



SOUTH CAROLINA CONCEALED WEAPON PERMIT APPLICATION

Mail completed application form/enclosures to: CWP Application, SLED Regulatory, PO Box 21398, Columbia, SC 29221

Please check if any of the following apply (proper documentation must be submitted as indicated below):

Disabled Veteran: _____ Retired/Former Military: _____ Active Military: _____ Retired Law Enforcement: _____ Active Law Enforcement: _____

Application Type (New/Renewal): _____ CWP # (Renewal Only): _____

Full Name (Last, First, Middle, Maiden, Suffix): _____

Residence Address: _____ Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Social Security #: _____ DL/ID Card #: _____ Alien #: _____

Date of Birth (YYYY/MM/DD): _____ Place of Birth: _____

Race: _____ Sex: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____ Eye Color: _____ Hair Color: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Training Date: _____ Instructor Cert. #: _____ Student #: _____

Instructor Signature: _____ Date: _____

You must answer the following three questions. If any of the answers are "No" you will not be eligible for a permit.

- Are you a South Carolina resident or qualified non-resident? (Section 23-31-210, S.C. Code of Laws) YES NO
- Have you successfully completed the required training? (Section 23-31-210, S.C. Code of Laws) YES NO
- Are you allowed by all applicable federal/state laws and court orders to possess a handgun? YES NO

INSTRUCTIONS- REVIEW CAREFULLY BEFORE APPLICATION SUBMISSION:

For questions about the CWP application process, forms, or if you need information on state laws and regulations, or to review applicants *Privacy Rights*, please visit www.sled.sc.gov (Concealed Weapon Permit Program tab).

- Processing time may be up to 90 days. A renewal application should be mailed 90-120 days prior to permit expiration.
- Applicants must include a non-refundable payment of \$50.00 (certified check, cashier's check, or money order) made payable to SLED.
- Applicants must submit a good quality photocopy of their state issued driver's license or officially issued identification card.
- Resident aliens must provide a copy of their alien card from the Department of Homeland Security.
- Qualified nonresident applicants must submit a completed Real Property Tax Form (SLED Form R-168).

The following only apply to NEW permit applications:

1. Applicants must submit an original completed, signed, and dated application. The CWP instructor must also sign the application.
2. Applicants must submit two (2) complete, legible sets of fingerprint cards (see applicants *Privacy Rights* link at www.sled.sc.gov).
3. Active duty military applicants must submit military orders. Retired or former military applicants must submit a copy of their DD214.
4. Retired law enforcement officers exempt from paying the fee must submit proof of retirement benefits/pension documentation.
5. Active/retired South Carolina law enforcement officers exempt from training must submit current legal and firearm training documentation. Out-of-state retired law enforcement officers (or those whose certification has expired) must submit proof of graduation from a federal or state academy that included firearms training as a graduation requirement.
6. Disabled veterans exempt from paying the fee must submit documentation from the VA indicating disability percentage.
7. CWP training courses must have been completed within three years of filing the application.
8. Training date, instructor certification number, and student number must be entered onto the application.
9. You must submit a signed copy of the SLED CWP Instructor/Student Checklist with your application.

CERTIFICATION OF INFORMATION BY APPLICANT:

- I am eligible for a South Carolina Concealed Weapon Permit pursuant to Sections 23-31-210/215 of the S.C. Code of Laws.
- I am not prohibited from possessing a handgun pursuant to Section 922, Title 18, United States Code.
- I will notify SLED immediately if I become prohibited by federal/state laws or court orders from possessing a handgun.
- I acknowledge false information may cause denial of my application and subject me to any applicable criminal penalties.
- My signature certifies I have reviewed the entire application and all information on it is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____