



APPLICATION FOR ALARM COMPANY AGENT

Application Fee \$55

An application received without full payment will not be processed and will be returned to the applicant.

Have you served or are currently serving in the United States military? **Yes*** **No**

*In order to assist veterans in their transition from military service to civilian employment, BSIS has implemented the Veterans Come First Program which offers priority services to veteran applicants. Disclosure of military service is voluntary and participation in the program is optional. If you choose to use the Veteran's Come First Program, check the military status box and submit proof of military service (e.g. DD-214, DD-256, V-MET record, military orders, military I.D., etc.) along with your application.

REFUGEE, ASYLEE, OR SPECIAL IMMIGRANT VISA HOLDER APPLICANTS

Business and Professions Code section 135.4 provides that the Bureau must expedite, and may assist, the initial licensure process for certain applicants described below.

Check this box if any of the following statements apply to you:

- You were admitted to the United States as a refugee pursuant to section 1157 of title 8 of the United States Code;
- You were granted asylum by the Secretary of Homeland Security or the United States Attorney General pursuant to section 1158 of title 8 of the United States Code; or,
- You have a special immigrant visa and were granted a status pursuant to section 1244 of Public Law 110-181, Public Law 109-163, or section 602(b) of title VI of division F of Public Law 111-8, relating to Iraqi and Afghan translators/interpreters or those who worked for or on behalf of the United States government.

Disclosure is voluntary. If you checked the box above you must attach evidence/documentation of your status as a refugee, asylee, or special immigrant visa holder. Failure to do so may result in application review delays.

ACCEPTABLE EVIDENCE/DOCUMENTATION

- Form I-94, Arrival/Departure Record, with an admission class code such as "RE" (Refugee) or "AY" (Asylee) or other information designating the person a refugee or asylee.
- Special immigrant visa that includes the visa category of "SI" or "SQ."
- Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551), commonly known as a "Green Card," with a category designation indicating that the person was admitted as a refugee or asylee.
- An order from a court of competent jurisdiction or other documentary evidence that provides reasonable assurance that the applicant qualifies for expedited licensure.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS: Read all instructions contained in this application carefully.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

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| 1. Name | | Last | First | Middle |
| (Social Security Number or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number) | | | (Month/Day/Year) | |
| 2. SSN or ITIN | | 3. Date of Birth | | |
| 4. Home Address | | Number and Street or Post Office Box Number | City | State Zip |
| 5. Home Telephone | | Area Code Telephone Number | 6. Employer Work Telephone | |
| 7. Employer Name | | 8. Employer License Number | | |
| 9. Employer Work Address | | Number and Street or Post Office Box Number | City | State Zip |

CRIMINAL HISTORY DISCLOSURE - OPTIONAL

- 10a. Have you ever been convicted of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to ANY criminal or civil offense in the United States, its territories, or a foreign country? *This includes every citation, infraction, misdemeanor and/or felony. Convictions that were adjudicated in the juvenile court or convictions under California Health and Safety Code sections 11357(b), (c), (d), (e) or section 11360(b) which are two years or older, as well as criminal charges dismissed under section 1000.3 of the Penal Code or equivalent non-California laws, should **NOT** be reported.* YES NO
- 10b. Is any criminal action pending against you, or are you currently awaiting judgment and sentencing following entry of a plea or jury verdict? YES NO

REFUSING TO DISCLOSE CONVICTION HISTORY WILL NOT BE A FACTOR IN THE BUREAU'S DECISION TO ISSUE OR DENY A LICENSE.

11. Have you ever been licensed as an alarm company agent?
 NO YES, enter license #: _____

12. I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, that all statements on this application are true and correct, with full knowledge that all statements herein are subject to investigation and that any false, dishonest, or incomplete answers to any questions on the application may be grounds for denial or subsequent revocation of my registration and/or criminal prosecution.

Signature _____ Date _____

NOTICE: This temporary license expires 120 days from the date signed unless extended by the Director of Consumer Affairs.

NOTICE: Prior to submitting your application to the Bureau, make a copy of the completed application and keep it on your person. This will act as a temporary registration and is valid for 120 days from the date signed unless extended by the Director of Consumer Affairs.

Every person employed by a licensed alarm company operator to provide services must have a temporary registration or a registration issued by the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services (BSIS).

NOTICE TO EMPLOYER: DO NOT ISSUE ANOTHER TEMPORARY REGISTRATION IF THIS HAS EXPIRED.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING INITIAL APPLICATION

1. Fee Payment: An application received without full fee payment of the \$55 fee payment will not be processed and will be returned to the applicant. Make your check payable to Bureau of Security and Investigative Services or BSIS. Do not submit cash by mail. Application fees are non-refundable.
2. Allow sixty (60) days to process your application. DO NOT contact the Bureau to check on the status of your application unless it is over 60 days from submission. The Bureau will notify you in writing in 60 days if your application is deficient.
3. Make sure you are using a current *Application for Alarm Company Agent*. An incorrect or outdated form could result in you having to submit a new application on the correct form. Refer to the Bureau's website to make sure you are using the most current form.
4. Provide fingerprints by one of the methods noted below. You must submit fingerprints with this application even if you previously submitted fingerprints for another BSIS license.
 - **Live Scan:** Submit your fingerprints through a Department of Justice (DOJ) Live Scan provider using a *Locksmith Live Scan form*. Additional information regarding submitting fingerprints via Live Scan, a list of Live Scan forms, and a link to DOJ's website for Live Scan provider locations can be found at https://www.bsis.ca.gov/forms_pubs/livescan/criminalhistorybg_check.pdf. After submitting fingerprints, retain your Live Scan form for your records.

ALERT: Per FBI guidelines, you must submit your application to the Bureau before completing the Live Scan. To prevent application processing delays, keep a copy of the Live Scan form, which must include the ATI number and signature of the Live Scan Operator.

Checking the Status of Your Live Scan Results: You can check the status on the DOJ's website at <https://applicantstatus.doj.ca.gov/>. You must provide your ATI number from the bottom of your completed Live Scan form and your date of birth. **IMPORTANT:** Unless the DOJ system specifically states "California/FBI responses were sent to the agency," the Bureau is still waiting for your results.

- **Hard Card Fingerprint Cards:** If you are unable to submit fingerprints via Live Scan or live outside of California and cannot access a Live Scan provider in this State, you **must submit two fingerprint hard cards** and the required fingerprint card processing fee with this application. Instructions for submitting fingerprint cards can be found at https://www.bsis.ca.gov/forms_pubs/livescan/criminalhistory_bgcheck.pdf.
5. Mail your application and \$55 check or money order to:
Bureau of Security and Investigative Services
PO Box 989002
West Sacramento, CA 95798-9002

Be sure to answer **all** questions completely and truthfully. Any omission or false statement on the application may constitute grounds for denial or subsequent revocation of the registration.

A registration may be denied to any person who makes a false statement or who has been convicted of any crime or act substantially related to the functions or duties of an alarm company agent. However, the Bureau will consider evidence of rehabilitation.

Upon issuance of a registration you must notify the Bureau of any change of address within 30 days of the change (Business and Professions Code section 7599.59). If you do not, you may be assessed an administrative fine. Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 7598.17, a registration shall not

be renewed until all fines have been paid.

Every alarm company agent employed by an alarm company operator who carries a firearm must possess an exposed firearm permit issued by the BSIS. **A FIREARM MAY NOT BE CARRIED WITH A TEMPORARY REGISTRATION.**

Alarm company agents who respond to alarm systems must complete a course in the Exercise of the Power to Arrest. Evidence of completion of the Power to Arrest course shall be maintained in the licensee's employee records and made available to the Bureau upon request.

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 30, providing your social security number or individual taxpayer identification number is mandatory and will be used exclusively for tax enforcement purposes and for compliance with any judgment or order for family support in accordance with section 17520 of the Family Code. Your social security number or individual taxpayer identification number may also be used for verification of licensure or examination status for national examination where licensure is reciprocal with a requesting state. If you fail to provide your social security number or individual taxpayer identification number, you will be reported to the Franchise Tax Board, which may assess a \$100 penalty against you.

Submission of the requested information is mandatory. The Bureau of Security and Investigative Services cannot consider your application for licensure or renewal unless you provide all of the requested information.

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Gov. Code § 6250 et seq.) and the Information Practices Act (Civ. Code § 1798.61), the names and addresses of persons possessing a license or registration may be disclosed by the Department unless otherwise specifically exempt from disclosure under the law. We make every effort to protect the personal information you provide us. The information you provide, however, may be disclosed in response to a court or administrative order, a subpoena, or a search warrant.

Per the Information Practices Act, the Chief of the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, Department of Consumer Affairs, is responsible for maintaining the information in this application. You have the right to review the records maintained on you by the Bureau or Department unless the records are exempt from disclosure by section 1798.40 of the Civil Code. Your completed application becomes the property of the Bureau and will be used by authorized personnel to determine your eligibility for a license, registration or permit. Information on your application may be transferred to other governmental or law enforcement agencies, as permitted by law.

For questions about this notice or access to your record, you may contact the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, Attn: Public Records Liaison, P.O. Box 980550, Sacramento, CA 95798-0550, by phone at (916) 322-4000 or (800) 952-5210, or by e-mail at bsis.prarequests@dca.ca.gov. For questions about the Department's Privacy Policy, you may contact the Department of Consumer Affairs at 1625 North Market Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95834, by phone at (800) 952-5210 or by e-mail at dca@dca.ca.gov.