



IMPORTING WEAPONS—POLICE CERTIFICATION TEST

One of the tests applicable to certain weapons is the police certification test. This test allows the importation of certain weapons on presentation of a *B709B Form—Importation of Weapons—Police Certification*.

OBTAINING A B709B FORM

You must contact your State or Territory Police Firearms/Weapons Registry to make an application for a *B709B Form—Importation of Weapons—Police Certification*. This form is completed by the relevant officer within the Police registry and is a serial numbered, accountable form that is valid for one importation only.

Before the Police issue a B709B Form, you may be required to obtain a relevant State or Territory licence; the Police will advise you if this is a requirement.

If you are successful in obtaining a B709B Form, you must present the original to Customs and Border Protection when the goods are imported into Australia.

HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO GET A B709B FORM?

Time frames for the issue of a B709B Form vary between States and Territories. Your State or Territory Police registry should be able to advise time frames.

POLICE CONTACTS

State	Phone	Email	Web address
ACT	(02) 6133 2122	ACTFirearmsRegistry@afp.gov.au	www.afp.gov.au
NSW	1300 362 562	firearmsenq@police.nsw.gov.au	www.police.nsw.gov.au
NT	(08) 8922 3541	firearmsregistry@pfes.nt.gov.au	www.nt.gov.au/pfes
QLD	(07) 3015 7777	weaponslicensing@police.qld.gov.au	www.police.qld.gov.au
SA	(08) 8204 2495	sapol.firearmsbranch@police.sa.gov.au	www.sapolice.sa.gov.au
TAS	(03) 6230 2720	firearms@police.tas.gov.au	www.police.tas.gov.au
VIC	1300 651 645	licensingregulation@police.vic.gov.au	www.police.vic.gov.au
WA	(08) 9223 7000	firearms.branch@police.wa.gov.au	www.police.wa.gov.au

WHAT GOODS CAN BE IMPORTED UNDER THE POLICE CERTIFICATION TEST?

- Daggers
- Blowpipes and darts
- Nunchakus
- Crossbows and parts
- Slingshots and parts
- Star knives
- Throwing knives, blades and spikes.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Further information about the importation of weapons is available on the Customs and Border Protection website or through the Customs Information and Support Centre.

Website: www.customs.gov.au

Phone: 1300 363 263

Email: information@customs.gov.au