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# Apply for gun ownership card for hunting associations

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Modul	Sachverhalt
Leistungsschlüssel	99089018001018, 99089018001018
Leistungsbezeichnung I	Apply for gun ownership card for hunting associations
Leistungsbezeichnung II	Apply for gun ownership card for hunting associations
Typisierung	3a - Bundesaufsichtsverwaltung: Regelung, Land: Vollzug
Quellredaktion	Saarland
Freigabestatus Katalog	unbestimmter Freigabestatus
Freigabestatus Bibliothek	fachlich freigegeben (silber)
Begriffe im Kontext	
Leistungstyp	Leistungsobjekt mit Verrichtung
Leistungsgruppierung	Sicherheit und Ordnung (089)
Verrichtungskennung	Erteilung (001)
SDG-Informationsbereich	Kauf von Waren, digitalen Inhalten oder entgeltliche Inanspruchnahme von Dienstleistungen aus einem anderen Mitgliedstaat (auch Finanzdienstleistungen), online oder vor Ort

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Lagen Portalverbund	Fischen und Jagen (1110200), Erlaubnisse und Genehmigungen (2010400)
Einheitlicher Ansprechpartner	Ja
Fachlich freigegeben am	21.06.2024
Fachlich freigegeben durch	Ministry of the Interior, Building and Sport
Handlungsgrundlage	<a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_10.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_10.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_4.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_4.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_36.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/waffg_2002/_36.html</a> <a href="https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/awaffv/_13.html">https://www.gesetze-im-internet.de/awaffv/_13.html</a>
Teaser	If you want to acquire and possess weapons and/or ammunition as a hunting association, you must apply for a permit from the relevant weapons authority.
Volltext	<p>If you wish to acquire firearms requiring a permit for a hunting association, you can apply for the firearms possession card required for this purpose to be issued to the hunting association rather than to you personally.</p> <p>For this purpose, you must name a responsible person who must be reliable in terms of weapons law and personally suitable, and who can prove that he or she has the necessary expertise. This person does not have to be authorized to represent the association, i.e. for example not a member of the board of directors. If the responsible person leaves the hunting association, you must immediately notify the competent authority and appoint a new responsible person within 2 weeks. Otherwise, the competent authority will revoke your permit to acquire and possess weapons (weapons possession card).</p> <p>It is recommended that you inform yourself in detail about the regulations of the weapons law before applying.</p> <p>In order to obtain permission to acquire and possess</p>

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weapons and ammunition requiring a permit, the hunting association must be a legal entity, i.e. it must be registered in the register of associations, for example. You must also provide proof of safe storage of weapons and ammunition. The responsible person appointed by you must

- have the appropriate age and
- be reliable in terms of weapons law and,
- be personally suitable and
- demonstrate their expertise in the handling of weapons and ammunition.

prove.

## Erforderliche Unterlagen

- Identity card or passport (copy)
- Extract from the register of associations
- Proof of expertise (responsible person)
- Proof of storage, e.g. purchase contract for a gun cabinet and/or photos of gun cabinet and place of installation

## Voraussetzungen

- The hunting association must be a legal entity, i.e. registered in the register of associations, for example.
- The responsible person must be at least 18 years old.
- The responsible person must be reliable in terms of weapons law.

He or she can be considered unreliable in terms of weapons law if, among other things

- he/she has been legally sentenced to a prison term of at least one year within the last 10 years or has been a member of or supported a prohibited organization within the last 10 years.
- it can be assumed that he/she misuses or improperly handles weapons or ammunition, does not keep these objects carefully or hands them over to persons who are not authorized to do so.
- if he/she has been in preventive police custody more than once in the last 5 years with judicial

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authorization due to violence.

- if he/she has repeatedly or grossly violated the weapons law.
- The responsible person must be personally suitable.

The responsible person can be assessed as personally unsuitable, among other things, if

- he/she is legally incompetent.
- he or she is dependent on alcohol or other intoxicating substances, is mentally ill or is a moron.
- he/she suffers from serious illnesses, such as brain injuries, or physical impairments, such as amputations or severe visual impairment.
- it can be assumed that he or she cannot handle weapons or ammunition carefully or properly or that there is a concrete danger that he or she will endanger others or himself or herself.

- The responsible person must prove that he or she has sufficient knowledge about weapons and ammunition and how to handle them (expert knowledge).

In order to be able to prove that he or she is competent in the handling of weapons and ammunition, he or she must have attended an appropriate training course. The course comprises a theoretical and practical part. At the end of the course, an examination is taken before an authorized examination board. If the examination is passed, the responsible person receives a certificate indicating the weapons and ammunition for which the expertise has been acquired. The responsible person can also obtain the expert knowledge only for the weapons and ammunition that you want to acquire and possess as a hunting association.

The expert knowledge can also be proven by passing a hunter's examination.

- You must prove that you can safely store weapons and ammunition.

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This generally means that only authorized persons may have access to weapons and ammunition. If you do not store your weapons and ammunition safely, you commit an administrative offense for which a fine of up to 10,000 EUR can be imposed. In addition, this may cast doubt on the reliability of the responsible person under weapons law and the hunting association may have its weapons possession card revoked.

When applying, you must provide information on both the storage location and the container in which you intend to store weapons and ammunition. The storage requirements are based on Section 13 of the General Weapons Act Ordinance (AWaffV). In case of doubt, please contact the authority responsible for you.

In principle, you can orientate yourself on the following specifications:

- You must store ammunition requiring a permit in a sheet steel cabinet/container with a swing bolt lock or an equivalent locking device.
- To store long guns and handguns requiring a permit, you need a gun cabinet. Which gun cabinet you need depends on the number and type of weapons and/or ammunition you wish to acquire and possess.
- In a gun cabinet with resistance grade 0 according to the DIN/EN 1143-1 standard with a weight of up to 200 kilograms, you may store an unlimited number of long guns, up to 5 handguns and ammunition.
- In a firearms cabinet with resistance grade 0 in accordance with the DIN/EN 1143-1 standard with a weight of over 200 kilograms, you may store an unlimited number of long guns, up to 10 handguns and ammunition.
- In a gun cabinet with resistance grade I according to the DIN/EN 1143-1 standard, you may store an unlimited number of long guns and handguns as well as ammunition.
- The following regulations apply to the location where you may install the firearm cabinet:
  - You may store up to 3 long guns even in buildings that are not permanently inhabited, such as a hunting lodge or a weekend house. For this, however, you need a weapons cabinet with resistance grade I.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you live in a shared household with another person who is also entitled to possess weapons, you may store the weapons in a shared weapons cabinet.</li> </ul>
Kosten	
Verfahrensablauf	You must apply for permission to acquire and possess weapons and/or ammunition requiring a permit from the relevant weapons authority. Submit the application together with the required documents.
Bearbeitungsdauer	
Frist	
weiterführende Informationen	
Hinweise	
Rechtsbehelf	
Kurztext	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Permission to acquire and possess weapons and ammunition: issuance of weapons possession card (WBK) for hunting associations.</li> <li>Requirements:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registered in the register of associations</li> <li>Appointment of a responsible person</li> <li>Responsible person:                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No criminal record (reliability)</li> <li>No incapacity, mental illness or dependence on drugs (personal suitability)</li> <li>Knowledge of weapons regulations</li> <li>safe handling of weapons and ammunition</li> <li>Skills in shooting with firearm (may not be required if only weapons are collected that are not capable of firing)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Safe storage</li> <li>Unauthorized handling of weapons and ammunition results in a fine or imprisonment</li> </ul> </li> <li>Responsible: Weapons authority</li> </ul>
Ansprechpunkt	Firearms Authorities
Zuständige Stelle	Firearms Authorities
Formulare	Online services available: not known

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	<p>Forms available: not known</p> <p>Written form required: Yes</p> <p>Informal application possible: No</p> <p>Personal appearance required: No</p>
Ursprungsportal	<p>Apply for gun ownership card for hunting associations, Waffenbesitzkarte für jagdliche Vereinigungen beantragen</p>