

PROBATE COURT OF CLAYTON COUNTY

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL  
FIREARMS LICENSE APPLICANTS  
CONCERNING CERTAIN FEDERAL LAWS

FEDERAL PROHIBITION FORM

SAMPLE FORM

A list of **Prohibited Persons** containing a brief description of the prohibited categories under federal law has been displayed to you, and you have been asked to read it in its entirety. If you are a person prohibited under federal law from receiving a firearms license, a license may **not** be issued to you. If information establishing a prohibition is obtained by the Court after the application is submitted, there will be **no refund** of the fees collected. If you believe that you might fall within a prohibited category, it is suggested that you not make application until you determine whether the prohibition applies to you or your situation. If you have any questions about your legal rights or whether the list and descriptions apply to you, it is suggested that you consult with an **attorney**. The Probate Court staff may not advise you on your legal rights, nor may they determine for you whether a particular prohibition applies to you or your circumstances.

The application process will involve a criminal records check, including a NICS check. If a report is received back by the Court from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and/or The Georgia Bureau of Investigation listed you as a **Prohibited Person**, this Court will **not** issue a license. It will be **your responsibility** to seek the removal of the prohibition from your record. Even if you believe that the prohibition does not apply to you or that the circumstances resulting in the prohibition fail to meet the requirements of federal law, this Court cannot accept your position and must not issue a license until the prohibition is removed and a subsequent report, without the prohibition, is obtained.

Therefore, as a condition to the processing of your application, you must complete and sign under oath the following , in addition to the usual Georgia Application for Firearm License:

Initial

1.     \_\_\_     I have read the paragraphs above and the 3-page list and descriptions of “Prohibited Persons” in its entirety prior to submitting my Application for Firearm License to the Probate Court of Clayton County.
  
2.     \_\_\_     I am not presently under indictment in any court for an offense punishable by imprisonment for a term in excess of one year, nor am I the subject of an offense punishable by imprisonment for a term in excess of one year which has been referred to a general court-martial, nor am I a fugitive from justice.
  
3.     \_\_\_     I am not addicted to, nor have I lost the power of self-control over, any controlled substance. I have never been treated involuntarily in a mental institution for addiction to or abuse of a controlled substance.
  
4.     \_\_\_     I have **never** been adjudicated by any court, board, commission or other lawful authority to be, as a result of marked subnormal intelligence, mental illness, incompetency, condition or disease, a danger to myself or others or to lack the mental capacity to contract or manage my own affairs.

- 5.     \_\_\_ I have **never** been involuntarily committed for treatment to a mental institution by any court, board, commission, or other lawful authority.
  
- 6.     \_\_\_ I am a citizen of the United States of America.  
  
**OR** \_\_\_ I am a citizen of \_\_\_\_\_ [country], admitted into the United States as a nonimmigrant resident alien. I have been a resident of the State of Georgia for not less than 90 days [proof attached]. I am eligible to receive a license because I ( ) am in possession of a valid hunting license or permit lawfully issued in the United States, ( ) am an official representative of a foreign government who is accredited to the US government or his government's mission to an international organization having its headquarters in the US, or ( ) have received a waiver from the prohibition from the Attorney General of the US.
  
- 7.     \_\_\_ I have never been dishonorably discharged from the U. S. Armed Forces, nor have I ever been separated from the U. S. Armed Forces under a dismissal adjudicated by a general court-martial.
  
- 8.     \_\_\_ I have never renounced my U. S. citizenship before a diplomatic or consular officer of the United States in a foreign state nor before an officer designated by the Attorney General when the United States is in a state of war, except such renunciation as has been reversed as a result of administrative or judicial appeal.
  
- 9.     \_\_\_ I am not presently subject to a court order issued in any court which restrains me from harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner or the child of an intimate partner, or from engaging in other conduct which would place an intimate partner in reasonable fear of bodily injury which expressly prohibits the use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force against such intimate partner or child that would reasonably be expected to cause bodily injury.
  
- 10.    \_\_\_ I have never been convicted in any court of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence.
  
- 11.    \_\_\_ I understand that if the criminal records report received by the Probate Court of Clayton County shows me to be a **Prohibited Person**, the license for which I have applied will **not** be issued until the prohibition is removed and does not appear on a subsequent report. I acknowledge that it will be **my** responsibility to seek the removal of any prohibition which may appear.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on

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Clerk, Probate Court

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Applicant

Applicant No. \_\_\_\_\_