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# **BPA PARACHUTIST 'B' LICENCE**



## SECTION1 PERSONAL DETAILS

TITLE (Mr. Mrs. Ms. etc.) & SURNAME\_

FORENAME(S)\_

ADDRESS

POSTCODE

NATIONALITY

DATE OF BIRTH\_\_\_\_\_PLACE OF BIRTH\_\_\_\_

BPA NO.

### SECTION 2 GENERAL INFORMATION

A BPA ADVANCED INSTRUCTOR MUST SIGN THE CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION AT SECTION 3. THE ENDORSEMENT FEE IS £5.00. SUBSEQUENT ENDORSEMENTS ARE £5.00 EACH. LICENCE HOLDERS APPLYING FOR AN ENDORSEMENT MUST RETURN THEIR LICENCE WITH THIS FORM. IF APPLYING FOR AN 'A' LICENCE AT THE SAME TIME AS THE 'B' LICENCE, AN 'A' LICENCE APPLICATION (FORM 190A) MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED AND SENT WITH THIS FORM. INCLUDING BOTH WRITTEN EXAMINATIONS. THE COMBINED FEE IS £15.00. TWO PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS MUST BE SENT WITH THIS APPLICATION IF THIS IS THE FIRST BPA LICENCE APPLICATION. BPA LICENCES WILL ONLY BE ISSUED TO 'FULL' BPA MEMBERS.

## SECTION 3 CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION

I CERTIFY FROM MY PERSONAL OBSERVATION AND INSPECTION OF THE APPLICANTS LOG BOOK AND BPA FORMS 240 & 241 AS APPLICABLE, THAT HE/SHE HAS THE NECESSARY QUALIFICATIONS AS DETAILED AT **SECTION 4** BELOW AND HAS ATTAINED THE STANDARDS REQUIRED FOR THE ISSUE OF A PARACHUTIST LICENCE CLASS 'B'.

Note: The applicant must be qualified at the appropriate grade. See (4) below.

SIGNED (BPA ADVANCEDINSTRUCTOR)

ADVANCED INSTRUCTOR'S NAME (PRINT)

## SECTION 4 MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR BPA PARACHUTIST 'B' LICENCE

BPA 'A' Licence, 50 descents and at least Canopy Handling Grade 2 (CH2) and Jump Master Grade 1 (JM1). Successful CH2 written examination (Form 241) must accompany this application (see Operations Manual, Section 2, Paragraph 2).

Parachutists are designated as follows: Student Parachutists - Below BPA 'A' Licence.

BPA Licence holders.

#### SECTION 5 PAYMENT DETAILS

PARACHUTIST LICENCE - £5.00 (or £15.00 if applying for both 'A' & 'B' Licence together) \*Please delete as appropriate

I ENCLOSE a Cheque\*/Postal Order\* to the value of £5.00\*/£15.00\* made payable to `BPA LIMITED`

OR, P	lease debit my MASTERCARD* /	VISA* / VISA ELECTRON* /	MAESTRO* / SOLO*	card as follows
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Card Number:

ISSUE No: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CODE No: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ISSUE FROM DATE: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_Date\_

Batch No:

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY CMR Date:

Licence No:\_\_\_\_\_Class:\_\_\_

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BPA NUMBER

# DESIGNATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF PARACHUTISTS (BPA OPERATIONS MANUAL - SECTION 2)

1. Parachutists are Designated as follows:-

Student ParachutistBelow BPA 'A' Licence.BPA Licence HoldersSee Paragraph 3 (below).

2. Parachutists are also Classified in several ways:

British Parachute Association (BPA) Parachutist Licence. Issued by the BPA and recognised by the Royal Aero Club of the United Kingdom, (see BPA Parachutist Licence below).

The Category System. BPA Operations Manual, Section 2, Paragraph 4.

Accelerated Free Fall (AFF) Levels. BPA Operations Manual, Section 2, Paragraph 5.

The Grading System. BPA Operations Manual, Section 2, Paragraph 6.

Student Tandem Parachutists. BPA Operations Manual, Section 2, Paragraph 7.

#### 3. BPA PARACHUTIST LICENCE

BPA 'A' Licence Category 8 & Canopy Handling Grade 1 (CH1) – BPA Form 190A

The BPA Parachutist Licence will be sent to the applicant, with the 'A' Licence section endorsed and with a CH1 sticker included.

BPA 'B' Licence BPA 'A' Licence, 50 descents and at least Canopy Handling Grade 2 (CH2) and Jump Master Grade 1 (JM1) – BPA Form 190B

Before the BPA 'B' Licence is applied for, an Advanced Instructor must have endorsed and stuck into the 'A' Licence at least an CH2 & JM1 Grading System stamp. The BPA Licence will then be returned to the applicant, with the 'B' Licence section endorsed

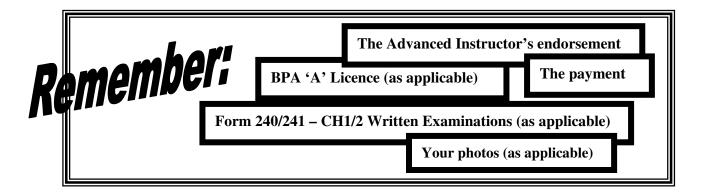
BPA 'C' Licence BPA 'B' Licence, 200 descents and at least one further 'Grade 1' - BPA Form 190C

Before the BPA 'C' Licence is applied for, an Advanced Instructor must have endorsed and stuck into the Licence the appropriate Grading System stamp. The BPA Licence will then be returned to the applicant, with the 'C' Licence section endorsed

#### BPA 'D' Licence BPA 'C' Licence, and 1000 descents - BPA Form 190C

The BPA Licence will be returned to the applicant, with the 'D' Licence section endorsed.

*Note:* Once BPA 'A' Licence has been obtained, all subsequent Grading System stamps are to be endorsed and stuck into the Licence by an Advanced Instructor.



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