

Declaration in relation to convictions, cautions, reprimands or warnings

I/we confirm that we have not been convicted cautioned, reprimanded or warned in relation to any of the offences detailed under Category 1, 2 or 3 offences detailed below in pages 1 to 3:

I/we understand that I/we commit an offence if I/we knowingly supply any information to a local housing authority in connection with any of their functions under any of Parts 1 to 4 of the Housing Act 2004 that is false or misleading and which I/we know is false or misleading or I/we are reckless as to whether it is false or misleading.

I understand and accept that if I/we withhold information or provide false or misleading information this may result in my application being rejected.

To be completed by <u>all</u> applicants			
Full Name			
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Category 1 offences

A conviction for these offences will usually result in the licence application being rejected.

- Offences of dishonesty
 - Benefit fraud (*offences under ss111A and 112 of the Social Security Administration Act 1992*)
 - Forgery
 - Burglary
 - Conspiracy to defraud
 - Obtaining money or property by deception
- Offences of violence
 - Murder
 - Manslaughter
 - Arson
 - Malicious harm (*s20 Offences against the Person Act 1861*)
 - Possession of a firearm
 - Possession of an offensive weapon

Actual bodily harm (*s47 Offences Against the Person Act 1861*)
 Grievous bodily harm (*s18 Offences Against the Person Act 1861*)
 Robbery
 Riot
 Affray
 Any racially aggravated offence (*Crime and Disorder Act 1988*)

- Offences relating to drugs
 Supply of drugs
- Sexual and indecency offences
 Rape
 Soliciting
 Indecent assault
 Indecent exposure

 Any other offence under Schedule 3 of the Sexual offences act 2003
- Housing Act Offences
 Protection from Harassment Act 1997
 Protection from Eviction Act 1997
 Any conviction for failure to comply with the licensing regime as set out in the Housing Act 2004 (s95)
 Provision of false or misleading information (*s238 of Housing Act 2004*)
 Obstruction (*s241 of the Housing Act 2004*)
 Failure to comply with a licence condition (*s95 of the Housing Act 2004*)
 Failure to hold a relevant licence (*s72 of the Housing Act 2004*)
 Breach of improvement notices and prohibition orders (*s35.6 s32.2b of the Housing Act 2004*)

Category 2 offences

A conviction for these offences will be viewed seriously and, following further investigation, could result in the licence application being rejected:

- Offences of dishonesty
 Handling or receiving stolen goods
 Theft
- Offences of violence
 Violent disorder
 Police assault

A caution, reprimand or warning for any Category 1 offences will be classed as a Category 2 offence.

Category 3 offences

A conviction, caution, reprimand or warning for these offences may also be taken into account and further information will be requested in order to determine the relevance of these offences. If deemed to be relevant or sufficiently severe, these offences could result in the licence application being rejected:

- Offences of violence
Common assault
Criminal damage
Obstruction
- All other offences relating to dishonesty, drugs, sexual and indecency, Housing and Landlord and Tenant.

A caution, reprimand or warning for any Category 2 offences will be classed as a Category 3 offence.

Burnley Borough Council reserve the right to request a DBS from anyone who has day to day dealings with tenants/properties.