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## COUNTY OF LANCASHIRE ACT 1984 SECTION 26

## APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS A SECOND HAND GOODS DEALER

I/we hereby give you notice that I/we (propose to) carry on the business of Second Hand Goods Dealer(s) in the area of the Council and hereby apply to be registered accordingly.

Full name of dealer(s)		
Date of Birth		
Home Address		
Address of Business		
Telephone Number I enclose Registration Fee of		
Date Signature of Applicant		
FOR OFFICE USE  APPROVED BY	DATED Licence Issued	

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## **Dealers in Second Hand Goods**

- 1. As from the appointed day in any district, a person shall not in the district carry on the business of a dealer in second-hand goods unless he is registered or exempted from the registration by, or by virtue of, subsection (8) below.
- 2. An application for registration under this section shall be made in writing to the district council in such form as the district council shall prescribe, and the applicant shall in the application state:-
  - (a) his name and private address or, if the application is made by or on behalf of a body corporate, the registered or principal office of such body and the names and private addresses of the directors or other persons directly or indirectly responsible for the management thereof: and
  - (b) the address of each place in the district which is occupied by the applicant for the purposes of the business:

and the application shall be accompanied by such reasonable fee to cover the expense of the district council in dealing with such applications as the district council may prescribe.

- **3.** On application for registration under this section the district council shall register the applicant and issue to the applicant a certificate of registration.
- 4. Where -
  - (a) there is any alteration in the particulars mentioned in subsection (2) (a) or (b) above; or
  - (b) the person registered ceases to carry on business in the district as a dealer in second-hand goods;

the person registered shall within 14 days notify the district council of the fact, and the district council shall thereupon amend their register or, as the case may be, cancel the registration.

- **5.** (a) Every person registered under this section shall, at each place in the district which he occupies for the purposes of the business, keep a book for the purposes of this section, and shall, as respects every transaction at that place under which he acquires articles in the course of his business, enter in the book
  - (i) the date of the transaction;
  - (ii) the quantity and description of articles;
  - (iii) the name and address of the person from whom the articles are acquired; and
  - (iv) where practicable the registration number of any vehicle used by the vendor of the articles for delivering them to the place of business of the registered person.
  - (b) any book kept by a person in pursuance of this subsection shall be a bound book with consecutively numbered pages kept for the purposes of this section, and shall be retained by him until the end of the period of two years beginning with the day on which the last entry was made in the book.
- Any person who
  - (a) contravenes subsection (1) above; or
  - (b) without reasonable excuse contravenes subsection (5) above;

shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £200.

- 7. The occupier of any premises used by a person registered under this section for the purposes of the business in respect of which he is so registered shall keep a copy of the certificates of registration displayed in the premises, and, if without reasonable excuse he fails to do so, he shall be guilty of any offence and liable to summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £50 and to a daily fine not exceeding £5.
- 8. Relates to exemptions.