



Instructions to apply for an initial or renewal permit to carry handguns via the NJ State Police web site.



You will need your local police/law enforcing agency's ORI (Originating Agency Identifier) number. It is a unique number assigned to each Police Department and State Agency in New Jersey. It is used for licensing purposes, and you need to enter the ORI Number for the licensing authority that is responsible for the type of licensing you need, for your area of residence. You must first obtain an Originating Agency Identifier (ORI) Number from the local licensing police department to complete the online Firearms Applications. Contact your local police department (or the state police servicing your area if your municipality does not have its own police department) for their ORI number.

You will need your State Bureau of Identification (SBI) number. You can find your SBI number on your Firearms Purchaser Identification card, permits to purchase a handgun, and carry permit. It is usually a six digit number and one letter. If you have had your SBI number for a long time, it could be just a five digit number.

You will need a passport type photograph of yourself to upload. You will need your driver's license information. All the usual nonsense ...

Once you have gathered all the pertinent information, e.g. your four references including their mailing and electronic mail (e-mail) addresses, then navigate to NJ State Police web page at <https://www.nj.gov/njsp/>

Click on SERVICES near top of page; which causes a menu to drop down.

Click on FIREARMS INFORMATION near top of page (which navigates to <https://www.nj.gov/njsp/firearms/index.shtml>)

Scroll down to and click on Apply for a Permit to Carry a handgun (which navigates to <https://www.njportal.com/NJSP/ConcealedCarry/>)

Click on **Start Application** (which navigates to <https://www.njportal.com/NJSP/ConcealedCarry/Application?type=Initial>)

Answer the ORI Number tab questions, Upload your Photograph, then click **Continue →**

Click on the next tab, Training/SBI. Answer the questions, follow the directions, etc. click continue. So on and so forth for the remaining tabs: Personal. Identification. Contact. Background. References. Review.

You will need the following information/items for an Initial application:

- Your SBI (State Bureau of Identification) Number {found on your Firearms Purchaser Identification Card, Permit to Purchase a Handgun, or previous Permit to Carry a Handgun; also your Security Officer Registration Act or SORA number if you are so licensed)
- Upload of recent photograph (on a light background including head and shoulders)

- One (1) training record completed within ninety (90) days of initial application by the instructor with appropriate details (name, qualification date, instructor certification copies, etc.)
 - Forms S.P. 182 (Rev. 9/23) and S.P. 182a (06/23)
- Personal Information: including Social Security Number and Driver's License Number
- Background Information
- For Armored Car Applicants: Uploaded Employment Letter
- Contact Information for four (4) non-family related references
- Information on handguns to be carried (Make, Model, Serial Number, Caliber)
- \$200 Application Fee

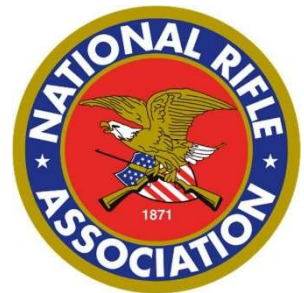
You will need the following information/items for a Renewal application Renewal:

- SBI Number, Last Name and Date of Birth for validation
- One (1) training record completed within ninety (90) days of renewal application by the instructor with appropriate details (name, qualification date, instructor certification copies, etc.)
- Forms S.P. 182 (Rev. 9/23) and S.P. 182a (06/23)
- Any updates to Personal Information
- Upload of recent photograph (on a light background including head and shoulders)
- Background Information
- Any updates to Handgun Information
- \$200 Application Fee

NRA Defensive Pistol and Carry a Concealed Weapon (CCW) classes through Nelsen Security and Safety Solutions surpass all NJ Use of Force for Private Citizen Concealed Carry and Civilian Carry Assessment and Range Evaluation (CCARE) requirements.



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