



Application for Blue Light Permit

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Instructions

To fill out this application, select the service type needed and move through sections filling out each field. E-mail completed application to the address above.

- If vehicle is owned by a third person (includes leasing company), attach a signed and dated written statement from that third person or leasing company acknowledging that a Blue Light may be mounted and displayed on the vehicle, and that such Blue Light may only be used by the Permit holder and only for official use. A lease will not be recognized unless the Lessor is registered as such with the MA Department of Revenue. NOTE: A Blue Light Permit cannot be issued for a vehicle to be operated by a police officer unless the officer is also the "owner" of the vehicle (per Chapter 90, Sec. 7E).
- Additional Permit: A Blue Light Permit holder may apply for an additional Permit for a vehicle owned, leased, or regularly used (must be more than incidental or occasional use) by the Permit holder. However, a police officer of any city, town, or state agency applying for an additional Permit must own the vehicle for which the additional Permit is sought.
- Once issued, a Blue Light may only be displayed when the Permit holder is operating the vehicle in the performance of official duties. The Permit must be carried by the operator or in the vehicle. A Permit does not authorize the operator to violate motor vehicle laws.

M.G.L. Chapter 90, Sec. 7E requires the "Head of the Police Department" to complete this Application

M.G.L. Chapter 90, Section 7E authorizes motor vehicles and trailers (1) used solely for official business by any police department of the Commonwealth or its political subdivisions; (2) or by any railroad police department; or (3) by any college or university police department whose officers are appointed as special state police officers by the colonel of state police pursuant to Chapter 22C, Section 63 (and subject to such special rules and regulations applicable to such college or university police department as the Registrar may prescribe) to mount and display a flashing, rotating or oscillating Blue Light without a Permit from the Registrar. Section 7E authorizes certain other vehicles operated by law enforcement officers or enforcement-related personnel to mount and display a flashing, rotating or oscillating Blue Light if the Registrar has issued a Permit. This Application form is only for users requiring a Permit.

ONLY ORIGINAL Application Forms will be ACCEPTED. No copies or faxes.

Note: Any Permit issued will expire on the same date the vehicle registration expires.

Service Type	Select the transaction to be performed.	<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment
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The other vehicles qualifying for a Blue Light Permit are listed below. Check the category that applies . . .

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A vehicle owned and operated by a police officer of any city, town or state agency while on official duty and only when authorized by the officer's police chief or agency head. | <input type="checkbox"/> A vehicle actually being used for the transportation of persons who are under arrest, or in lawful custody under authority of any court, or committed to penal or mental institutions. (No Permit will be issued for the "potential use" of a vehicle to transport the described persons. The vehicle must be a "full-time" transporter.) Vehicle may not be registered to an individual. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A vehicle operated by a duly appointed medical examiner or a physician or surgeon attached to a police department of any city or town while on official duty. | <input type="checkbox"/> A vehicle operated by a chaplain of a municipal police department. while on official duty. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A vehicle operated by a police commissioner of a police department of any city while on official duty. | |

Permit Holder Information

Name of Person for Whom the Permit is Sought		Permit Holder's Driver License Number	
Home Street Address	P.O. Box	Town/City	Zip Code

Vehicle Information

Registration #	Year	Make & Model	Color	Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)
Name of Vehicle Owner		Street Address of Vehicle Owner		City/Town of Vehicle Owner

Certification and Signature

I hereby certify that the person for whom the permit is sought performs the function identified above or the vehicle is used as indicated within my jurisdiction.

Signature of the "Head of the Police Department"
(No other person's signature can be accepted)

Printed Name of the Head of the Police Department

Title

Name of Department /Agency

Address

Dept. Telephone Number

Date

Email Address (Chief or Deputy Chief)

For RMV use only Date: _____

Authorized by: _____