

# Blackpool Council

## APPLICATION FOR THE NEW GRANT / RENEWAL / CHANGE OF NAME OF A PRIZE GAMING PERMIT

(FOR USE BY THOSE OCCUPYING / PROPOSING TO OCCUPY PREMISES  
WHERE FACILITIES FOR GAMING WITH PRIZES WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE)

**Applicant's Name:**



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Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

## Section A – What do you want to do?

Please Tick

a) Apply for a <b>NEW</b> prize gaming permit (If you choose this option then please complete sections B, D and E)	
b) Apply to <b>RENEW</b> a prize gaming permit (If you choose this option then please complete sections B, D and E)	
a) Request that the licensing authority changes the name on the permit due to the existing permit holder's change of name or wish to be known by another name (If you choose this option then please complete sections C, D and E)	

## Section B – Application for Grant (includes both new and renewal applications)

Current permit number and expiry date (renewal only)		
Are you aware of any premises licence, issued under the Gambling Act 2005, which exists in relation to the premises to which this application relates? If 'yes' please provide the premises licence number	YES	NO
Are you aware of any club gaming permit, issued under the Gambling Act 2005, which exists in relation to the premises to which this application relates? If 'yes' please provide the club gaming permit number	YES	NO

## Section C – Change of Name

What is the name of the holder of the existing permit?
What is the existing permit number?
What is the name change requested by the permit holder?
Why is this change of name being requested? (see guidance note 9)

## Section D – General Information

### Premises Details

Name of Premises										
Address of Premises										
						Post Code				
Telephone Number of Premises										

### Applicant Details

Title	Mr	Mrs	Miss	Ms	Other					
Forename(s)					Surname					
Home Address										
						Post Code				
Telephone Number (daytime)					Mobile Number					
E-Mail Address										

### Contact Details

Address for correspondence associated with this application (if different from above)										
Title	Mr	Mrs	Miss	Ms	Other					
Forename(s)					Surname					
Address For Correspondence Associated With This Application										
						Post Code				
Telephone Number					Mobile Number					
E-Mail Address										

Please specify the nature of the gaming for which the permit is sought (see guidance note 2)

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### Section E – Fee and Signature(s)

If yes please tick

- I enclose the fee of £.....  
(See guidance note 6. Cheques should be made payable to Blackpool Council.)
- I confirm that I occupy / propose to occupy the premises to which this application relates.
- I confirm that I am 18 years of age or older.

**Please note: It is an offence under section 342 of the Gambling Act 2005 if a person, without reasonable excuse, gives to a licensing authority for a purpose connected with that Act information which is false or misleading.**

<b>Signed</b>	
<b>Print Name</b>	
<b>Capacity</b>	
<b>Date</b>	

## Notes for Guidance

1. This form is to be used for an application for a grant, renewal or to request a change of name of a prize gaming permit under the Gambling Act 2005 Part 13 and Schedule 14.
2. This permit application is for prize gaming as defined in Section 288 Gambling Act 2005 as follows:  
“Gaming is prize gaming for the purposes of this Act if neither the nature nor the size of a prize played for is determined by reference to –  
(a) the number of persons playing; or  
(b) the amount paid for or raised by the gaming.”
3. A number of statutory conditions apply to prize gaming permits under Section 293 Gambling Act 2005 as follows:
  - I. The first condition is compliance with such limits as may be prescribed in respect of participation fees (and those limits may, in particular, relate to players, games or a combination; and different limits may be prescribed in respect of different classes or descriptions of fee).
  - II. The second condition is that –
    - a) all the chances to participate in a particular game must be acquired or allocated on one day and in the place where the game is played,
    - b) the game must be played entirely on that day, and
    - c) the result of the game must be made public – (i) in the place where the game is played, and (ii) as soon as is reasonably practicable after the game ends, and in any event on the day on which it is played.
  - III. The third condition is that a prize for which a game is played, or the aggregate of the prizes for which a game is played – (a) where all the prizes are money, must not exceed the prescribed amount, and (b) in any other case, must not exceed the prescribed value.
  - IV. The fourth condition is that participation in the game by a person does not entitle him or another person to participate in any other gambling (whether or not he or the other person would also have to pay in order to participate in the other gambling).
4. The ‘prescribed’ ‘amount’ and ‘value’ are set-out in regulations available via <http://www.opsi.gov.uk> or from the Gambling Commission’s website [www.gamblingcommission.gov.uk](http://www.gamblingcommission.gov.uk)
5. The permit’s duration is 10 years. A renewal application must be made 2 – 6 months before the expiry date of the permit (Schedule 14 paragraph 18 Gambling Act 2005).
6. The **fee** for a **new application** for grant is **£300**. The **fee** for a **renewal** is **£300**. The **fee** for a **change of name** is **£25**.
7. Applicants should be aware that this Licensing Authority has published a ‘Statement of Principles’ under Schedule 14 paragraph 8 (3) of the Gambling Act 2005 relating to prize gaming permits. The Statement is available via this authority’s website [www.blackpool.gov.uk](http://www.blackpool.gov.uk) or via a request made to the contact details provided on the front of this form.
8. The licensing authority must notify the applicant of its grant / refusal of the application for a permit as soon as is reasonably practicable after that decision to grant / refuse has been made.
9. These permits cannot be transferred. Change of name is only permitted where the permit holder changes his / her name or wishes to be known by another name (Schedule 14 paragraph 12(2)).
10. A Prize Gaming Permit authorises ‘prize gaming’ as defined at Section 288 Gambling Act 2005 which states:  
Gaming is prize gaming for the purposes of this Act if neither the nature nor the size of a prize played for is determined by reference to –
  - (a) the number of persons playing, or
  - (b) the amount paid for or raised by the gaming.