Notification of exempted sporting firearms export

It is a requirement to notify exempted sporting firearms exports.

Pursuant to New Zealand’s export control regime, private persons are able to export from New Zealand up to five sporting firearms and associated ammunition without a permit from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade. However, while such exports are exempted from permitting requirements, all such exports should still be notified to MFAT using this notification form. The purpose of this notification requirement is to enable MFAT to meet its international reporting requirement under the United Nations Arms Trade Treaty. The information provided in this declaration will be used (only) for that purpose.

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Contact Details including phone number and residential address

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Details of the firearm being exported – Type, make, model, calibre etc

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Destination

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Date of Travel/Export

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Purpose of export

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| a | Persons taking their own sporting firearms overseas on a hunting holiday; or |  |
| b | Competitors in international shooting contests taking competition sporting firearms overseas for their own use; or |  |
| c | Tourist exports – this exemption no longer applies and a permit must now be applied for. |  |
| d | Persons who have been in New Zealand on a hunting holiday may export their firearms and/or parts which they originally imported with a permit issued by the New Zealand Police; or |  |
| e | Persons who have been in New Zealand competing in a national or international shooting competition, or who are transiting New Zealand to attend or return from a competition in a third country may export their firearms and/or parts which they originally imported with a permit issued by the New Zealand Police; and |  |

**NB** Persons exporting firearms covered by (a) to (e) above may export related ammunition and/or used cartridges. The ammunition/used cartridges must be listed on the notification form and accompany the firearms listed on the notification form.

**Email to: exportcontrols@mfat.govt.nz**