

## Display acquisition of a weapon

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### Competent Department

- [Ordnungsamt | Referat 11 - Waffen- und Jagdangelegenheiten](#)

### Basic information

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### Requirements

- When purchasing a weapon: Authorization to purchase (gun ownership card [with previous entry if applicable] or hunting license)
- When handing over a weapon: the recipient's authorization to acquire the weapon

### What documents do I need?

- Identity card or passport (copy)
- Weapons possession card (WBK) or hunting license with purchase authorization (previous entry)
- European firearms pass (if registration is required)

## Procedure

You must the acquisition of a weapon requiring a permit to the competent weapons authority. Submit the application together with the required documents.

#### Application in paper form

- You can request a print-out of the application form by e-mail at [waffenundjagd@ordnungsamt.bremen.de](mailto:waffenundjagd@ordnungsamt.bremen.de) or you can obtain a paper copy from the responsible office.
- Complete the application.
- Attach a copy of the required documents to the application.
- Send everything by post or hand in the documents on site after making an appointment. The completed application should be handed in to the responsible office.
- You will receive the decision by post.

## **Legal bases**

- [Kostenverordnung für die innere Verwaltung \(InKostV\)](#)
- [§ 37a Waffengesetz \(WaffG\)](#)

## **What deadlines must be paid attention to?**

2 weeks

## **How long does it take to process**

4 to 8 weeks.

## **What are the costs?**

The fees may vary and depend on various factors. Further information on fees can be found in the Internal Administration Costs Ordinance. You will find the link under "Legal bases" - "Cost Ordinance for Internal Administration (InKostV)".