



POISONS ACT 1972

SECTION 5 AND 6  
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LIST OF PERSONS ENTITLED TO SELL NON MEDICINAL  
POISONS IN PART 11 OF THE LIST  
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NOTICE that Application is necessary for retention on the above list of persons,  
with form of application

To:

DATE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that if you wish to have your name retained on the above List of Persons in respect of the premises referred to above for the year ending **2008/2009** it will be necessary to make an application to the above authority. An application form is below. For retention on the list please complete the form and return it with the prescribed fee of **£73.00**.

Signed.....  
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MANAGER

Address:  
(To which communications should be sent)  
Business Support Team  
2 Herne Hill Road, London, SE24 0AU



**Lambeth**

**APPLICATION FORM**

TO THE LONDON BOROUGH OF LAMBETH

I/WE.....

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Hereby apply to you to retain my/our name(s) on the above list of persons during the year

ending....., in respect of the premises .....

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I/we enclose a cheque/PO for the prescribed fee for retention on the list for the year 2008/2009.

**DATED**.....

**SIGNED**.....

**ADDRESS**.....



LONDON BOROUGH OF LAMBETH

Poisons Act 1972 Registration

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete columns 2 and 3 and sign at the end

Column 1	Column 2 Stored for sale (tick)	Product Trade
<b>ALIDCRAB</b>		
<b>ALPHA-CHLORALOSE</b> Ammonia		
<b>ARSENIC, compounds of the following:-</b> Calcium arsenites Copper acetoarsenite Copper arsenates Copper arsenites Lead arsenates		
<b>Barium, salt of the following:-</b> Barium carbonate Barium silicofluoride		
<b>Carbofuran</b>		
<b>Cycloheximide</b>		
<b>Dinitroresols (DNOC); their compounds with a metal or a base</b>		
<b>Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base</b>		
<b>Dinoterb</b>		
<b>Drazoxolon; its salts</b>		
<b>Endosulfan</b>		
<b>Endothal; its salts</b>		
<b>Fentin, compounds of</b>		
Formaldehyde		
Formic Acid		
Hydrochloric Acid		
Hydrofluoric acid; Alkali metal bifluorides; Ammonium bifluoride; Alkali metal fluorides; Ammonium fluoride; Sodium silicofluoride		
<b>Mercuric Chloride;</b> Mercuric iodide Organic compounds of mercury except compounds which contain a methyl (CH <sub>3</sub> ) group directly linked to the mercury atom		
Metallic oxalates		
<b>Methomyl</b>		
<b>Nicotine; its salts</b> its quaternary compound		
Nitric acid		
Nitrobenzene		
<b>Oxamyl</b>		
<b>Paraquat, salts of</b>		

Column 1	Column 2 Stored for sale (tick)	Product Trade
<b>Phenols</b> (as defined in Part I of this list) in substances containing less than sixty per cent, weight in weight, of phenols; compounds of phenols with a metal in substance containing less than the equivalent of sixty percent, weight in weight, of phenols		
Phosphoric acid		
<b>Phosphorus compounds, the following:-</b> <b>Azinphos-methyl, chlorfenvinphos, demephion, demeton-S-methyl, demeton-S-methyl sulphone, dialifos, dichlorvos, dioxathion, disulfoton, fonofos, mecarbam mephosfolan, methidathion, mevinphos, omethoate, oxydemeton-methyl, parathion, phenkapton, phorate, phosphamidon, pirimiphos-ethyl, quinalphos, thiometon, thionazin, triazophos, vamidothion</b>		
Potassium hydroxide		
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda)		
Sodium nitrite		
Sulphuric acid		
<b>Thiofanox</b>		
<b>Zinc phosphide</b>		

I declare that the above is a full list of all the poisons that are stored for sale on the premises. I understand that this is without prejudice to the duties for safe labelling and handling contained in the Health and Safety at work etc., Act 1974, and the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: The poisons shown in bold type are to be found in both Part 2 of the Poisons List and Schedule 1 of the Poison Rules.**

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**OFFICE USE - SUMMARY OF ACTION**

**Part 1 Poisons List:** No action required.

**Part 2 Poisons List:** Send forms, poisons list and info sheet.

Upon receipt of forms check that they have been completed correctly and the fee has been paid. Check that the poisons are solely Part 2 Poisons. Check that any quantities of Schedule 1 Poisons allowable under Part 2 are not exceeded. A premises inspection is only necessary for Part 2 Poisons if Schedule 1 poisons are included. If they are not and the foregoing is satisfactory, the licence can be issued.

**Schedule 1 of the Poisons Rules:** As above and then follow the procedure shown on the attached sheet.

POISONS ACT RULES 1982

Poisons are divided into three categories

<u>Part 1 of the Poisons List</u>	<u>Part 2 of the Poisons List</u>	<u>Schedule 1 of the Poison Rules</u>
	The public is more likely to require access to these. They also have more retail outlets	Almost all of these are pesticides. Also included are substances from both Part 1 and Part 2 of the Poisons List.
May only be sold in a pharmacy.	Can be sold in a pharmacy by, or under the supervision of, a pharmacist.	Can be sold in a pharmacy by, or under the supervision of, a pharmacist.
	And/or	And/or
No action required by local authority	By a person whose name is entered on a Local Authority's List. (listed seller)	By persons whose name is entered on a Local Authority's List (listed seller or a responsible deputy).

In order to be entered onto the list a person/retailer must:

- 1) Complete an official form and
  - 2) Pay a prescribed fee.
- Ensure that the poisons to be sold are solely Part 2 poisons.
  - Where applicable, ensure that the quantities of Schedule 1 poisons allowed under Part 2 are not exceeded. See attached list of quantities.

Under section s.3 (2) of the Act it is not lawful to sell a poison listed in **Schedule 1 of the Poisons Rules** unless one of the following conditions has been met:

- 1) The buyer has been certified by an authorised person OR
- 2) The buyer is known by the seller (or by a pharmacist on the premises) to be a person to whom the poison may properly be sold

**Record Keeping of Schedule 1 Poisons**

The retailer or pharmacist must enter each sale of a **Schedule 1 Poison** in a poison book.

The following information must be included:

- 1) the date of the sale
- 2) the name and address of the purchaser
- 3) the name and address of the person issuing a certificate (if applicable)
- 4) the name of the poison and the purpose for which it is required
- 5) the purchaser must sign the entry.

If the poison is to be used for trade or business purposes and the purchaser gives a signed order stating their name, address, business and the quantity and proposed use of the poison, the entry in the Poisons Book need only read "signed order" with a reference number

The book must be kept for 2 years after the date of the last entry.

### Storage of Schedule 1 Poisons

In shops, **Schedule 1** poisons must be stored either:

- 1) in a specially reserved cupboard or drawer, or
- 2) in a partitioned or separate area of the premises to which customers do not have access, or
- 3) on a shelf reserved for poisons

All poisons must be kept well away from food.

### Containers

The Poisons Rules contained a number of requirements relating to packing and labelling, which have now been replaced by the provisions of the appropriate Classification, Packaging and Labelling Regulation.

There are now only 2 remaining provisions specific to "POISONS":

- 1) Compressed hydrogen cyanide must be sold in a container labelled with the words "Warning. This container holds poisonous gas and should be opened and used by persons having expert knowledge of the precautions to be taken in this use."
- 2) Bottles containing 1.14 litres or less of any poison must be fluted vertically with ribs or grooves recognisable by touch. This does not apply to sales for export or for the purpose of scientific education, research or analysis.