



PERSONNEL SCREENING, CONSENT AND AUTHORIZATION FORM

OFFICE USE ONLY		
Reference number	Department/Organization number	File number

NOTE: For Privacy Act Statement refer to Section C of this form and for completion instructions refer to attached instructions. Please typewrite or print in block letters.

A ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION (To be completed by the Authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Official)

New
 Update
 Upgrade
 Transfer
 Supplemental
 Re-activation

The requested level of reliability/security check(s)

Reliability Status
 Level I (CONFIDENTIAL)
 Level II (SECRET)
 Level III (TOP SECRET)
 Other _____

PARTICULARS OF APPOINTMENT/ASSIGNMENT/CONTRACT

Indeterminate
 Term
 Contract
 Other (specify secondment, assignment, etc.) _____

Justification for security screening requirement

Position/Competition/Contract number	Title	Group/Level (Rank if applicable)
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Employee ID number/PRI/Rank and Service number (if applicable)	If term or contract, indicate duration period ▶	From	To
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Name and address of department / organization / agency

Name of official	Telephone number ()	Facsimile number ()
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B BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION (To be completed by the applicant)

Surname (Last Name)	Full given names (no initials) underline or circle usual name used
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Family name at birth	All other names used (i.e. Nickname)	Date of birth Y M D
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City of birth	Province of birth	Country of birth	Date of entry into Canada if born outside Canada Y M D
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Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Daytime telephone number	E-mail address
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RESIDENCE (provide addresses for the last five years, starting with the most current) Home address

1	Apartment number	Street number	Street name	Civic number (if applicable)	From Y M	To Present
	City		Province or state	Postal Code	Country	Telephone number

2	Apartment number	Street number	Street name	Civic number (if applicable)	From Y M	To Y M
	City		Province or state	Postal Code	Country	Telephone number ()

Have you previously completed a Government of Canada security screening form? Yes No

If yes, give name of employer, level and year of screening. Y

CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS IN AND OUTSIDE OF CANADA (see instructions)

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence for which you have not been granted a pardon? Yes No

If yes, give details. (charge(s), name of police force, city, province/state, country and date of conviction) City

Charge(s)	Name of police force
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Province/State	Country	Date of conviction ▶ Y M D
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Surname	Date of birth	Y	M	D
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C CONSENT AND VERIFICATION (To be completed by the applicant and authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Official)

Information (See instructions)	Applicant's initials	Name of official (print)	Official's initials	Official's Telephone number
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Date of birth, address, education, professional qualifications, employment history, personal character references				()
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal record check				()
3. <input type="checkbox"/> Credit check (financial assessment, including credit records check)				()
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Loyalty (security assessment only)				
5. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify, see instructions)				()

The Privacy Act Statement

The information on this form is required for the purpose of providing security screening assessments. It is collected under the authority of the Security Policy of the Government of Canada and is protected by the provisions of the Privacy Act in institutions which are covered by the Privacy Act. Its collection is mandatory. A refusal to provide information will lead to a review of whether the person is eligible to hold the position or perform the contract that is associated with this Personnel Screening Request. The information is stored in standard employee banks PSE 909 for security clearances, PSE 921 for reliability screening in all government agencies, except the Department of National Defence which uses DND/PPE 834 and the RCMP which uses CMP PPU 065. Information related to security assessments is also stored in the CSIS Personal Information Bank SIS PPU 005.

This consent form will become invalid when the applicant no longer requires a reliability status and/or security clearance.

NOTE: Unless cancelled in writing by the applicant to the authorized security official, this consent form shall be valid for conducting the specified checks and/or investigation, including subsequent updating requirements of the Government Security Policy.

I, the undersigned, do consent to the disclosure of the preceding information and its subsequent verification to the Government of Canada, the use of my photograph for identification purposes and the release of a copy of Section C of this form if required.

Signature Date (Y/M/D)

D REVIEW (To be completed by the authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Official responsible for ensuring the completion of sections A, B and C)

Name and title	Telephone number
Address	Facsimile number

E APPROVAL (To be completed by authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Security Official only)

I, the undersigned, as the authorized security official, do hereby approve the following level of screening.

Reliability Status

Approved Reliability Status Not approved

Name and title

Signature _____
Date (Y/M/D)

Security Clearance (if applicable)

Level I Level II Level III Not recommended

Name and title

Signature _____
Date (Y/M/D)

Comments



PHOTO
(for Level III T.S.,
and/or upon request
- see instructions)



INSTRUCTIONS FOR PERSONNEL SCREENING CONSENT AND AUTHORIZATION FORM TBS/SCT 330-23E (Rev. 2002/02)

Once completed, this form shall be safeguarded and handled at the level of Protected A.

General:

If space allotted in any portion is insufficient please use separate sheet using same format.

1. Section A (Administrative Information) Authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Official

The Official, based on instructions issued by the Departmental Security Officer, may be responsible for determining, based on five year background history, what constitutes sufficient verification of personal data, educational and professional qualifications, and employment history. References are to be limited to those provided on the application for employment or equivalent forms.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

Persons who presently hold a SECURITY CLEARANCE and subsequently marry, remarry or commence a common-law partnership, in addition to having to update sections of the *Security Clearance Form (TBS/SCT 330-60)*, are required to submit an original *Personnel Screening, Consent and Authorization Form*, with the following parts completed:

Part A - As set forth in each question

Part B - As set forth in each question, excluding CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS IN AND OUTSIDE OF CANADA.

Part C - Applicant's signature and date only are required

"Other". This should be used to identify if the security screening is for Site Access, NATO, SIGINT etc.

2. Section B (Biographical Information)

To be completed by the **applicant**. If more space is required use a separate sheet of paper. Each sheet must be signed.

Country of Birth - For "NEW" requests, if born abroad of Canadian parents, please provide a copy of your Certificate of Registration of Birth Abroad. If you arrived in Canada less than five years ago, provide a copy of the Immigration Visa, Record of Landing document or a copy of passport.

- List only criminal convictions for which a pardon has NOT been granted. Include on a separate attached sheet of paper, if more than one conviction. Applicant must include those convictions outside Canada.
- Offences under the *National Defence Act* are to be included as well as convictions by courts-martial are to be recorded.

3. Section C (Consent and Verification)

A copy of Section "C" may be released to institutions to provide acknowledgement of consent.

Criminal record checks (fingerprints may be required) and credit checks are to be arranged through the Departmental Security Office or the delegated Officer.

Consent: may be given only by an applicant who has reached the age of majority, otherwise, the signature of a parent or guardian is mandatory.

The age of majority is:

19 years in NFLD., N.S., N.B., B.C., Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut;

18 years in P.E.I., Que., Ont., Man., Sask. and Alta.

The applicant will provide initials in the " applicant's initials box".

The official who carried out the verification of the information will print their name, insert their initials and telephone number in the required space.

- Reliability Screening (for all types of screening identified within Section A): complete numbers 1 and 2 and 3 if applicable.
- Security Clearance (for all types of screening identified within Section A): complete numbers 1 to 4 and 5 where applicable.
- Other: number 5 is used only where prior Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat approval has been obtained.

4. Section D (Review)

To be completed by authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Official who is responsible for ensuring the completion of sections A to C as requested.

5. Section E (Approval)

Authorized Departmental/Agency/Organizational Security Official refers to the individuals as determined by departments, agencies, and organizations that may verify reliability information and/or approve/not approve reliability status and/or security clearances. Approved Reliability Status and Level I, II and III, as well as the signature of the authorized security official or manager are added for Government of Canada use only. Applicants are to be briefed, acknowledge, and be provided with a copy of the "Security Screening Certificate and Briefing Form (TBS/SCT 330-47)".

Note: Private sector organizations do not have the authority to approve any level of security screening.

Photographs: Departments/Agencies/Organizations are responsible for ensuring that three colour photographs of passport size are attached to the form for the investigating agency. Maximum dimensions are 50mm x 70mm and minimum are 43mm x 54mm. The face length from chin to crown of head must be between 25mm x 35mm. The photographs must be signed by the applicant and an authorized security official. The photographs must have been taken within the last six months. It is required for new or upgrade Level III security clearances for identification of the applicant during the security screening investigation by the investigating agency. The investigating agency may in specific incidents request a photograph for a Level I or II clearances when an investigation is required.