

COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY ACT 1958
APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT UNDER SECTION 40 TO USE FIRE ON A DAY
OF
TOTAL FIRE BAN



Note – You will need to apply for this permit to use fire on a day of **Total Fire Ban** even if you have obtained a permit under Section 38 of the *Country Fire Authority Act 1958* and Schedule 14 of the *Country Fire Authority Regulations 2004* to use fire during a **Fire Danger Period**.

TO: THE CHIEF OFFICER

The applicant hereby applies for a permit under Section 40 of the *Country Fire Authority Act 1958*.
 The applicant supplies the following information in support of the application:

Applicant Details	
1. Applicant: (name of Company, Statutory Corporation, Municipal Council, or individual and where relevant, the applicant's ABN/ACN/ARBN)	
2. Authorised representative: The person who will have oversight of the work conducted using the permit	
3. Job title of authorised representative:	
4. Address of applicant: Must be a physical address	Street Address
	Town/Suburb:
	Postcode:
5. Telephone Must be 24 hour availability	

Description of Work	
6. Type of work to be carried out: (tick) <input type="checkbox"/> Welding, cutting or grinding <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel or gas powered steam cleaner <input type="checkbox"/> Heating & spreading of bitumen <input type="checkbox"/> Blow lamps, gas torches <input type="checkbox"/> Carry out blasting <input type="checkbox"/> Gas flare-off <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial heat testing <input type="checkbox"/> Destroying medical waste <input type="checkbox"/> Working with bees <input type="checkbox"/> Catering <input type="checkbox"/> Public fireworks (please provide Worksafe license number) <input type="checkbox"/> Sawdust burner <input type="checkbox"/> Hot air ballooning <input type="checkbox"/> Other	If 'other', please describe:
7. What will fuel the fire?: (eg) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Flammable liquid ▪ Gas ▪ Electricity ▪ Oils and/or fats 	Please describe:

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8. Location at which the work will be done If multiple locations, please list each one. If you are a state-wide operator, please write 'state-wide'.	
9. Period for which permit sought	
10. Explain why the use of fire in the open air on a day of Total Fire Ban is necessary	

Permit conditions and Applicant's acknowledgments	Please confirm acceptance
11. The applicant acknowledges that conditions will apply <i>if</i> a Permit is granted. The applicant agrees to abide by these conditions and is aware that any permit granted may be revoked.	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. The applicant acknowledges that failure to comply with every condition contained in any permit issued is an offence under section 40(9) of the <i>Country Fire Authority Act 1958</i>.	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. The applicant acknowledges that if a permit is issued, the permit will only apply in that area defined as the <i>Country Area of Victoria</i> and is not valid in the Metropolitan Fire District or within any National Parks or Protected Public Land or within any fire protected area under the <i>Forest Act 1958</i>. NOTE: Parts of Greater Melbourne fall within the <i>Country Area of Victoria</i> . Please check the boundary on the orange key maps at the front of a Melways street directory or contact CFA on (03) 9262 8444 if you require more information.	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. The applicant acknowledges that the Country Fire Authority will assess this application, and may determine not to issue a permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Applicant signature	
Individual.....Date.....	
Company, Statutory Corporation or Municipal Council	
Signed by a director or authorised officer of the Applicant:	
Signature.....Date.....	
Full name.....	
Address.....	

This Application may be lodged with:

THE CHIEF OFFICER
 COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY
 PO Box 701
 MT WAVERLEY VIC 3149