FORM 1
NOISE CONTROL ORDINANCE
(Chapter 400)
APPLICATION FOR A NOISE EMISSION LABEL
FOR AIR COMPRESSOR

Before completing this form read the Notes below.

To: The Noise Control Authority

1. I hereby apply for a noise emission label for an air compressor under the Noise Control Ordinance.
   In support of my application I submit the following information and particulars:

2. Details of Applicant
   2a. Name (person or company): ...................................................................................................................
   2b. H.K. Identity Card No. (if the applicant is an individual): .................................................................
       or Business Registration No. (if the applicant is a company): ...........................................................
   2c. Correspondence address: .......................................................................................................................
   2d. Telephone No.: ....................................................................................................................................

3. Information on air compressor
   3a. Name and address of manufacturer: ....................................................................................................
   3b. Name and address of manufacturer’s authorized local representative (if any): ............................
   3c. Trade name: ....................................................................................................................................... 
   3d. Model (see Note 1): ............................................................................................................................... 

3e. Serial Number

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Continue on separate sheet if necessary. Please state clearly each appliance serial number.

3f. Rate of air flow (see Note 2): ........................................... m³/min

3g. Supporting document (see Note 3):

* EEC type-examination certificate/Noise testing report
4. Application fee (see Note 4)

4a. Number of noise emission labels applied for: ..................................................................................................................

4b. Total fee payable: .........................................................................................................................................................

5. Additional information

Give any additional information which is thought to be relevant to this application:
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Dated this .............. day of .......................

Signed ..........................................

Applicant.

* Delete as necessary.

NOTES:

1. The applicant shall fill in an application form for each model.

2. The applicant shall submit all relevant trade leaflets, brochures or similar documents for the Authority’s consideration.

3. The applicant shall submit for the Authority’s consideration either an EEC type-examination certificate or a noise testing report certificated by a corporate member of the Institute of Acoustics, UK, that the testing was conducted in accordance with the conditions as set out in Schedule 2 to the Noise Control (Air Compressors) Regulations.

4. The applicant shall submit a fee of $530 for each label applied for. The fee payable on submission of this application will not be refunded. Cheques, drafts or cashier orders shall be made payable to “The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region” and crossed.

5. Regulation 8(3) of the Noise Control (Air Compressors) Regulations provides that not later than 28 days after an application is received by the Authority, the Authority shall issue a noise emission label or labels applied for or serve on the applicant written notice of his refusal to issue the label or labels, and if at the end of those 28 days he has done neither of those things, a label or labels shall be deemed to have been issued.

6. A noise emission label that is issued in consequence of misleading, false, wrong or incomplete information furnished by an applicant in connection with the application is liable to be cancelled.

7. The applicant is advised to read the Noise Control Ordinance and the Noise Control (Air Compressors) Regulations.

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<th>Permissible limit, dB(A)</th>
<th>No. of labels issued</th>
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### Checklist in sending application for Noise Emission Label

1. Checklist of items to be submitted when applying for Noise Emission Labels (NELs):

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<th>ITEMS</th>
<th>DESCRIPTION</th>
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<tr>
<td>Application Form</td>
<td>Application form for air compressor NELs or Application form for hand-held percussive breaker NELs</td>
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<tr>
<td>EEC type - Examination certificate or EC Declaration of Conformity &amp; relevant documentation under the Directive 2000/14/EC of the European Union or Noise Testing Report</td>
<td>An EEC type-examination certificate which may be used to cover a number of equipment of the same model and make or (1) An EC Declaration of Conformity as required under Article 8 of EU Directive 2000/14/EC (subject to latest version of the Directive); AND (2) Assessment report/ Certificate of conformity issued by Notified Body as required under Annex VI, VII of the Directive; or document demonstrating that the quality assurance system has been approved by the Notified Body as required under Annex VIII of the Directive; AND (3) The relevant technical report of noise measurement / noise emission assessment / noise test (confirming compliance to the relevant noise limits as specified under Article 12 of the Directive) or A noise testing report certifying compliance of noise emission standards issued by a corporate member of the Institute of Acoustics, UK*</td>
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<td>Other relevant information, if available</td>
<td>For example: trade leaflets/brochures of the particular equipment and/manufacturing date of the equipment</td>
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<td>Photocopy of Business Registration Certificate (BRC) OR Hong Kong Identity Card (HKID)</td>
<td>1 copy of BRC if the applicant is a company OR HKID if the applicant is an individual.</td>
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2. The application form must be duly completed and signed by the applicant.

3. The application fee for each NEL applied for is HK$530. Cheques shall be crossed and made payable to “The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region”. The fee payable on submission of the applications will not be refunded.

4. The application will be processed within 28 days (90% in 15 days under EPD’s performance pledge).

5. You may submit your application to an appropriate office of the Environmental Protection Department.
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<th>Offices</th>
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<th>Control Districts</th>
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<tr>
<td>Revenue Tower Office</td>
<td>33/F., Revenue Tower, 5 Gloucester Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong.</td>
<td>2824 3773</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices</td>
<td>8/F., Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices, 303 Cheung Sha Wan Road, Kowloon.</td>
<td>2402 5200</td>
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<td>Regional Office (East)</td>
<td>5/F., Nan Fung Commercial Centre, 19 Lam Lok Street, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon.</td>
<td>2755 5518</td>
<td>Kwun Tong, Wong Tai Sin, Sai Kung, Yau Tsim Mong &amp; Kowloon City</td>
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<td>Regional Office (South)</td>
<td>2/F., Chinachem Exchange Square, 1 Hoi Wan Street, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong.</td>
<td>2516 1718</td>
<td>Hong Kong Island &amp; Islands</td>
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<td>Regional Office (West)</td>
<td>8/F., Tsuen Wan Government Offices, 38 Sai Lau Kok Road, Tsuen Wan, New Territories.</td>
<td>2417 6116</td>
<td>Tuen Mun, Tsuen Wan, Kwai Tsing &amp; Sham Shui Po</td>
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<tr>
<td>Regional Office (North)</td>
<td>10/F., Sha Tin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Sha Tin, New Territories.</td>
<td>2158 5757</td>
<td>Yuen Long, Sha Tin, Tai Po &amp; North</td>
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* The Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics may provide a list of the corporate members showing interest in rendering service for noise tests. Please contact the Institute at e-mail: admin@hkioa.org
1. The Control

The Noise Control (Hand Held Percussive Breakers) Regulations and Noise Control (Air Compressors) Regulations made under the Noise Control Ordinance require that

(a) **hand held percussive breakers** having a mass of above 10 kg and **air compressors** (for construction work) capable of supplying compressed air at 500 kPa or above shall comply with the following noise emission standards as stipulated in the regulations; and

(b) such equipment shall be fitted with a **noise emission label (NEL)** [see sample below] issued by the Noise Control Authority (Environmental Protection Department) when being operated in Hong Kong.

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<th>Hand Held Percussive Breaker</th>
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<td><strong>Weight</strong> (kg)</td>
<td><strong>Permissible Sound Power Level, dB(A)</strong></td>
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<td>&gt; 10 - &lt; 20</td>
<td>108</td>
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<td>≥ 20 - ≤ 35</td>
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<td>&gt; 35</td>
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2. Penalties for an offence

Any person who contravenes the requirements mentioned in paragraph 1(a) or 1(b) above commits an offence and shall be liable to a fine of up to HK$100,000 on first conviction and up to HK$200,000 on second or subsequent conviction and in any case a fine up to HK$20,000 for each day during which the offence continues.
Purpose of Collection

1. The personal data provided by means of this form will be used by Environmental Protection Department for one or more of the following purposes:
   a. activities relating to the processing of your submission in this form;
   b. administration and enforcement of relevant environmental legislation;
   c. pollution complaint investigations;
   d. statistical and any other legitimate purposes; and
   e. to facilitate communications between Government and yourself.

2. The provision of personal data by means of this form is voluntary. If you do not provide sufficient information, we may not be able to process your application.

Classes of Transferees

3. The personal data you provided by means of this form may be disclosed to:
   a. other government bureaus and departments, and any other organisations for the purposes mentioned in paragraph 1 above, and
   b. other persons as permitted by the relevant legislation.

Access to Personal Data

4. You have a right of access and correction with respect to personal data as provided for in section 18 and 22 and principle 6 of Schedule 1 of the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance. Your right of access includes the right to obtain a copy of your personal data provided by this form.

Enquiries

5. Enquiries concerning the personal data collected by means of this form, including the making of access and corrections, should be addressed to:
   Senior Environmental Protection Officer (Knowledge Management)
   40/F, Revenue Tower, 5 Gloucester Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong
   Tel: 28383111 Fax: 28383111

Personal Information Collection Statement (for General Application)

收集個人資料一般申請用

收集個人資料的目的

1. 你在這份表格上提供的資料，將會用於下列一項或多項用途：
   a. 與處理本表格申請事項有關的工作；
   b. 有關環境法例的執行和執法；
   c. 污染投訴調查；
   d. 統計及其他法定用途；以及
   e. 方便政府跟你聯絡。

2. 你必須提供表格所要求的個人資料。如果你不提供足夠的資料，你的申請將會不完整。

轉交個人資料人士的類別

3. 你在本表格上提供的個人資料，本署可向下列人士披露
   a. 索取該等資料以作上文第1段用途的其他政府決策局及部門；以及
   b. 按有關法例獲准的其他人士

查閱個人資料

4. 根據個人資料（私隱）條例第18條及第22條及附表1第6條的規例，你有權利查閱和更改個人資料。你查閱個人資料的權利，包括取得在這份表格上提供的個人資料副本。

查閱

5. 如欲查詢經本表格填報的個人資料，包括查閱和更改個人資料，可去信:
   香港灣仔告士打道3號稅務大樓40樓
   高級環境保護主任(知識管理)
   電話：28383111 傳真：28383111