



Pedlars Act 1871

1871 CHAPTER 96 34 and 35 Vict

Certificates to be obtained by Pedlars

5 Grant of certificate. **E+W+S**

The following regulations shall be made with respect to the grant of pedlar certificates:

- (1) Subject as in this Act mentioned, a pedlar's certificate shall be granted to any person by the chief officer of police [^{F1}for the police area] in which the person applying for a certificate has, during one month previous to such application, resided, on such officer being satisfied that the applicant is above seventeen years of age, is a person of good character, and in good faith intends to carry on the trade of a pedlar:
- (2) An application for a pedlar's certificate shall be in the form specified in schedule two to this Act, or as near thereto as circumstances admit:
- (3) There shall be paid for a pedlar's certificate previously to the delivery thereof to the applicant a fee of [^{F2}£12.25]
- (4) A pedlar's certificate shall be in the form specified in schedule two to this Act, or as near thereto as circumstances admit:
- (5) A pedlar's certificate shall remain in force for one year from the date of issue thereof, and no longer:
- (6) On the delivery up of the old certificate, or on sufficient evidence being produced to the satisfaction of the chief officer of police that the old certificate has been lost, that officer may, either at the expiration of the current year, or during the currency of any year, grant a new certificate in the same manner as upon a first application for a pedlar's certificate. In Great Britain one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and in Ireland the Lord Lieutenant may from time to time provide for the expiration of all pedlars certificates at the same period of each year, and in doing so shall provide for the apportionment of the fees payable in respect of any such certificate.

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Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Pedlars Act 1871, Section 5. (See end of Document for details)

Extent Information

- E1** This version of this provision extends to England, Wales and Scotland only; a separate version has been created for Northern Ireland only

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 5(1) substituted (22.8.1996) by 1996 c. 16, ss. 103(1), 104(1), **Sch. 7 Pt. II para. 2**
F2 Words substituted (E.W.) by virtue of S.I. 1985/2027. art. 2 and (S.) by virtue of S.I. 1985/2054, **art. 2**

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Power to amend s. 5 (E.W.) conferred by **Local Government Act 1966 (c. 42), s. 35(2), Sch. 3 Pt. II para. 8**
C2 Power to amend s. 5(3) conferred (S.) by **Local Government (Scotland) Act 1966 (c. 51, SIF 81:2), s. 42(2), Sch. 4 Pt. II** (as amended by **Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1981 (c. 23, SIF 81:2), s. 40, Sch. 3 para. 12**)

5 Grant of certificate. **N.I.**

The following regulations shall be made with respect to the grant of pedlar certificates:

- (1) Subject as in this Act mentioned, a pedlar's certificate shall be granted to any person by the chief officer of police of the police district in which the person applying for a certificate has, during one month previous to such application, resided, on such officer being satisfied that the applicant is above seventeen years of age, is a person of good character, and in good faith intends to carry on the trade of a pedlar:
- (2) An application for a pedlar's certificate shall be in the form specified in schedule two to this Act, or as near thereto as circumstances admit:
- (3) There shall be paid for a pedlar's certificate previously to the delivery thereof to the applicant a fee of [^{F3}£12.25]
- (4) A pedlar's certificate shall be in the form specified in schedule two to this Act, or as near thereto as circumstances admit:
- (5) A pedlar's certificate shall remain in force for one year from the date of issue thereof, and no longer:
- (6) On the delivery up of the old certificate, or on sufficient evidence being produced to the satisfaction of the chief officer of police that the old certificate has been lost, that officer may, either at the expiration of the current year, or during the currency of any year, grant a new certificate in the same manner as upon a first application for a pedlar's certificate. In Great Britain one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and in Ireland the [^{F4}Department for Social Development may by order provide] for the expiration of all pedlars certificates at the same period of each year, and in doing so shall provide for the apportionment of the fees payable in respect of any such certificate.

Extent Information

- E2** This version of this provision extends to Northern Ireland only; a separate version has been created for England, Wales and Scotland only

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Textual Amendments

F3 Words substituted (N.I.) by virtue of [S.R. 1985/350](#), art. 2(1)

F4 Words in [s. 5\(6\)](#) substituted (2.12.1999) by [S.I. 1999/663](#), arts. 1(2), 2(1), [Sch. 1 para. 6\(1\)](#) (with art. 5)

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- E+W+S - England, Wales and Scotland extent
- N.I. - Northern Ireland extent

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Pedlars Act 1871, Section 5.