

Application for Mechanical Contrivance Regulation Certificate

Mechanical Contrivances Regulations Act 1923
Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS and in black ink.

All relevant questions on this form must be answered.

For Office Use Only
Date:
Officer:

I wish to submit an application for a Mechanical Contrivance Certificate in accordance with the details set out herewith:

Name of Organization, Individual etc

Address

Applicant contact name

E-Mail Address Phone

SITE Address—the subject of the application
Please provide a site/location plan with this application
(indicate the footprint of the structure with a red line)

EVENT Details

Intended erection of contrivance

Commencement of use

Completion (removal of contrivance)

Type of Mechanical Contrivance

Please provide the name of your contractor/structural Engineer below. Should you not have one and the Department requires Engineering input in order to processing your application any costs incurred (administration, inspection or engineer's costs) will be referred to you as the operator

Name of Surveyor/Engineer (if any)

Address

Contact name

E-Mail Address

Phone



Approximate number of persons using the contrivance - please tick

0-100	<input type="checkbox"/>	300-400	<input type="checkbox"/>
100-200	<input type="checkbox"/>	400-500	<input type="checkbox"/>
200-300	<input type="checkbox"/>	over 500	<input type="checkbox"/>

The Department of Environment, Food & Agriculture is a data controller for the purposes of the General Data Protection Legislation and requires the information on this form to comply with its legal obligations under the Mechanical Contrivances Regulations Act 1923.

Your personal information will be held by DEFA for the purposes of processing this application.

Some of the information you provide, such as your name, address and contact detail will be shared within DEFA or other Government Departments, boards or offices as part of administering this application. It may also be shared for the purposes of statutory functions. We will only keep the detail for as long as we require them, and in accordance with the General Data Protection Legislation.

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The Data Protection Officer can be contacted on 686781 or by email at DPO-DEFA@gov.im.

I understand that this application will result in an inspection of the contrivance as regards public safety, and failure to meet the required standards may result in a certificate not being granted.

SignedTitleDate

PLEASE ENSURE A SITE PLAN IS ENCLOSED outlining the footprint of the proposed contrivance in red along with any structural/component reports necessary for assessing the safety/integrity of the contrivance to be erected

Notes:

In the Act "Mechanical Contrivance" means any whirligig, swing, merry-go-round, aerial flight, water chute, switch-back or other like contrivances used for carrying purposes for amusement, and shall include a grandstand.

Mechanical Contrivances to be certified

Any person who shall keep or use, or shall suffer to be kept or used, for the purposes of profit, any mechanical contrivance unless he shall hold a certificate issued by or under the authority of the Department as hereinafter provided, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £2,500, and, in the event of such mechanical contrivance being continued to be kept or used for such purpose after conviction, to a continuing penalty not exceeding £25 for every day during which the offence is committed or continued.

Inspection and appointment of inspector

The Department is hereby empowered, upon being satisfied that any mechanical contrivance is as regards public safety sufficient, to grant or authorise the grant of a certificate to that effect, which certificate may be in the form in the schedule hereto and shall endure until the 31st day of December following. The Department may, before granting or renewing or during the holding of a certificate under this Act, appoint any person to be an inspector for the purpose of reporting to it whether any mechanical contrivance in respect of which a certificate is applied for, is, as regards public safety, sufficient: Provided that the person applying for the certificate in respect of which any such inspection is ordered, shall bear the costs of the inspection. Any certificate so granted may be revoked at any time on notice to the person to whom the same has been granted.

Certificate not to render Department liable for safety of contrivance

Nothing contained in this Act or arising out of the powers and authorities herein contained shall render the Department or any inspector appointed by it liable or responsible for any defect or deficiency in any mechanical contrivance notwithstanding the grant of any certificate under this Act.

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