



Genuine Reason Form - Sport/Target Shooting

Please use **BLACK PEN** and **CAPITAL LETTERS** to complete this form. Failure to make necessary amendments to pre-printed information **AND** complete all sections of this form may result in delay or refusal of your application.

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION PRIOR TO FILLING OUT THIS FORM

This form **must** accompany a Licence Application form. This genuine reason form applies to a person who wishes to participate in target shooting competitions and activities. The applicant must be a current member of a shooting club approved by the Commissioner.

Please note the issuance of a Firearms Licence authorises the licensee to possess and use only the firearms permitted by the particular category of licence held eg. a Category B licence does not entitle the holder to possess or use a Category A firearm.

Possession and ownership of a firearm requires the holding of an appropriate firearms licence **and** registration of the firearm.

The Genuine Reason of Sport/Target Shooting allows for the application of a Category A, B, C and /or H firearms licence only.

Category A, B or H only

Certification of current membership of an approved Target Shooting Club by a Club Official must be provided **OR** attach official club documentation which identifies your membership details.

Category C (Special) Clay Target only

If applying for a Cat C (Special) Clay Target Sport/Target Shooting firearms licence you must supply certification by a Club Official, of current membership of a Clay Target shooting club affiliated with the Australian Clay Target Association **AND** a certificate from a Medical Practitioner advising of the physical reasons that necessitate the use of a Category C firearm in Clay Target shooting competitions.

I hereby submit details of the genuine reason of Sport/Target Shooting, which relate to my application for a firearms licence.

APPLICANT DETAILS

Please use **BLACK PEN** and **CAPITAL LETTERS**

APPLICANT

Last Name

Given Name

Date of Birth

LICENCE TYPES APPLIED FOR (Please mark appropriate box/es)

Category A

Air rifles, rimfire rifles (not self-loading), shotguns (not pump action or self-loading) and shotgun/rimfire combinations.

Category B

Muzzle loading firearms (not pistols), centre-fire rifles (not self-loading) and shotgun/centrefire combinations.

Category C (Special)
(Clay Target Shooting Only)

Self-loading or pump action shotguns (maximum magazine capacity of 5 rounds and limited to 2 rounds loaded at any one time) and not covered by firearms described in items 6, 10, 11 of Schedule 1 of the *Firearms Act 1996*. The special category C certification on the back of this form must be completed by a Club Official and a Medical Certificate must be supplied.

Category H

Pistols (including blank fire pistols, black powder & air pistols) excluding prohibited pistols.
Prohibited pistols include a pistol with a calibre of more than .38 inch (high calibre), a self-loading pistol with a barrel length of less than 120mm or a revolver or a single shot pistol with a barrel length of less than 100mm (specialised target pistol).

CERTIFICATION - PRINCIPAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP (Please mark appropriate boxes with an 'X')

If you are a member of one or more clubs in the following disciplines, enter the details of your **PRINCIPAL CLUB** only. Unless otherwise notified the Firearms Registry will deem the clubs noted below as your PRINCIPAL CLUB.

This section MUST be endorsed by your Principal Club Official. Please mark with an 'X' EACH APPLICABLE CATEGORY OR attach official club documentation which identifies your membership details.

CATEGORY A/B - PRINCIPAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP - CLUB OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION

I confirm that the applicant is a current member of the approved target shooting club identified below:

Club Name	<input type="text"/>		
Sporting Club Approval No	<input type="text"/>	Applicant's Club Membership No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Name	<input type="text"/>	Club Phone No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>

CATEGORY H - PRINCIPAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP - CLUB OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION

I confirm that the applicant is a current member of the approved pistol club identified below:

Club Name	<input type="text"/>		
Pistol Club Approval No	<input type="text"/>	Applicant's Club Membership No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Name	<input type="text"/>	Club Phone No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>

CATEGORY C - PRINCIPAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP - CLUB OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION

I hereby confirm that the target shooting club named hereunder is affiliated with the Australian Clay Target Association or other approved body. I also confirm that this applicant, whose details and signature appear below, has a physical reason which necessitates the use of a firearm covered by a Special Category C licence in order for the applicant to participate in clay target shooting competitions.

I confirm that the applicant is a current member of the approved clay target club identified below:

Club Name	<input type="text"/>		
Clay Target Club Approval No	<input type="text"/>	Applicant's Club Membership No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Name	<input type="text"/>	Club Phone No	<input type="text"/>
Club Official's Signature	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>

I have attached a certificate from a Medical Practitioner detailing the physical reason that necessitates the use of this type of firearm in order to participate in clay target shooting competitions.

APPLICANT'S DECLARATION

I understand that it is a serious offence under the *Firearms Act 1996* to make a statement or provide information that I know is false or misleading.

Applicant's Signature:	<input type="text"/>	Date:	<input type="text"/>
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