

# Application for a Licence for Industrial Hemp for Individuals

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This form may be used by the applicant, who is making this application on their own behalf. You must make yourself familiar with the provisions of the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1977, regulation 7 and the Misuse of Drugs (Industrial Hemp) Regulations 2006.

### The following must accompany this application:

- the prescribed fee:  
General Licence \$500; Additional Research & Breeding Licence \$150; both licences \$650 (all prices include GST)
- a completed Police Clearance form

It is an offence to make a false declaration. You may be required to supply additional information at a later date (see regulation 16 (3) of the Misuse of Drugs (Industrial Hemp) Regulations 2006).

**Note: All applicable sections of the application must be completed for your application to be considered.**

**Send the completed application form to: Licensing Authority  
Industrial Hemp Licensing  
PO Box 5013  
Wellington**

## Applicant

1. Surname or Family name of applicant

2. First name(s) of applicant

3. Date of birth

## Contact details

4. Give street number, street name, suburb, town/city, and postcode if known

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Eligibility to hold a licence**

5. Have you ever held a licence under these Regulations or the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1977 that has been revoked at any time in the five years immediately preceding the date of this application?

- No
- Yes - Please give details

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6. Have you ever been convicted of:

- (i) an offence against the Misuse of Drugs Act 1975 or any drug-related offence, or
- (ii) a crime involving dishonesty within the meaning of the Crimes Act 1961, or
- (iii) an offence outside of New Zealand that, if committed in New Zealand, would fall within the above specifications?

- No
- Yes - Please give details

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**Which licence(s) do you wish to apply for?**

- General Licence - complete question 7
- General Licence **and** Research and Breeding Licence - complete questions 7 and 8
- Research and Breeding Licence in addition to current General Licence - complete question 8  
Current General Licence number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Activities for which a general licence is sought**

**Note:** If you are importing or exporting industrial hemp products, a separate licence for each import or export is required under the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1977, regulation 7.

- 7. Please tick the relevant activity/activities that you will undertake:
  - a. The procurement within New Zealand of industrial hemp
  - b. The cultivation of industrial hemp
  - c. The supply within New Zealand of industrial hemp
  - d. The processing of industrial hemp into specified hemp products
  - e. The possession of industrial hemp for the purposes of the activities specified in paragraph 7 a. to d. above

Further details of activities for which the licence is sought:

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List of approved cultivars available on the Medsafe website [www.medsafe.govt.nz](http://www.medsafe.govt.nz)

List of approved cultivars that are intended for use:

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**Activities for which additional research and breeding licence is sought**

**Note:** If you are importing or exporting industrial hemp products, a separate licence for each import or export is required under the Misuse of Drugs Regulations 1977, regulation 7.

An additional research and breeding licence can only be sought if the applicant is applying for, or already has been granted, a general licence.

- 8. Please tick the relevant activity/activities that you will undertake:
  - a. The procurement by a person within New Zealand of hemp of specified cultivars and varieties of hemp that are not approved cultivars
  - b. The cultivation, for research purposes only, of specified cultivars and varieties of hemp that are not approved cultivars
  - c. The breeding, for research purposes only of new cultivars and varieties of hemp
  - d. The conduct of research into the suitability of cultivars and varieties of hemp referred to in paragraphs 8 b. and c. for industrial uses
  - e. The supply, within New Zealand, of specified cultivars and varieties of hemp that are not approved cultivars, but only to holders of research and breeding licences
  - f. The possession of specified cultivars and varieties of hemp that are not approved cultivars for the purposes of the activities specified in paragraphs 8 a. to e. above

Further details of activities for which licence is sought:

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**\* Note:** Please include the source of the cultivar, the growing history, and the expected THC content. Attach an extra page if required.

List of non-approved cultivars that are intended for use:\*

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## Declaration

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I, *[full name of applicant]* \_\_\_\_\_

of *[place]* \_\_\_\_\_ *[occupation]* \_\_\_\_\_

declare that the information I have supplied in this application is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct in every particular. I make this declaration in the knowledge that a person making a false declaration is liable to prosecution under section 15 of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1975.

- I accept that if the THC content of my crop exceeds 0.35% dry weight, the Director General of Health may order the destruction of the crop and I agree to abide by this decision
- I agree to provide reports as required
- I agree to make the site open for inspection by authorised persons at all times
- I agree to furnish samples as required for testing and authorise ESR to notify the results to the Ministry of Health
- If granted a licence I will ensure that each plot is grown within the conditions stated on the licence
- I agree the location(s) specified in this application are safe as defined by Regulation 13 of the Misuse of Drugs (Industrial Hemp) Regulations 2006
- I am entitled to use the location(s) specified in this application
- I am familiar with and understand the obligations of a licence holder in the Misuse of Drugs (Industrial Hemp) Regulations 2006.

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Signature of applicant

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Date

# Application for Police clearance to hold an Industrial Hemp Licence

**To: Licensing Authority  
Industrial Hemp Licences**

I, (full name) \_\_\_\_\_

(occupation) \_\_\_\_\_ (date of birth) \_\_\_\_\_

of (residential address) \_\_\_\_\_

authorise the Commissioner of Police, or other member of the New Zealand Police Force to investigate my suitability to hold a licence for Industrial Hemp, and to report his opinion to the Licensing Authority, Industrial Hemp Licensing.

**I acknowledge that such investigation may include any record of any conviction for an offence, particulars concerning any known or suspected associates and any antecedents or circumstances giving cause for a suspicion that I may have been concerned in any offence which has been or may be committed.**

**Nevertheless, I understand that any record of any criminal convictions I might have will automatically be concealed if I meet the eligibility criteria set out in the Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004.**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_

Witnessed by (full name) \_\_\_\_\_

(occupation) \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_