



## **INFORMATION REGARDING PERMISSION FOR THE USAGE OF HUNTING AND TARGET-SHOOTING WEAPONS TOGETHER WITH AMMUNITION IN SWEDEN**

When inviting foreign hunting or target-shooting friends the following should be observed.

A person travelling to Sweden may take firearms and ammunition into the country for the purpose of hunting/target-shooting provided permission has been granted prior to the journey.

### **Exception**

**Danish, Finnish and Norwegian citizens who are domiciled outside Sweden may take hunting and competition weapons into the country without any special permission. Please observe that the citizen concerned should be able to provide proof that an invitation to a hunt or shooting competition has been made. The invitation and weapon licence or European firearms certificate is to be presented to the Custom Authorities in the area where the weapons is brought into Sweden.**

For practical reasons the Authorities allow the Swedish Organisers for hunting or competition shooting to apply for permission for their Non-Scandinavian guests.

The following information is **compulsory** when applying for permission:

1. The weapon's make, serial number and caliber.
2. What purpose the weapon is being used for and the period of validity in Sweden. Earliest day of arrival and latest day of departure including flightnumber.
3. The amount of ammunition and caliber.
4. The applicants name, date of birth, address and country.
5. The name of the hunting host/competition organiser together with address and telephone number.
6. Where hunting grounds or site of competition are situated.
7. Invitation or hunting rights certificates.



8. Copy of certificate of the firearm/s from the home country **shall** accompany the application.
9. Border Station where weapons will be taken in and out of the country.

**If any of the above information is incomplete then the application will be returned thus risking that the matter will not be dealt with before the guest arrives.**

### **How to apply**

The application should arrive at the Police Authority **at least four weeks before the arrival** of the hunting guest.

A service charge of **600 Swedish Crowns** for each permit is deducted and is to be paid when the application is made. **Please note the fee is to be** paid in Swedish Crowns.

The fee can be paid via **Post Giro 13 53 96-0** in connection with the application. Please write "Conveyance of weapons" on the counterfoil together with the name/s of the applicants.

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It is also possible to pay the fee in cash when the application is submitted. If the administration fee is not paid then the application will not be considered and the entry permit will **not** be granted.

By agreement between the Police and Customs Authorities at Arlanda International Airport the following apply:

The original documents are to be collected from the Customs Office, situated at the Customs Filter, by the hunting or target-shooting guest.

The applicant, who has an European firearms certificate, shall after arrival to Sweden immediately contact the nearest police station in order to have the "Conveyance of weapons" certificate registered in the European firearms certificate.

On the departure the weapon/s shall be presented for Customs in order to receive a stamp and to obtain permission for its departure. The personell of Arlanda in connection with Check-In of baggage control this procedure.

**BORDER POLICE DEPARTMENT**