

**U.S. Department of Justice**  
 Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

# Application to Register as an Importer of U.S. Munitions Import List Articles

*(Section 38, Arms Export Control Act of 1976) (See Instructions on reverse)*

**For ATF Use Only**

Registration Number	Expiration Date
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The undersigned hereby makes Application to Register as an Importer of U.S. Munitions Import List (*USMIL*) articles as required by Section 38, Arms Export Control Act of 1976.

1. Name and Full Address ( <i>Include ZIP Code</i> )	2. Telephone Number ( <i>Include area code</i> )	3. Current AECA Registration Number
		4. E-Mail Address ( <i>required</i> )

5. Request to Register for: (*Check one, submit payment via pay.gov*) (*See Instruction 2*).

1 Year - Fee <input type="checkbox"/>	2 Year - Fee <input type="checkbox"/>	3 Year - Fee <input type="checkbox"/>	4 Year - Fee <input type="checkbox"/>	5 Year - Fee <input type="checkbox"/>
is \$250.00	is \$500.00	is \$700.00	is \$850.00	is \$1,000.00

6. Applicant Is: (*Check one*)

Individual  Partnership  Corporation  Other (*specify*)  \_\_\_\_\_

7. Date and place of incorporation or commencement of business:

8. Federal Firearms License ( <i>If any</i> )			9. Special ( <i>occupational</i> ) Tax Stamp ( <i>If any</i> )	
License Number	Type of License	Expiration Date	Stamp Number	Class

10. List below the information required for each responsible person in the applicant business. At least one responsible person must reside in the United States. If a female, list given names and maiden name. (*e.g., "Mary Alice (Smith) Jones" not "Mrs. John Jones"*) (*If additional space is needed, use a separate sheet.*)

Full Name, Position, and Home Address	Place of Birth ( <i>POB</i> ) and Date of Birth ( <i>DOB</i> )
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	DOB
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	DOB

11. Describe the specific activity the applicant is engaged in, or intends to engage in, which requires registration under the Arms Export Control Act.

12. USMIL articles *intending to import*. (*Specify USMIL Categories from 27 CFR Part 447.21*)

13. Purpose of importing USMIL articles	14. Percentage of USMIL articles that is for the U.S. Government
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I declare under the penalties provided by law that this request for registration as an importer of USMIL articles, and its supporting documents were examined by me, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, correct, and complete.

15. Signature	16. Title	17. Date
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**Approval (For ATF Use Only)**

18. Signature of Director, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives	19. Date
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Additional Responsible Persons

Full Name, Position, and Home Address	Place of Birth ( <i>POB</i> ) and Date of Birth ( <i>DOB</i> )
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## Instructions

1. Pursuant to Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act of 1976, persons engaged in the business of importing articles on the USMIL are required to register on the Application to Register as an Importer of U.S. Munitions Import List (*USMIL*) Articles - ATF Form 4587 (5330.4).
2. This form must be completed via [pay.gov](https://pay.gov). Type "ATF Form 4587" in the search bar and the link to the application will appear.
3. Item 5 shows the fee schedule that is prescribed by 27 CFR Part 447.
4. If the application is approved, the Director will return an approved electronic copy to the applicant and retain the original electronic submission.
5. After registration, importation of USMIL articles must be effected in accordance with the procedures set forth in 27 CFR Parts 447, 478 and 479, which provides for the use of ATF Form 6 Part I (5330.3A), Application and Permit for Importation of Firearms, Ammunition and Defense Articles, and Form 6A (5330.3C), Release and Receipt of Imported Firearms, Ammunition and Defense Articles.
6. Federal Firearms License (*FFL*) (Item 8) - A FFL is a license issued by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives pursuant to Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code (*U.S.C.*) and 27 CFR Part 478. Any person engaged in the business of importing firearms or ammunition as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 921(a) must be licensed under the provisions of 27 CFR Part 478.
7. Special (*occupational*) tax stamp (*SOT*) (Item 9) - This is a stamp issued by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives pursuant to registration required by the National Firearms Act, 26 U.S.C. Chapter 53, and 27 CFR Part 479. Any person engaged in the business of importing firearms that falls within the definition of 26 U.S.C. § 5845 (a) must also register and pay an SOT pursuant to 27 CFR Part 479.
8. U.S. Munitions Import List (*USMIL*)- The USMIL includes defense articles and defense services, designated pursuant to section 38(a) of the Arms Export Control Act, 22 U.S.C. 2778(a), and E.O. 13637, that are subject to controls.
9. Responsible Person - In addition to sole proprietor, a Responsible Person is, in the case of a Corporation, Partnership, or Association, any individual possessing, directly or indirectly, the power to direct or cause the direction of the management, policies, and practices of the Corporation, Partnership, or Association, insofar as they pertain to firearms, ammunition and defense articles.

## Definitions

6. Federal Firearms License (*FFL*) (Item 8) - A FFL is a license issued by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives pursuant to Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code

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## Privacy Act Information

The following information is provided pursuant to Sections 3 and 7(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. § 552a(e)(3)):

1. **Authority.** Solicitation of this information is made pursuant to Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act of 1976, as amended (22 U.S.C. § 2778). Disclosure of this information by the applicant is mandatory if the applicant desires to import USMIL articles.
2. **Purpose.** To collect the appropriate fee and to effect registration as an importer under the Arms Export Control Act.
3. **Routine uses.** This information is used by ATF to aid in its law enforcement activities with respect to the regulation of firearms and ammunition. This information may also be disclosed to other Federal, State, foreign and local law enforcement and regulatory agency personnel, to verify information on the application, and to aid in the performance of their duties with respect to the regulation of firearms and ammunition. Information may also be disclosed to the Department of State in connection with its duties and responsibilities in the area of foreign affairs. Collected information may further be disclosed to the Department of Justice if it appears that the furnishing of false information may constitute a violation of Federal law.
4. **Effects of Not Supplying Information.** Failure to supply complete information will delay processing and may cause denial of an application.
5. **Disclosure of Social Security Number (SSN).** Disclosure of the individual's SSN is voluntary. Solicitation of this information is pursuant to 22 U.S.C. § 2778. The number may be used to verify the individual's identity.

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## Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

This request is in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This information collection is mandatory pursuant to 22 U.S.C. § 2778. The purpose of this information collection is to allow ATF (1) to determine if the registrant qualifies to engage in the business of importing a firearm(s), ammunition, and the defense articles, and (2) to facilitate the collection of registration fees.

The estimated average burden associated with this collection of information is 30 minutes per respondent or recordkeeper, depending on individual circumstances. Comments concerning the accuracy of this burden estimate and suggestions for reducing this burden should be addressed to Reports Management Officer, Resource Management Staff, Contract and Forms Office, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, 99 New York Ave, N.E., Washington, DC 20226.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget control number.