

CRITERIA AND DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR LICENCE TO DEAL IN / MANUFACTURE EXPLOSIVES

Important Notice

Definition of "explosive":

(a) means gunpowder, nitro-glycerine, dynamite, gun-cotton, blasting powder, fulminate of mercury or of other metals, coloured fires and every other substance, whether similar to those abovementioned or not, used or manufactured with a view to producing a practical effect by explosion or a pyrotechnic effect;

(b) includes fog signals, fireworks, fuses, rockets, percussion-caps, detonators, cartridges and ammunition of all descriptions, and every adaptation or preparation of an explosive as above defined; and

(c) includes sand crackers, and any substance declared to be deemed an explosive by notification under section 10 (1) (a).

Criteria for Grant of Licence

To be eligible for a licence to deal in or manufacture Explosives, you must meet the following criteria:

For applicant	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be A Singaporean or Permanent Resident of Singapore• Be At least 21 years old at the time of application• One of the following business stakeholders as registered with the Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Director - For Companies• A Partner - For Partnerships, Limited Partnerships and Limited Liability Partnerships• The Sole Proprietor - For Sole Proprietorships
For those directly involved in the handling of Explosives (licence applicant, directors/ partners and staff)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be a fit and proper person. The criteria and requirements for a person to be considered fit and proper to hold a licence are (but not limited to) whether the relevant person has honesty, integrity, a good reputation, competence and capability. For more details, you may refer to the main menu on Criteria for Grant of Licence.• Possess relevant experience and knowledge in handling of Explosives.

For company	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Registered with the Registry of Companies and Businesses.• Proper and secured facilities for the manufacturing of explosives (For Licence to Manufacture Explosives)• Explosives must be stored in an approved magazine.
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Documents Required

You are required to obtain the following documents before applying the licence.

- A catalogue or brochure and Safety Data Sheet showing the type of explosives to deal in.
- Documentary proof showing experience in handling explosives.

Submission of documents

Documents must be submitted together with the acknowledgement slip generated by PLUS/ LicenceOne, within 5 working days from the submission of the application.

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