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**THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

**TOWN OF SOUTHBRIDGE APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO BUY, SELL, EXCHANGE OR  
ASSEMBLE SECOND HAND MOTOR VEHICLES OR PARTS THEREOF**

I, the undersigned, duly authorized by the concern herein mentioned hereby, apply for a  
CLASS \_\_\_ license, to buy sell exchange or assemble second hand motor vehicles or parts thereof, in  
accordance with the provisions of Chapter 140 of the General Laws.

Name under which business is operated: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of establishment: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Is the above concern an individual, co-partnership, an association or a corporation? \_\_\_\_\_

If an individual, state full name and residential address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

If a co-partnership, state the full name of all owners, residential address and their interest in the  
establishment \_\_\_\_\_

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If an association or a corporation, list names and addresses of principal officers:

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you engaged principally in the business of buying, selling or exchanging motor vehicles: \_\_\_\_\_

If so, is your principal business the sale of new motor vehicles? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your principal business the buying and selling of second-hand motor vehicles? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your principal business that of a motor vehicle junk dealer? \_\_\_\_\_

Give a complete description of all the premises to be used for the purpose of operating the business

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Are you a recognized agent of a motor vehicle manufacturer? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, state the name of the manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_

Have you signed a contract as required by Section 58, Class I? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever applied for a license to deal in second hand motor vehicles or parts thereof? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, name of city and town: \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive the license? \_\_\_\_\_ What years were you licensed? \_\_\_\_\_

Has any license issued to you in Massachusetts or any other state to deal in motor vehicles or parts thereof ever been suspended or revoked? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, reason of suspension or revocation \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE**

**IMPORTANT: EVERY QUESTION MUST BE ANSWERED WITH FULL INFORMATION. FALSE STATEMENTS HERIN MAY RESULT IN THE REJECTION OF YOUR APPLICATION OR THE SUBSEQUENT REVOCATION OR YOUR LICENSE IF ISSUED.**

**TOWN OF SOUTHBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 01550**

**ATTESTATION CLAUSE**

Pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 62C, Section 49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that I, to the best of my knowledge and belief, have filed all state tax returns and paid all state taxes required by law.

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**SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER OR EIN**

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**SIGNATURE OF INDIVIDUAL OR CORPORATE OFFICER**

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**DATE**

CHAPTER 140 OF THE GENERAL LAWS, TER.ED., WITH AMENDMENTS THERETO (EXTRACT)

Section 57. No one person, except one whose principal business is the manufacture and sale of a new motor vehicles but who incidentally acquires and sells second hand vehicles, or a person whose principal business is financing the purchase of or insuring motor vehicles but who incidentally acquires and sells second hand vehicles, shall engage in the business of buying, selling, exchanging or assembling second hand vehicles or parts thereof without securing a license as provided in section fifty-nine. This section shall apply to any person engaged in the business of conducting auctions for the sale of motor vehicles.

Section 58. Licenses granted under the following section shall be classified as follows:

Class 1. Any person who is a recognized agent of a motor vehicle manufacturer or a seller of motor vehicles made by such a manufacturer whose authority to sell the same is created by a written contract with such manufacturer or with some person authorized in writing by such manufacturer to enter into such contract, and whose principal business is the same of new motor vehicles, the purchase and sale of second hand motor vehicles being incidental or secondary thereto, may be granted an agent's or a seller's license; provided, that with respect to second hand motor vehicles purchased for the purpose of sale or exchange and not taken in trade for new motor vehicles, such dealer shall be subject to all provisions of this chapter and of rules and regulations made in accordance therewith applicable to holders of licenses of Class 2.

Class 2. Any person whose principal business is the buying or selling of second-hand motor vehicles may be granted a used car dealer's license.

Class 3. Any person whose principal business is the buying of second-hand motor vehicles for the purpose of remodeling, taking apart or rebuilding the same, or the buying or selling of parts of second-hand motor vehicles or tires, or the assembling of second-hand motor vehicle parts, may be granted a motor vehicle junk license.

Section 59. The police commissioner in Boston and the licensing authorities in other cities and towns may grant licenses under this section which shall expire on January first following the date of issue unless sooner revoked. The fees for the licenses shall be fixed by the licensing board or officer, but in no event shall any such fee be greater than \$200. Application for license shall be made in such form as shall be approved by the registrar of motor vehicles, in sections fifty-nine to sixty-six, inclusive, called the registrar, and if the applicant has not held a license in the year prior to such application, such application shall be made in duplicate, which duplicate shall be filed with the registrar. No such license shall be granted unless the licensing board or officer is satisfied from an investigation of the facts stated in the application and any other information which they may require of the applicant, that he is a proper person to engage in the business specified in section fifty-eight in the classifications for which he has applied, that said business is or will be his principal business, and that he has available a place of business suitable for the purpose. The license shall specify all the premises to be occupied by the licensee for the purpose of carrying on the licensed business. Permits for a change of situation of the licensed premises or for additions thereto may be granted at any time by the licensing board or officer in writing, a copy of which shall be attached to the license. Cities and towns by ordinance or by-law may regulate the situation of the premises of licensees within class 3 as defined in section fifty-eight, and all licenses and permits issued hereunder to persons within said class 3 shall be subject to the provisions of ordinances and by-laws which are hereby authorized to be made. No original license or permit shall be issued hereunder to a person within said class 3 until after a hearing, of which seven days' notice shall have been given to the owners of the property abutting on the premises where such license or permit is proposed to be exercised. Except in the city of Boston, the licensing board or officer may, in its discretion, waive the annual hearing for renewal of a class 3 license. All licenses granted under this section shall be revoked by the licensing board or officer if it appears, after hearing, that the licensee is not complying with sections fifty-seven to sixty-nine, inclusive, or the rules and regulations made thereunder; and no new license shall be granted to such person thereafter, nor to any person for use on the same premises, without the approval of the registrar. The hearing may be dispensed with if the registrar notifies the licensing board or officer that a licensee is not so complying. In each case where such license is revoked, the licensing board or officer shall forthwith notify the registrar of such revocation. Any person aggrieved by any action of the licensing board or officer refusing to grant, or revoking a license for any cause may, within ten days after such action, appeal therefrom to any justice of the superior court in the county in which the premises sought to be occupied under the license or permit applied for are located. The justice shall, after such notice to the parties as he deems reasonable, give a summary hearing on such appeal, and shall have jurisdiction in equity to review all questions of fact or law and may affirm or reverse the decision of the board or officer and may make any appropriate decree. The parties shall have all rights of appeal as in other cases.

**OFFICE USE ONLY – DEPT. APPROVALS**

POLICE Chief YES NO \_\_\_\_\_ Initials      POLICE Presence Req? YES NO  
FIRE Inspector YES NO \_\_\_\_\_ Initials      Cert.Crowd Control Req? YES NO  
HEALTH Permits Req? YES NO      HEALTH Dept. Approved YES NO \_\_\_\_\_ Initials  
BLDG. Permits Req? YES NO      BLDG. Inspect Approved? YES NO \_\_\_\_\_ Initials

Dept. Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER/LICENSING AUTHORITY**

APPLICATION AFTER INVESTIGATION:      APPROVED      DENIED

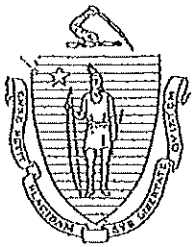
CLASS I II III LICENSE      LICENSE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

FEE: \_\_\_\_\_      DATE PAID \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER ACTION: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE - TOWN MANAGER/LICENSING AUTHORITY

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 Department of Industrial Accidents  
 Office of Investigations  
 1 Congress Street, Suite 100  
 Boston, MA 02114-2017  
 www.mass.gov/dia

Workers' Compensation Insurance Affidavit: General Businesses

Applicant Information

Please Print Legibly

Business/Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an employer? Check the appropriate box:

- 1.  I am an employer with \_\_\_\_\_ employees (full and/or part-time).\*
- 2.  I am a sole proprietor or partnership and have no employees working for me in any capacity. [No workers' comp. insurance required]
- 3.  We are a corporation and its officers have exercised their right of exemption per c. 152, §1(4), and we have no employees. [No workers' comp. insurance required]\*\*
- 4.  We are a non-profit organization, staffed by volunteers, with no employees. [No workers' comp. insurance req.]

Business Type (required):

- 5.  Retail
- 6.  Restaurant/Bar/Bating Establishment
- 7.  Office and/or Sales (incl. real estate, auto, etc.)
- 8.  Non-profit
- 9.  Entertainment
- 10.  Manufacturing
- 11.  Health Care
- 12.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

\*Any applicant that checks box #1 must also fill out the section below showing their workers' compensation policy information.

\*\*If the corporate officers have exempted themselves, but the corporation has other employees, a workers' compensation policy is required and such an organization should check box #1.

*I am an employer that is providing workers' compensation insurance for my employees. Below is the policy information.*

Insurance Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurer's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # or Self-ins. Lic. # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a copy of the workers' compensation policy declaration page (showing the policy number and expiration date).

Failure to secure coverage as required under Section 25A of MGL c. 152 can lead to the imposition of criminal penalties of a fine up to \$1,500.00 and/or one-year imprisonment, as well as civil penalties in the form of a STOP WORK ORDER and a fine of up to \$250.00 a day against the violator. Be advised that a copy of this statement may be forwarded to the Office of Investigations of the DIA for insurance coverage verification.

*I do hereby certify, under the pains and penalties of perjury that the information provided above is true and correct.*

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

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Official use only. Do not write in this area, to be completed by city or town official.

City or Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Permit/License # \_\_\_\_\_

Issuing Authority (circle one):

- 1. Board of Health 2. Building Department 3. City/Town Clerk 4. Licensing Board 5. Selectmen's Office
- 6. Other \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

# Information and Instructions

Massachusetts General Laws chapter 152 requires all employers to provide workers' compensation for their employees. Pursuant to this statute, an *employee* is defined as "...every person in the service of another under any contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written."

An *employer* is defined as "an individual, partnership, association, corporation or other legal entity, or any two or more of the foregoing engaged in a joint enterprise, and including the legal representatives of a deceased employer, or the receiver or trustee of an individual, partnership, association or other legal entity, employing employees. However, the owner of a dwelling house having not more than three apartments and who resides therein, or the occupant of the dwelling house of another who employs persons to do maintenance, construction or repair work on such dwelling house or on the grounds or building appurtenant thereto shall not because of such employment be deemed to be an employer."

MGL chapter 152, §25C(6) also states that "every state or local licensing agency shall withhold the issuance or renewal of a license or permit to operate a business or to construct buildings in the commonwealth for any applicant who has not produced acceptable evidence of compliance with the insurance coverage required." Additionally, MGL chapter 152, §25C(7) states "Neither the commonwealth nor any of its political subdivisions shall enter into any contract for the performance of public work until acceptable evidence of compliance with the insurance requirements of this chapter have been presented to the contracting authority."

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## Applicants

Please fill out the workers' compensation affidavit completely, by checking the boxes that apply to your situation and, if necessary, supply your insurance company's name, address and phone number along with a certificate of insurance. Limited Liability Companies (LLC) or Limited Liability Partnerships (LLP) with no employees other than the members or partners, are not required to carry workers' compensation insurance. If an LLC or LLP does have employees, a policy is required. Be advised that this affidavit may be submitted to the Department of Industrial Accidents for confirmation of insurance coverage. Also be sure to sign and date the affidavit. The affidavit should be returned to the city or town that the application for the permit or license is being requested, not the Department of Industrial Accidents. Should you have any questions regarding the law or if you are required to obtain a workers' compensation policy, please call the Department at the number listed below. Self-insured companies should enter their self-insurance license number on the appropriate line.

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## City or Town Officials

Please be sure that the affidavit is complete and printed legibly. The Department has provided a space at the bottom of the affidavit for you to fill out in the event the Office of Investigations has to contact you regarding the applicant. Please be sure to fill in the permit/license number which will be used as a reference number. In addition, an applicant that must submit multiple permit/license applications in any given year, need only submit one affidavit indicating current policy information (if necessary). A copy of the affidavit that has been officially stamped or marked by the city or town may be provided to the applicant as proof that a valid affidavit is on file for future permits or licenses. A new affidavit must be filled out each year. Where a home owner or citizen is obtaining a license or permit not related to any business or commercial venture (i.e. a dog license or permit to burn leaves etc.) said person is NOT required to complete this affidavit.

The Office of Investigations would like to thank you in advance for your cooperation and should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give us a call.

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The Department's address, telephone and fax number:

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