearm safety training course for pistols (*if applicable*).

4. EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT APPLICATION FOR A PISTOL FROM A MEDICAL PRACTITIONER

You must provide a letter from a medical practitioner that supports your need to use a pistol instead of longarms.

The letter must be on letterhead and include details of your injury or disability and the impact that this has on your ability to use longarms.

Attach documentation from a medical practitioner to supports your need to use a pistol instead of a longarms.

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5. PISTOL SAFE KEEPING FACILITIES AND REQUIREMENTS

Provide information below on the arrangements for safe keeping and storage of a pistol at the firearm safe keeping address nominated in your firearms permit application form. Safe storage must comply with the requirement prescribed by section 41 of the *Firearms Act 1996*.

The safe storage facilities nominated in my 'Application for a Personal Firearms Permit' P634 form comply with the requirements applicable to pistols as prescribed by section 41 of the *Firearms Act 1996*.

FURTHER INFORMATION

It is a serious offence under the *Firearms Act 1996* to make a statement or provide information in relation to an application that is false or misleading. By signing the Declaration on your firearms permit application form, you are certifying that ALL the information supplied in relation to this application is true and correct.

DO NOT SEND PAYMENT WITH THIS APPLICATION. If approved you will be sent a photographic advice to attend the RTA to have your permit card issued and pay at that time.

CHECKLIST - Make sure you have supplied ALL of the following required information:

All applicants are required to provide:

- A completed P634** 'Application for a Firearms Permit' form
- Proof of Identity** (if no other NSW firearms licence or permit is held or has been held).
- A Legitimate Reason** form with the relevant sections completed:
 - Evidence of hunting, grazing, farming or fishing activities, including special need to use a pistol for these activities
 - Details of the location of the property or properties where the pistol will be used.
 - Firearm safety training certificate for pistols, *if applicable*
 - Evidence from a medical practitioner that supports your special need to use a pistol instead of longarms
 - Pistol safe keeping facilities and requirements
 - Acknowledgement of compliance with safe storage requirements prescribed by section 41 of the *Firearms Act 1996*

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