

**Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982**

**APPLICATION FOR GRANT/RENEWAL OF  
INDOOR SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT LICENCE**

*Please read the attached guidance notes before completing this form*

Question 1 or 2, and all other questions must be answered. Please use block capitals.

**1. To be completed if applicant is a private individual**

Full name (including previous name)		
Trading Name (if any)		
Home Address		
Post Code		
Telephone (business hours) Email address		
Age, date and place of birth	Age	Date of Birth
	Place of Birth	
Is applicant to carry out the day to day management of the entertainment  If not, give full name, address and date of birth of any manager.  Contact telephone number Email address	YES	NO – give details

**2. To be completed if applicant is not a private individual (e.g. Company or partnership)**

Full company name		
Trading As		
Address of Principal or Registered Office		
Post Code		
Telephone (business hours) Email address		
Full name and address of employee to carry on the day to day management of the activity		
Telephone (business hours) Email address		
Age, date and place of birth	Age	Date of birth
	Place of birth	

Date received	Fee Paid	Date to Police Fire EHO Officer Trading Standards	Reply	Objectors	Granted/ Refused
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3. Name (if any) and address of premises			
4. When applying for renewal, please specify all structural alterations carried out to premises since licence last renewed/ granted			
5. Specify the kind(s) of indoor sports entertainment to be provided.			
6. Specify proposed days and hours of opening for the purposes of indoor sports entertainment.			
7. Specify period for which licence is required (maximum 3 years)			
8. Maximum number of persons proposed to be admitted to premises at any one time			
9. (a) Has any party named in 1 or 2 above previously held or does any such party currently hold a Indoor Sports Entertainment/Public Entertainment Licence?			
9. (b) Has any party named in 1 or 2 above ever applied for and been refused a Indoor Sports Entertainment/Public Entertainment Licence?			
Subject to the provisions of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974, has any party named in 1 or 2 above been convicted of any crime or offence YES / NO If YES, give details below			
Date	Court	Offence	Sentence

Continue on a separate page if necessary

**11. Declaration.**

- A. \* I declare that I am/We declare that we are complying with Paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 1 of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 regulating the display of a site notice for a period of 21 days from today, at or near the premises so that it can be conveniently read by the public.
- B. \* I declare that I am/We declare that we are unable to display a notice of this application at or near the premises because no access is available. The following action was taken to try to gain access:

but was unsuccessful.

Or

- C. \* I/We declare that the application is for a temporary licence and therefore there is no requirement to display a site notice.
- D. I/We declare that the particulars given by me/us on this form are correct to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

\* Delete A, B or C as appropriate

I/ We declare that the particulars given on this form are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I/ We understand that the information supplied by me/us as detailed in this form may be stored on a computer system by this Authority for the purpose of licensing and that information may be disclosed to the police and other relevant parties for vetting and background enquiries whilst processing this application.

I/We understand that this authority is under a duty to protect the public funds it administers and to this end may use the information you have provided on this form for the prevention and detection of fraud. It may also share this information with other bodies responsible for auditing or administering public funds for these purposes.

For further information see

<https://www.scotborders.gov.uk/nationalfraudinitiative> on the Council website or contact the Fraud Hotline on 01835 826825

Signature of Applicant:

Date:

Signature of Agent (if applicable):

Date:

**Any person who in, or in connection with the making of this application makes any statement which he/ she knows to be false or recklessly makes any statement which is false in a material particular shall be guilty of an offence and liable, on summary conviction, to a fine.**

# **CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982**

## **INDOOR SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT LICENCE**

### NOTES FOR APPLICANTS

1. Please complete the form in typescript or black ink for ease of photocopying.
2. Each application should be accompanied by the fee payable of £260, or £133 for a temporary licence application.
3. Section 41A of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 states as follows:
  - (1) Subject to subsection (2) below a licence to be known as an “indoor sports entertainment licence” shall be required for the use of premises as a place of public sports entertainment.
  - (2) Subsection (1) above shall not apply to any occasion on which the entertainment of the public by the sport is not the principal purpose for which the premises are used but this provision does not apply in relation to a sports complex.
  - (3) Without prejudice to paragraph 5 of Schedule 1 to this Act, a licensing authority may attach conditions to an indoor sports entertainment licence.
    - (a) restricting the use of the premises to a specified kind or specified kinds of public sports entertainment;
    - (b) limiting the number of persons to be admitted to the premises;
    - (c) fixing the days and times when the premises may be open for the purposes of public sports entertainment.
  - (4) In this section:

“premises” means any permanent or temporary building and any tent or inflatable structure and includes a part of a building where the building is a sports complex but does not include a part of any other building;

“public sports entertainment” means any sporting event to which the public are invited as spectators;

“sporting event” means any contest, exhibition or display of any sport; “sports complex” means a building:

    - (a) which provides accommodation and facilities for both those engaging in sports and spectators; and
    - (b) the parts of which are so arranged that one or more sports can be engaged in simultaneously in different parts of the building; and
    - (c) “sport” includes any game in which physical skill is the predominant factor and any form of physical recreation which is also engaged in for purposes of competition or display, except dancing (in any form).

#### *General Note*

This section was inserted into the 1982 Act by s.44(1) of the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987 (c.27) and s.44(2) of the 1987 Act provides that “indoor sports entertainment licences” will replace public entertainment licences where the form of entertainment comes within the definition of activities covered by s.41A; and s.41 licences, which would properly fall within the ambit of the new section, when renewed, become s.41A licences. Indoor sports entertainment licences do not require a resolution in terms of s.9 since they are the one class of “miscellaneous licence” which is mandatory rather than optional.

#### **Subsections**

- 1 “Public sports entertainment” and “premises” are both defined in subsection 4 above.
- 2 The licence is restricted to the use of the premises for the specified purposes and, with the exception of “sports complexes” (defined in subsection 4 above), premises where the entertainment of the public by the sport is not the principal purpose for the use of the building (eg a town hall used for a wrestling match) are excluded from the provisions of section 41A.

3 The licence is restricted to the use of the premises for the specified purposes and, with the exception of “sports complexes” (defined in subsection 4 above), premises where the entertainment of the public by the sport is not the principal purpose for the use of the building (eg a town hall used for a wrestling match) are excluded from the provisions of section 41A. Conditions imposed must, of course, be reasonable (schedule 1, paragraph 5) and restrictions on the sports, number of spectators and opening times may be specified. It is usual to have conditions relating to staff, overcrowding, safety, fire precautions, electricity and lighting and other matters necessary for public safety and order – in the case of the City of Edinburgh, 28 separate conditions are imposed, all of which fall within the above categories.

4 “Premises” – restricted to section 41A only, this is a more detailed definition than that contained in section 8 and is necessary (a) to exclude land, ie restrict land, ie restrict it to indoor places only and (b) to limit it to parts of sports complexes but to exclude parts of any other buildings, eg town halls. “Public sports entertainment” involves the public being “invited” to spectate and implies that the advertisement or intimation of the event is given to the public; note that there is no mention of “money or money’s worth” as in section 41.

“Sporting event” has a meaning wider than a game or match and includes tournaments as well as non-competitive events. A training session might fall within the definition if the public were “invited” to view it. “Sports complex” means a building (but presumably not a tent or inflatable structure – cf. definition of “premises”) where sportsmen and spectators are given facilities and where one or more sports can be engaged in simultaneously; it is perhaps easier to visualise this fast-growing category of building than to actually describe it! “Sport” would presumably include games such as snooker but exclude chess even though many might regard cerebral games as a form of sport; note the exclusion of dancing in any form – thus dance championships, displays or marathons fall outwith section 41A but might require a public entertainment licence under section 41.

5 Unless the application is for a temporary licence for up to 6 weeks, you must display a site notice at or near the premises which you propose to use, in a place where this can be conveniently read by the public, for a period of 21 days beginning with the date when you submit this application to the Council. Please use the attached style of notice.

At the end of the 21 day period, the attached certificate must be completed and returned to the Council.

6 You must provide with this application 5 copies of a layout plan of the premises, showing the location of fire exits, fire fighting equipment, alarm systems, smoke detectors and emergency lighting. No plans are needed for temporary licence applications unless specifically requested by the Council.

Please send the completed form, application fee and other documents to:

Licensing Unit  
Regulatory Services - Legal and Licensing  
Scottish Borders Council  
Council Headquarters  
Newtown St Boswells  
TD6 0SA.

Telephone: 01835 826662; email [liquorandlicensing@scotborders.gov.uk](mailto:liquorandlicensing@scotborders.gov.uk)

**not less than 3 months before the proposed commencement date of the licence.**



## CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982

### SITE NOTICE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that application has been made on:\*

**to SCOTTISH BORDERS COUNCIL** for an **INDOOR SPORTS LICENCE**

**in respect of premises at:\***

**Name and address of applicant:\***

**Proposed type of business:\***

**Proposed business hours:\***

Any objections and representations in relation to the application may be made to the Licensing Unit, Regulatory Services - Legal and Licensing, Scottish Borders Council, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells TD6 0SA within **28 DAYS** of the above mentioned date.

Objections and representations must be made in accordance with the following provisions:

Any objection or representation relating to an application for the grant or renewal of a licence shall be entertained by the licensing authority if, but only if, the objection or representation:

- (a) is in writing;
- (b) specifies the grounds of the objection or, as the case may be, the nature of the representation;
- (c) specifies the name and address of the person making it and is signed by him or on his behalf;
- (d) was made to them within 28 days of the above mentioned date of application.

An objection or representation shall be considered to have been made to Scottish Borders Council within the period referred if it is delivered by hand or posted (by registered or recorded delivery post) so that in the normal course of post it might be expected to be delivered to them within that time.

**Applicant's Signature:\***

**Date:\***

This site notice must be displayed for a period of 21 days from the date the application was lodged with Scottish Borders Council at or near the premises in a position clearly visible to the public. Where the application is made by a company or partnership, full names and addresses of all directors or partners must be detailed in an annexed list.

### CONFIRMATION OF DISPLAY OF SITE NOTICE

*(to be returned to Scottish Borders Council following the 21 day display period)*

**I (full name of applicant)\***

Confirm the site notice has been displayed as prescribed above for a period of not less than 21 days

**Signed:\***

**Date:\***

\* **REQUIRES TO BE COMPLETED IN FULL**

# **Civic Government Licensing**

## **PRIVACY NOTICE – INDOOR SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT LICENCES**

### **What information do we need?**

Scottish Borders Council will act as the 'Data Controller' for the personal data you provide to us. The Data Protection Officer, who is responsible for ensuring personal data is managed in accordance with data protection legislation, can be contacted as follows:

Address: Data Protection Officer, Information Management, Scottish Borders Council, Newtown St Boswells TD6 0SA.

Email: [dataprotection@scotborders.gov.uk](mailto:dataprotection@scotborders.gov.uk) Telephone: 0300 100 1800

The information we collect from you will include details such as your name, address, email address, telephone number, date and place of birth.

For the purposes of this specific service, the personal data we require includes special category information about you (also known as 'sensitive personal data'), specifically health information (disability, allergies, fitness to operate), For taxi driver or private hire driver licence applications, we ask for and hold specific information relating to medical conditions and a full group 2 medical standards certificate is required.

In addition we also require details of any previous criminal convictions and previous licence information.

### **Why do we need this information?**

Your information is being collected to allow Scottish Borders Council to administer the process of applying for licences under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.

We need to know the personal data requested on the application form in order to provide this service to you. If you do not provide this information then we will be unable to process your request for a licence. We will not collect any personal data from you that is not needed for this purpose.

The lawful basis for collecting your information in these circumstances is:

#### **Compliance with legal obligation:**

Scottish Borders Council is required to collect your information in order to carry out the function of providing licences in relation to the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, which is a statutory function of a local authority.

Where we collect special category data this processing is necessary for reasons of substantial public interest for aims that are proportionate and which contain appropriate safeguarding measures.

## What will we do with your information?

We will use your information to process your application for a licence. Depending on the type of licence, this will involve sharing your information as shown in the table below.

Type of licence	Who your information will be shared with
Indoor Sports entertainment Service	Police Scotland, Environmental Health and Scottish Fire and Rescue

Applications where valid objections or representations are made will be considered at meetings of the Civic Government Licensing Committee, which are open to the public however some business maybe held in private. We are also required to publish information in licensing registers, which will include your name, address and type of licence. No special category data is included in the register.

When you do not provide information directly to us, we may receive it from other relevant organisations including other Council services, other Local Authorities or Police Scotland.

You should also be aware that your data will be stored on servers located within the United Kingdom. We will take all reasonable steps to ensure that your data is kept secure and more information on how we do this can be provided by contacting the Data Protection Officer.

## How long will we keep your information?

We will keep your information for the length of time specified within our document retention schedules, and after this period it will be destroyed under secure arrangements More information on our retention policy and procedure can be obtained from the Data Protection Officer if required.

## Automated Decision Making

No automated decision making will take place.

## Your Rights

You have the right to request access to any personal data held about you by the Council. You can also request that we restrict the use of your information or even object to any further processing. You can do this by contacting the Data Protection Officer using the contact details provided above. We will respond to your request within thirty calendar days.

For more information on your rights please visit our website <http://www.scotborders.gov.uk/DPYourRights> or if you would like a hard copy of this information, please contact us using the contact details provided above.

If you are unhappy with the way the Council has processed your personal data please contact the Council's Data Protection Officer. If after raising your concerns with the Data Protection Officer you remain dissatisfied you have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner's Office.

## Information Commissioner's Office

The ICO is the UK's independent body set up to uphold information rights.

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF  
Telephone: 0303 123 1113 [Email: casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)

The Information Commissioner's Office – Scotland  
45 Melville Street, Edinburgh, EH3 7HL  
Telephone: 0303 123 1115 [Email: Scotland@ico.org.uk](mailto:Scotland@ico.org.uk)