Enclosed is the Application Packet which must be completed for those wishing to apply for a license to carry firearms (concealed or unconcealed). All forms must be completed and all materials provided for your application to be processed.

**Kaua’i Police Department Forms to be completed:**

- Kaua’i Police Department Application for License to Carry Firearms;
- Kaua’i Police Department Applicant’s Waiver of Liability and Release Form with Notary Certification;
- Authorization for Use or Disclosure of Protected Health Information.

**Required from Applicant:**

- Copy of current Firearm Registration for firearm to be carried;
- Copy of signed Firearms Proficiency Test including scores (test must be dated within 90 days of application):
  - Firearms Proficiency Test must be taken with the firearm to be carried;
  - Firearms Proficiency Test must be administered by a state-certified or National Rifle Association Firearms Instructor of the Applicant’s choosing (include instructor certification);
  - Signed Shooting Proficiency Test results must include shooting scores – pass/fail only is not sufficient;
- Two passport-sized, front-facing color photographs of Applicant;
- For Applications needed for employment purposes, please complete the notarized Private Security Employer Certification Application.
APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO CARRY FIREARMS

Please complete this application completely and accurately. Your answers will be checked and verified for truthfulness. Falsifying answers on this application will be grounds for denial. In addition, HRS § 134-17; Penalties, shall be applied “… (a) [i]f any person gives false information or offers false evidence of the person’s identity in complying with any of the requirements of this part, that person shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, provided, however, that if any person intentionally gives false information or offers false evidence concerning their psychiatric or criminal history in complying with any requirements of this part, that person shall be guilty of a Class ‘C’ felony.” If you do not understand the below questions, please ask for clarification before answering.

Please follow listed instructions and complete all of Section One through Three, followed by Section Four only if you are applying for an unconcealed permit. For concealed carry applications, Section Four should be left blank.

Section One: Biographical Information

1. Applicant: 

2. Date of Birth: 3. Age 4. Sex: 

5. Place of Birth: 6. SSN: 

7. Address: 

8. Phone Number(s): 

9. Height/Weight: Eyes: Hair: 

10. Scars/Marks/Tattoos: 

11. U.S. Citizenship: □ No □ Yes □ By Birth □ Naturalization

   If Naturalized, Date of Naturalization: Citizenship Certificate Number: 

   □ Lawful Permanent Resident □ Accredited Rep. of Foreign Nation

12. Occupation: 

13. Present Employer: Employer’s Phone: 

14. Employer’s Address: ________________________________
   Number-Street       City       State       Zip Code

15. Job Title/Position: ________________________________

16. Period of Employment: ____________________________
   Start Date       End Date (or current)

17. Type of Public Carry Sought: ☐ Concealed Carry ☐ Open Carry

   **Section Two: Firearm Information**

18. Purpose for Carrying Firearm: ________________________________

19. Weapon To Be Carried: ________________________________
   Manufacturer       Model
   ____________________       ____________________       ____________________
   Type       Caliber       Factory Number

   Registered To: ____________________       Registration No.: ____________________

   Address of Registered Owner: ________________________________
   Number-Street       City       State       Zip Code

   Where Registered: ________________________________
   Number-Street       City       State       Zip Code

   **Section Three: Background Information for Concealed and Unconcealed Carry**

For both concealed and unconcealed carry applications, please answer the questions below. If the answer to any question is yes, please explain in the space provided.

20. Are you a fugitive from justice? ☐ Yes ☐ No

21. Are you under indictment for, or have you waived indictment for having committed a felony, or any crime of violence or an illegal sale of any drug in this State or elsewhere? ☐ Yes ☐ No

22. Have you ever been under treatment or counseling for addiction to or abuse of, or dependence upon any dangerous, harmful, or detrimental drug, intoxicating compound or intoxicating liquor (as defined in HRS § 712-1240)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
23. Have you ever been acquitted of a crime on the grounds of mental disease, disorder, or defect (as defined in HRS § 704-411)? □ Yes □ No

24. Are you currently or have you ever been under treatment for or have you ever been diagnosed as having behavioral, emotional, or mental disorders? □ Yes □ No

25. If you are under the age of twenty-five, please answer the following: have you ever been adjudicated by the family court to have committed a felony, any crimes of violence, or any illegal sale of a drug? □ Yes □ No

26. Have you been discharged from the Armed Forces under dishonorable conditions (as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(6))? □ Yes □ No

27. Have you ever been restrained pursuant to an order of any court, including an ex parte order, from contacting, threatening, or physically abusing any person? □ Yes □ No

28. In the last two years, has anyone alleged that you have committed domestic violence, even if no arrest was made or no conviction resulted? □ Yes □ No

29. In the last two years, have you been arrested, cited, or officially warned (whether verbal or in writing) for failing to register a firearm or failing to properly store or transport a firearm or ammunition? □ Yes □ No

30. In the last two years, have you been arrested, cited, or officially warned (whether verbal or in writing) for your use or possession of intoxicating compounds or intoxicating liquors (as defined in HRS § 712-1240)? □ Yes □ No

31. Have you been arrested in the last five years? □ Yes □ No

If the answer to any of the above questions is “Yes,” please explain below. Feel free to attach any supporting documents to your application.

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Section Four: Background Information for Open Carry Only

For unconcealed carry applications only, please answer the questions below. If the answer to any question is yes, please explain in the space provided.

32. Have you been subject to a credible threat of harm to life and/or property in the last two years? □ Yes □ No

33. If the answer to number 32 is “Yes,” are you aware of any corroboration of that threat in the form of documents, reports, witness statements, or other first-hand sources? □ Yes □ No

34. In the last two years, have you been the victim of a crime, such as domestic abuse or other violence, in which you were specifically targeted, as opposed to being the victim of a seemingly random act? □ Yes □ No

35. Are you aware of any temporary restraining orders, protective orders, or other court orders entered on your behalf in the last two years which may demonstrate a risk of harm to your (or your family’s life) or property? □ Yes □ No

36. Does your profession support the need for a firearm due to a heightened risk of attack or violence which you personally face? □ Yes □ No

37. Are you employed in job which requires protection of the life and/or property of others? □ Yes □ No

38. Are you aware of whether your spouse, close family member, or other dependent faces a severe risk of bodily harm? □ Yes □ No

39. Are there any other facts or circumstances which you believe support your application for a permit to carry an unconcealed firearm? □ Yes □ No

If the answer to any of the above questions is “Yes,” please explain below. Feel free to attach any supporting documents to your application.

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Section Four: Certifications

Please check the boxes next to each statement to signify that, as applied to the Applicant, the statement is accurate and complete:

☐ I understand that falsifying answers on this application will be grounds for denial.

☐ I am aware that HRS § 134-17; Penalties, shall be applied “... (a) [i]f any person gives false information or offers false evidence of the person’s identity in complying with any of the requirements of this part, that person shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, provided, however, that if any person intentionally gives false information or offers false evidence concerning their psychiatric or criminal history in complying with any requirements of this part, that person shall be guilty of a Class ‘C’ felony.”

☐ I have read and understand applicable laws of the State of Hawai‘i specific to carrying of firearms and use of force and self-defense, including but not limited to: HRS §§ 134-1 et seq., 703-304, and 703-308.

☐ I understand that federal statutes prohibiting the carrying of firearms in certain locations, including but not limited to: 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(d)(5), (g)(1-9), (n), and (y)(2); 27 CFR §§ 478.11, and 478.32(a)(5).

☐ I am aware that possessing a firearm in a concealed or unconcealed capacity carries with it serious risks. I am further aware that even if legally justified, attempting to shoot or actually shooting property or another person may result in significant liabilities, and the Kaua‘i Police Department recommends obtaining some type of liability insurance related to concealed/unconcealed carry of firearms.

I hereby certify that all statements made in this application are true and correct to the best of knowledge. I understand and agree that any misstatements of material fact made in this application may be grounds for the denial or revocation of my permit/license issued on the strength of those facts.

______________________________ __________ __________
Signature of Applicant Date

Police Department Use Only

Received By: ____________________________
Date: __________ Time: __________
Section Five: Private Security Employer Certification

This is to certify that ________________ is employed by the below-listed company as: ________________.

Applicant’s Name

Applicant’s Job Title

As the Applicant’s employer, I certify that the nature of the Applicant’s duties require that the Applicant carry the firearm(s) described in this Application for the purposes stated, and that the Applicant is qualified to use said firearm(s).

__________________________________________
Signature of Employer/ Representative

__________________________________________
Position Title

__________________________________________
Print name of Employer

__________________________________________
Name of Company

__________________________________________
Company Address

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

________ day of __________, 20__.

__________________________________________
Signature of Notary Public

(SERAL)

__________________________________________
Print name of Notary Public

My commission expires: ______________________.

NOTARY CERTIFICATION

Doc. Date: __________________________ No. of Pages: ______

Notary Name: __________________________ Fifth Judicial Circuit

Doc. Description: Kaua’i Police Application for License to Carry Firearms, Private Security Employer Certification, of: __________________________.

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Notary Signature

Date
WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND RELEASE FORM
FOR APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO CARRY FIREARMS AND WEAPONS

In order to permit the Kaua’i Police Department ("Department") to make a thorough investigation of my background, family, mental health, and other relevant information for the purpose of determining my fitness and suitability for a License to Carry a Firearm in the County of Kaua’i:

I, ___________________________ ("Applicant"), hereby release from liability and promise to hold harmless from any liability under all possible legal causes of action, any persons that furnish information or opinions regarding Applicant’s background for the purpose of completing the license application process.

The Applicant authorizes any person or legal entity who may be contacted by Department officers, employees, or agents, to release and transmit to such officers, employees, or agents any information, data, or opinions they may have regarding my background, family, mental health, and other relevant information. Applicant further agrees to hold harmless and release from liability under all possible legal causes of action the County of Kaua’i, the Department, including officers, employees, or agents for any statements, acts, or omissions in the course of its investigation into Applicant’s background.

_________________________________________  _________________
Signature of Applicant                  Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

______________ day of ______________, 20__.

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Signature of Notary Public

(SEAL)

Print name of Notary Public

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NOTARY CERTIFICATION

Doc. Date: ___________________________  No. of Pages: _________

Notary Name: ___________________________  Fifth Judicial Circuit

Doc. Description: Applicant’s Waiver of Liability and Release Form for Application for License to Carry Firearms and Weapons

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Notary Signature                  Date