

- Photo captured
- Driver licence photocopy (front & back)
- 5 year driving licence history
- Payment \$77.50 fee
- Copy of training course certificate

### APPLICATION FOR A DANGEROUS GOODS DRIVER LICENCE

*Dangerous Goods (Road and Rail Transport) Act 2010 Dangerous Goods (Road and Rail Transport) Regulations 2010*

#### Licence Type

- New licence to transport dangerous goods
- Renewal of licence to transport dangerous goods

Dangerous Goods Licence Number

Expiry Date

#### Applicant Details

Surname

Given Names

Date of Birth

Drivers Licence Number

Expiry Date

Home Address

Post Code

Postal Address

Post Code

Email address

Business Phone

Home Phone

Mobile Phone

Employer

#### CHECKLIST- The following must be included when making application at Service Tasmania

- Complete all sections of this form
- Photo copy of your drivers licence (front and back)
- Copy of certificate relating to training courses completed (no more than 6 months old)
- Declaration on page 2 signed and witnessed
- Payment of \$77.50 application fee to Service Tasmania
- 5 year Statement of Licence details of Driver Licence (Service Tasmania will provide this)

**Please Note: Failure to provide the required documentation may delay the processing of your application, or result in your application being rejected.**

## Applicant Suitability Statement

Have you incurred any penalties or demerit points for driving offences or infringements in the last five years  Yes  No

Date of Offence	Driving/Demerit Offence Committed	Were you transporting Dangerous Goods?	Who was the Owner of the Vehicle?

Have you been convicted of any criminal or police related offences in the past 5 Years? If Yes, give details

Are you currently under investigation or pending a hearing before a court or Competent Authority? If Yes, give details

## Applicant Declaration

I (write full name below)

(a) declare the information I have stated in this application to be true and correct

(b) Authorise WorkSafe Tasmania to have access to:

- entries about me in the driving licence register of any State or Territory where I am licensed to drive
- any record of me for any driving, criminal or police related offence held by the appropriate authority of the State or Territory
- the medical practitioner named on the medical assessment for further information relevant to my fitness to drive

(c) Authorise Service Tasmania CSO's to produce a 5 year Statement of Licence Details of my Driver Licence for WorkSafe Tasmania

## Personal Information Statement

Personal information we collect from you will be used by the Delegate of the Competent Authority for dangerous goods licensing purposes and may be used for other purposes permitted by the Dangerous Goods (Road and Rail) Act 2010 and associated laws. Failure to provide this information may result in your application being denied or records not being properly maintained. Your personal information may be disclosed to contractors and agents of WorkSafe Tasmania, law enforcement agencies, courts and other public sector bodies or organizations authorised to collect it. This information will be managed in accordance with the Personal Information Protection Act 2004 and may be accessed by you on request to this Department. You may be charged a fee for this service.

## Signature of Applicant

Witness Name

Witness Address

## Witness Signature

**Medical Fitness to drive assessment - To be completed by medical practitioner and returned to WorkSafe Tasmania**

Were you familiar with the applicant's medical history prior to the examination  Yes  No

I certify that I have examined the applicant in accordance with the medical standards as required in "Assessing Fitness to Drive for Commercial and Private Vehicle Drivers March 2012" (commercial standard).

In My Opinion the applicant, NAME

**Meets** the relevant medical criteria for an **unconditional** licence and requires no further assessments. Please note applicants requiring the use of visual aids **do not meet** the medical criteria for an **unconditional** licence

**Does not** meet the medical criteria for a **conditional** or an **unconditional** licence

*Record which criteria are not meet and other relevant medical information*

**Does not** meet the medical criteria for an **unconditional** licence but is considered for a **conditional** licence (as below):

1. Criteria not met and other relevant medical details

2. Proposed restrictions to licence (if appropriate)

3. Suggestions for management and periodic review interval

**Attach supporting documentation to this medical assessment. Information provided must include the opinion of an appropriate specialist.**

**Medical Practitioners Details (Please Print)**

Reporting Practitioners Name

Practice Name & address

Phone

Fax

Date of Examination

Signature

## **Applicant Information**

All applicants must undergo a medical fitness test no more than 6 months prior to making application. Payment for any medical costs is the responsibility of the applicant.

When making an appointment with your medical practitioner, you should advise the receptionist as it may take longer than a routine consultation.

If you wear spectacles, hearing aids etc, then you should bring them to the examination. You must also make the doctor aware of any medical condition which might impair your ability to work effectively as the driver of a vehicle transporting dangerous goods.

If you meet the medical criteria for an unconditional licence, this will be sufficient medical evidence.

If you do not meet the medical criteria for an unconditional licence your Doctor may recommend conditions and restrictions for a conditional licence.

You may need a report from a medical specialist to support these recommendations. If you are referred to a specialist you must obtain supporting information, and include this with your application.

**Withdrawal of Licence** - If WorkSafe Tasmania does not issue you a licence on the basis of this medical report, you may apply again when you can provide medical evidence that indicates you have met the national medical standards. You also have the right to appeal.

## **Medical Practitioner Information**

The examination must be conducted in accordance with the national medical standards for commercial vehicle drivers described in *Assessing Fitness to Drive - Medical Standards* published by Austroads and the National Road Transport Commission . This publication is available from your State or Territory Driver Licensing Authority or on the Internet at [www.austroads.com.au](http://www.austroads.com.au)

You may extend the examination where a medical examination or procedure is considered clinically appropriate, but you must advise the applicant of any extra cost.

The following is to be completed:

- DG1 Form GF131 (Page 3 Medical Assessment) : Application for a Dangerous Goods Driver Licence. Original to be provided to applicant, and a copy kept on the applicant's medical record.
- DG2 Form : Questionnaire/Medical Examination for a Dangerous Goods Licence. Original to be retained on the applicant's medical record.

If the applicant does not meet the medical criteria for an unconditional licence, you may consider conditions/restrictions for a conditional licence (e.g. corrective lenses, hearing aids, regular medical assessment, no night driving, restricted driving times, additional mirrors).

The opinion of a medical specialist is generally required to support recommendations made for a conditional licence. If required the applicant should be referred to the appropriate specialist for review.

A specialist report should include the applicant's details, specialist details, and an assessment of the applicant with a finding in regard to a conditional licence.

Only information relevant to the applicant's fitness to drive should be forwarded to WorkSafe Tasmania