

<b>BUSINESS LICENCE CATEGORIES AND GENUINE REASON TABLE</b>  <i>December 2018</i>  <i>The applicable genuine reasons are listed below and also provide the available applicant types:</i>	<b>Category A Licence</b> * Air rifles * Rimfire rifle (other than self-loading) * Shotgun/rimfire combinations * Shotgun (other than pump action, lever action or self-loading)	<b>Category B Licence</b> * Muzzle loading firearms (other than pistols) * Centre-fire rifles (other than self-loading) * Shotgun/centre-fire combinations * Lever action shotguns with a magazine capacity of no more than 5 rounds	<b>Category C Licence</b> Prohibited except for limited purposes * Self-loading rimfire rifles with a magazine capacity of no more than 10 rounds * Self-loading shotguns with a magazine capacity of no more than 5 rounds * Pump action shotguns with a magazine capacity of no more than 5 rounds	<b>Category D Licence</b> Prohibited except for official purposes * Self-loading centre-fire rifles * Self-loading rimfire rifles with a magazine capacity of more than 10 rounds * Self-loading shotguns with a magazine capacity of more than 5 rounds * Pump action shotguns with a magazine capacity of more than 5 rounds * Lever action shotguns with a magazine capacity of more than 5 rounds * Any firearm to which a category C licence applies	<b>Category H Licence</b> * Pistols including blank fire pistols and air pistols
<b>Sport/Target Shooting</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✘ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✔ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Sport/Target Club Certification for Category A	<b>YES</b> Sport/Target Club Certification for Category B	<b>YES</b> Clay Target Club Certification for Category C	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>YES</b> Sport/Target Club Certification for Category H
<b>Recreational Hunting/Vermin Control</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✘ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✔ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Hunting Club Certification for Category A	<b>YES</b> Hunting Club Certification for Category B	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Primary Production</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Occupation of Primary Production OR Owner, Lessee or Manager of land used for primary production	<b>YES</b> Occupation of Primary Production OR Owner, Lessee or Manager of land used for primary production  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>YES</b> Occupation of Primary Production OR Owner, Lessee or Manager of land used for primary production  <b>Special need category C</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Vertebrate Pest Animal Control - Contract Shooter</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Professional contract shooter engaged or employed to control vertebrate pest animals on rural land	<b>YES</b> Professional contract shooter engaged or employed to control vertebrate pest animals on rural land  <b>Special need category B</b>	<i>The firearm type authorised by a category C licence is covered by a category D licence</i>	<b>YES*</b> Professional contract shooter engaged or employed to control vertebrate pest animals on rural land  <b>Special need category D</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Vertebrate Pest Animal Control - Government Agency</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✘ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✔	<b>YES</b> An authorised officer or employee representing a prescribed Government Agency	<b>YES</b> An authorised officer or employee representing a prescribed Government Agency  <b>Special need category B</b>	<i>The firearm type authorised by a category C licence is covered by a category D licence</i>	<b>YES*</b> An authorised officer or employee representing a prescribed Government Agency  <b>Special need category D</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Business or Employment - Security Industry</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✔ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Security Master Licence holder or employed by Master Licence holder to conduct firearms instruction and training of security guards	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>YES</b> Security Master Licence holder or employed by Master Licence holder to conduct firearms instruction and training of security guards
<b>Business or Employment - Commercial Fishing</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✔ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Owner/operator of a commercial fishing business	<b>YES</b> Owner/operator of a commercial fishing business  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Business or Employment - Other</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✔ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✔	<b>YES</b> Owner/operator of a business requiring the use of firearms, eg. eradication of pests on non-rural land	<b>YES</b> Owner/operator of a business requiring the use of firearms, eg. eradication of pests on non-rural land  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>YES</b> Owner/operator of a business requiring the use of firearms, eg. eradication of pests on non-rural land  <b>Special need category H</b>
<b>Animal Welfare - RSPCA or AWL</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Employee of RSPCA or Animal Welfare League required to use firearms to destroy animals	<b>YES</b> Employee of RSPCA or Animal Welfare League required to use firearms to destroy animals  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Animal Welfare - Veterinary Practitioner</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Ownership of a veterinary practice or employment in a veterinary practice	<b>YES</b> Ownership of a veterinary practice or employment in a veterinary practice  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>
<b>Animal Welfare - Owner, Transporter, Drover or Other Handler of Animals</b> * Business (excluding a Corporation) ✔ * Business (Corporation) ✘ * Club ✘ * Government Agency ✘	<b>YES</b> Occupation as transporter, drover, owner or other handler of animals required to use firearms to humanely destroy animals	<b>YES</b> Occupation as transporter, drover, owner or other handler of animals required to use firearms to humanely destroy animals  <b>Special need category B</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>	<b>NOT AVAILABLE</b>

**Note: Firearm dealer licences, approvals and permits are not available in this table. Please refer to the Firearms Registry website for specific application requirements for these licence, approval and permit types for business applicants.**