

# LICENCE TO DEAL IN VENISON APPLICATION FORM



To: Renfrewshire Council,  
as the Licensing Authority under the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996

For: Licence to deal in venison

## PERSONAL DETAILS

Name of applicant	
Address of applicant	
Post Code	
Telephone	
Date of Birth	
e-mail address	

## BUSINESS DETAILS

Trading Name	
Address of premises for which the licence is required	
Post Code	
Telephone	
e-mail address	

## Declaration

I understand that I am responsible for all of the information given on this form and that the information I have given is true and complete.

Signature of applicant	
Date	

## CONDITIONS

Venison Dealers are hereby advised of the terms of the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996 which imposes a number of conditions on the dealing in venison.

These conditions are statutory and are as undernoted:

### Records kept by venison dealers

1. Every licensed venison dealer shall keep a book in which shall be entered records in the prescribed form of all purchases and receipts of venison by him and shall enter in such book forthwith the prescribed particulars of such purchases and receipts.
2. Any person authorised in writing in that behalf by the Secretary of State or by the Commission (an 'authorised person') or any constable, may inspect any book kept in pursuance of subsection (1) above.
3. An authorised person shall show his written authority when so requested.
4. A licensed venison dealer shall produce for inspection by an authorised person or constable:
  - (a) any book kept in pursuance of subsection (1) above;
  - (b) all invoices, consignment notes, receipts and other documents (including copies of them when originals are not available) which may be required to verify any entry in such book; and
  - (c) all venison in his possession or under his control, or on premises or in vehicles under his control; and
  - (d) shall allow the authorised person or constable to take copies of such book or document or extracts therefrom.
5. Every book kept in pursuance of subsection (1) above shall be kept until the end of the period of three years beginning with the day on which the last entry was made in the book and any such documents as are mentioned in subsection (4)(b) above shall be kept for a period of three years beginning with the date of the entry to which they refer.
6. In this section 'prescribed' means prescribed by order.

### Reciprocal arrangements

A licensed venison dealer who has purchased or received venison from another licensed venison dealer or from a licensed game dealer within the meaning of section 10(5) of the Deer Act 1991 shall be deemed to have complied with the requirements of section 34 of this Act if he has recorded in his book kept in pursuance of subsection (1) of that section:

- (a) that the venison was so purchased and received;
- (b) the name and address of the other licensed venison dealer or of the licensed game dealer;
- (c) the date when the venison was so purchased or received;
- (d) the number of carcasses and sex of the venison; and
- (e) the species of the deer, provided that it is possible to identify it.

### Limitation on requirement to obtain game licence

Any person authorised or required by the Commission to kill any deer under this Act shall not be required to obtain for that purpose a licence to kill game.

## FEES

The current fee for a venison licence is available on the Renfrewshire Trading Standards website [www.renfrewshire.gov.uk](http://www.renfrewshire.gov.uk)

**SEND NO FEE WITH YOUR APPLICATION - AN INVOICE  
WILL BE ISSUED FOR PAYMENT**

## INSTRUCTIONS

**Please return this application to:**

Renfrewshire Council  
Trading Standards,  
Environmental Services,  
Renfrewshire House,  
Cotton Street,  
Paisley  
PA1 1BR

**Or submit by email if completing online**