

**SOUTH AUSTRALIA**  
**APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE TO OPERATE IONISING**  
**RADIATION APPARATUS (SECTION 31)**  
*RADIATION PROTECTION AND CONTROL ACT 1982*



When completing this form PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

**PERSONAL DETAILS**

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Given names \_\_\_\_\_  
Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_  
Previous name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender  Male  Female  
Correspondence Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Postcode \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Details: Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

**EMPLOYMENT DETAILS**

Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Postcode \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Principal business activity of employer \_\_\_\_\_

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Receipt No.	.....	License No.	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Presc. Quals.	.....	Condition	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Exam Info.	.... / .... / ....	RPC	.... / .... / ....
Results	.... / .... / ....	Full Appr.	.... / .... / ....
Temp. Appr.	.... / .... / ....		

## TYPE OF WORK

Describe the work performed with apparatus (give details of the type of radiography or X-ray analysis that you intend carrying out).

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Have you performed the above type of work in the last five years? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously held a licence to operate ionising radiation apparatus in South Australia? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, state licence number \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICANT'S QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING IN RADIATION PROTECTION

A licence may be granted if an applicant has certain qualifications (please refer to page 4), or has passed an examination relevant to the type of licence sought.

- I have enclosed copies of the relevant qualifications listed on page 4.

If you do not have the required qualifications, a licence may be issued on successful completion of an examination.

Alternatively, a licence may be granted if the Minister is satisfied that the applicant's particular circumstances warrant the granting of a licence as a special case. The Radiation Protection Committee, which considers special cases, meets approximately every three months.

- I wish to have my application considered as a special case. My reasons are (enclose additional pages if required):

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## DETAILS OF PRIOR RADIATION PROTECTION CONVICTIONS

Have you ever been convicted of an offence under any radiation protection legislation? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please give details \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had a licence (or an application for a licence) to operate radiation apparatus or to use or handle a radioactive substance refused, suspended or cancelled by any radiation licensing authority? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please give details \_\_\_\_\_

**DECLARATION:**

I hereby declare that the information provided on this form and in support of this application is to the best of my knowledge complete and true in every particular.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PENALTY FOR PROVIDING FALSE INFORMATION: UP TO \$10,000**

NOTE: This form does not constitute a legal application unless it has been properly completed and signed, and is accompanied by the appropriate fee. The form and fee will be returned by mail if insufficient information is provided.

**FEEES**

Application fee (non refundable)	\$67.50
Annual licence fee	\$67.50

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<b>TOTAL FEE PAYABLE</b>	<b>\$135.00</b> <i>(Effective until 30 June 2009)</i>
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This form can be lodged in person at: 103 King William Street  
KENT TOWN SA 5067

Or by post to: Environment Protection Authority  
Radiation Protection Division  
PO Box 721, KENT TOWN SA 5071

Cheques should be made payable to: Environment Protection Authority

For credit card payment please complete the details below

Cardholder's name .....	<input type="checkbox"/> Visa	<input type="checkbox"/> Bankcard	<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> Amex
Card no .....	Expiry date .....			
Amount of payment \$ .....	Cardholder's signature .....			
Telephone no .....				
Credit card payment only accepted within agreed trading terms				

**Enquiries:** Radiation Protection Division  
Tel: 8130 0700  
Fax: 8130 0777

Environment Protection Authority  
ABN 85 393 411 003  
This licence is GST exempt

## Application for a licence to operate ionising radiation apparatus—required documents

Applicants must enclose copies of the documents specified below, or bring the original documents to the Radiation Protection Division. **Do not send original documents.**

Profession/type of work	Required documents
Borehole loggers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current SA radioactive substances licence for borehole logging, or</li> <li>Current WA borehole logging licence (the applicant will need to pass an examination on SA regulations)</li> </ul> <p>All other applicants will need to pass the Division's full examination</p>
Chiropractors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current SA Chiropractors Board registration certificate, and</li> <li>Proof of graduation from Macquarie University or RMIT University</li> </ul> <p>If not a graduate of the above universities, the applicant will need to pass the Division's examinations in order to gain a licence (examination fees apply)</p>
Dentists (intra-oral films)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current SA Dental Board Registration certificate</li> </ul>
Dentists (intra-oral films, OPGs and cephalometry)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current SA Dental Board Registration certificate and, either</li> <li>Proof of University of Adelaide graduation within the last 5 years, or</li> <li>DAECA certificate of radiography using OPG x-ray units within the last 3 years</li> </ul> <p>In addition, a licence allowing the use of an OPG/cephalometric X-ray unit will only be granted if employed at a practice with an OPG/cephalometric X-ray unit</p>
Dental assistants, therapists & hygienists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DAECA certificate for radiography using intra-oral films within last 5 years, and/or</li> <li>DAECA certificate for radiography using OPG X-ray units within the last 3 years</li> <li>Certificate in Dental Assisting (Dental Radiography)—course conducted by TAFE SA</li> </ul> <p>In addition, a licence allowing the use of an OPG X-ray unit will only be granted if employed at a practice with an OPG X-ray unit</p>
Diagnostic radiographers	Current statement of accreditation from the Australian Institute of Radiography
General practitioners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Completion of SA, WA, VIC, NSW or QLD remote and rural X-ray operators course within the last 3 years, and</li> <li>Current Medical Board registration</li> </ul>
Medical physicists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current ACPSEM accreditation in radiation oncology medical physics, or</li> <li>MSc or PhD degree in a field related to medical physics (applicants will need to pass an examination on SA regulations)</li> </ul> <p>All other applicants will need to pass the Division's full examination</p>
Medical specialists	Completion of a training program approved by the Division within the last 5 years
Nuclear medicine technologists (DEXA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ANZBMS course certificate, or</li> <li>Pass the Division's examination</li> </ul>

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Nuclear medicine technologists (SPECT/CT)	Completion of a training program approved by the Division within the last 5 years
Nuclear medicine technologists (PET/CT)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of University of Sydney course 'CT for nuclear medicine technologists' within the last 5 years, and</li> <li>• One-week training course with PET/CT manufacturer within the last 5 years, and</li> <li>• Clinical attachment at multi-slice CT Department within the last 5 years</li> </ul>
Radiation oncologists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current registration with SA Medical Board, and</li> <li>• Current membership of FRANZCR</li> </ul>
Radiology registrars	Enrolment in the RANZCR registrar program
Radiographers (industrial)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ATTAR NDT radiation safety course [2007 onwards]</li> <li>• ATTAR NDT radiation safety course [2001-2006] or full WA industrial radiography licence (the applicant will need to pass an examination on SA regulations)</li> </ul> <p>All other applicants will need to pass the Division's full examination</p>
Radiation therapists	Current statement of accreditation from the Australian Institute of Radiography
Registered nurses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of SA, WA, VIC, NSW or QLD remote and rural X-ray operators course within the last 3 years, and</li> <li>• Current Nurses Board registration</li> </ul>
Radiologists	Current registration with RANZCR
Veterinarians	Current SA Veterinary Board Registration certificate
Other professions or types of work	Pass an examination set by the Division