



Application for an Electrician's Licence
 (Overseas Applicants issued an Offshore Technical Skills Record)

Complete this form only when applying for a licence to carry out electrical installing work and have been issued an Offshore Technical Skills Record.

Please print neatly in BLOCK LETTERS with a black or blue pen only

All applications must be sent by Australia Post or lodged in person at the Licensing Office

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Applicant Details

Title: Mr Mrs Ms Miss

Surname: _____

Given Names: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Provide details of current residential address

Residential Address: _____

Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

If same as above address, write "as above"

Postal Address: _____

Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Provide email address details if available

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Mobile Phone: _____ Facsimile: _____

Email: _____

Sign and date before submitting application

Declaration

In accordance with regulation 59 of the *Electricity (Licensing) Regulations 1991*, I declare that the information in this application or any documentation attached by me is complete and true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

All required information is to be submitted for this application to be accepted

Application Checklist – Please check:

This application must be accompanied by the following:

- A non-refundable application fee of \$39.00
- One year permit fee of \$70.00
- Proof of identification in accordance with the attached Fact Sheet
- An **Offshore Technical Skills Record** issued by VETASSESS or Victoria University
- Statement of Attainment** (Canberra Institute of Technology applicants only)

Once your application is received, you will be issued a permit to work under supervision to enable you to gain on-the-job experience under Australian conditions while undertaking the Gap Training at an approved Registered Training Organisation.

When you have completed successfully the Gap Training and been issued your Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician you will be eligible to be issued an 'Electrician's Licence' on paying the five-yearly Registration Fee.

Credit card details submitted as payment remain confidential at all times

Payment Details

- Cash payment (please do not send cash through Australian Post)
- Cheque enclosed (made payable to Department of Commerce)
- Credit Card payment MasterCard Visa

Please Note: Application forms with credit card payment authorities can only be sent by Australia Post to EnergySafety PO Box 135 Cannington WA 6987 and are not to be sent by email or facsimile.

Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____ Expiry Date /

Cardholder's Name: _____ Amount \$
(PLEASE PRINT)

Cardholder's Signature: _____

Fact Sheet

Proof of identity of applicants for an electrical or gas worker's licence

March 2009

The Licensing Office of EnergySafety WA maintains a database of licensed electrical and gas operatives and ensures that the information is accurate and confidential, protecting operatives against the possible fraudulent use of their name.

Applicants for an electrical or gas worker's licence in Western Australia must prove their identity. This fact sheet explains the requirements for an applicant to prove his or her identity.

Before an electrical or gas worker's licence will be issued, applicants must prove their identity by presenting as many documents from the following lists so as to score a minimum of 100 points. The documentation provided may be a photocopy of the original document.

At least one document provided must show the signature of the applicant.

Name of the signatory verified from one of the following:

70 POINTS

- Birth Certificate / Birth Card issued by the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages
- Australian Citizenship Certificate
- International Travel Document / Current Passport
- Expired passport which has not been cancelled and was current within the preceding 2 years
- Other document of identity having the same characteristics as a passport (E.g. this may include some diplomatic documents and some documents issued to refugees)

Note: Additional points cannot be scored for more than one document.

Name of signatory verified from one of the following (but only where they **contain a photograph or signature** that can be matched to the signatory)

40 POINTS

- A licence or permit issued under a law of the Commonwealth, a State or Territory.
- An identification card issued to a public employee (with photo or signature)
- An identification card issued by the Commonwealth, a State or Territory as evidence of the person's entitlement to a financial benefit (with photo or signature)
- An identification card issued to a student at a secondary or tertiary education institution (with photo or signature)
- Australian drivers licence

Name and Address of signatory verified from any of the following:

35 POINTS

- Document verifying employment (A current employer, or a previous employer within the last 2 years)
- Document from a rating authority (e.g. land rates)

Name of signatory verified from any of the following:

25 POINTS

- Marriage Certificate (for maiden name only)
- Council Rates Notice
- Telephone Account
- Medicare Card
- Records of Public Utility
- Transperth Smartrider cards (for students only)

Name and Date of Birth verified from any of the following:

25 POINTS

- Records of primary, secondary or tertiary educational institution attended by the signatory within the last 10 years.
- Records of a professional or trade association of which the signatory is a member.
- Proof of Age Card
- Foreign Driver's Licence

