



Firearms Application Process per New Jersey State Police

- All firearm applications are to be completed online. Please follow the directions below to complete.

1) Log on to <https://www.njsp.org/firearms/>

- Scroll down and click:

- **Apply for Firearms Permit / Firearms ID Card (as pictured below)**

NJSP Firearms Investigation Unit

P.O. Box 7068

West Trenton, New Jersey 08628-0068

FirearmsInvestUnit@njsp.org - FARS or Permit to Carry applications (NON- RPO)

FirearmsDealers@njsp.org - Current firearms dealers or Aspiring retail / Wholesale firearms dealer

RPO@njsp.org - Question regarding your Retired Police Officer Permit to Carry

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- [Apply for Firearms Permit / Firearms ID Card](#)
 - [FAQ's - \(Transportation, Hollow Points, Inheritance, Assault Weapons, etc...\)](#)
 - [Forms to Download](#)
 - [RPO - Retired Law Enforcement Permit to Carry Handgun](#)
 - [New Jersey Shooting Ranges For RPO Qualifications](#)

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2) Select the link below which will route you to the application:


<https://www.njsp.org/firearms/fars.shtml>

The screenshot shows the New Jersey State Police website. At the top right, it lists Governor Phil Murphy and Lt. Governor Sheila Oliver, with links for NJ Home, Services A to Z, Departments/Agencies, and FAQs. A search bar with a 'Submit' button is present. The main header includes the State of New Jersey Department of Law & Public Safety, Office of the Attorney General, and the New Jersey State Police logo with the motto 'HONOR DUTY FIDELITY'. A navigation menu includes Home, About Us, Recruiting, Division, Public Information, Services, FAQs, and Contact Us. Social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and Instagram are also visible. The breadcrumb trail reads: Home / Services / Firearms Information / Firearms Application & Registration System (FARS). The main content area is titled 'Firearms Information' and 'Firearms Application & Registration System (FARS)'. A red heading states: 'IF YOU RESIDE IN A CITY/TOWN WITH A LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT Apply To Your Local Police Department'. Below this, it says: 'You MUST USE the **ORI NUMBER** assigned to that **SPECIFIC POLICE DEPARTMENT**. Please contact YOUR LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT for procedures and to verify their **SPECIFIC ORI**.' A red note states: 'All fees are non-refundable'. At the bottom, a blue button contains the URL: <https://njportal.com/NJSP/FARS>.




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3) Click the Online S.T.S. 033 Form link to begin



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
NEW JERSEY STATE POLICE
FIREARMS APPLICATION & REGISTRATION SYSTEM



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Application for Firearms Purchaser Identification Card and/or Handgun Purchase Permit

Due to the large volume of submitted firearms applications, delays will be experienced. Please contact your local police department with any questions. Fingerprinting has resumed for initial applicants.

Service Information

The S.T.S. 033 Form is prescribed by the Superintendent for use by applicants for Firearms Purchaser I.D. Cards & Handgun Purchase Permits.

The online S.T.S. 033 Form should be used only after consultation with your local Police Department or the State Police Barracks responsible for processing your firearm application. You must first obtain an Originating Agency Identifier (ORI) Number from the licensing department to complete this form. Please ensure that the agency ORI number is correct on the form. If an incorrect ORI number is entered on the form, you will NOT receive a firearms ID card or a permit to purchase. You will then have to re-apply using the correct ORI number and pay for the process again. **A refund can not be issued.**

If you have never been fingerprinted before for firearms purposes, you will need to go for fingerprinting with the Universal Fingerprint Form that will be generated after successful submission of this form. However, if you have been fingerprinted before for firearm purposes, upon completion of this form and payment, you would have completed both S.T.S 033 and 212A requirements.

Please verify the ORI with the Police Department or State Agency before submitting the form.


[Online S.T.S. 033 Form](#)

- What is the purpose of this form?
- How do I find out the local licensing authority for my application?
- What is an ORI Number and why is it important?

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<https://www.njportal.com/NJSP/Fars/Form33/OriValidation>



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4) Enter the following identification code: **NJ0020100**

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ORI Purpose Personal Identification Contact Background References Review

ORI Number

ORI Number is the identifier for the local licensing authority for the jurisdiction of your residential address. Correct ORI Number is essential for processing of this form.

ORI Number
NJ0020100

Agency Name : ALLENDALE PD

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a. This will electronically route your application to the Allendale Police Department Detective Bureau for processing



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- 5) Complete application accordingly. During the application process, you will need to provide two (2) credible references. The reference forms will be sent via e-mail by the online portal after submission of the application. Please notify these references of this matter and make sure you have their current e-mail and mailing address. If not, this could delay the application process.
- 6) Allendale Police will notify you once your application has been cleared and is ready for pick up. Upon picking up your application, you will be required to pay \$5.00 for a Firearm Identification (FID) Card (if applicable) and/or \$2.00 for each pistol purchase permit (up to 3 permits per application). Please come with exact cash or check payable to the "Borough of Allendale." If you have any further questions, please refer to the NJSP Firearms FAQ page or contact the Allendale Police Desk, to speak with the on-duty Communications Officer, 24/7 at 201-825-1900.

****NOTE: Applications take about 5 to 8 weeks to be processed****