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FORM 1

(Regulation 2)

**APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE AS AN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS COMPANY UNDER
THE INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS COMPANIES ACT
CAP. 77 OF THE LAWS OF BARBADOS**

Notes on Completion

In completing this form, some of the questions may be inapplicable. In such case N/A may be stated in the appropriate place along with the reason that the question is inapplicable. Where information requested is inappropriate please give reasons for inappropriateness.

Do not leave any blank spaces. Where a yes/no answer is required, please indicate response by ticking in the relevant box.

If insufficient space has been provided for a reply at any point, please provide the information on a SEPARATE SHEET, and refer to it in the space provided for your response. Please ensure that any sheets are clearly marked with the name of your organisation and referenced to the question.

If any further information or clarification is required, it will be requested during the processing of the application.

Please use black ink and BLOCK CAPITALS or TYPESCRIP for all answers when filling the form by hand

ATTACH THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS

For all companies

- Certified copy of the Articles of or Proof of Application for Incorporation/Registration/Continuance.
- Certified copy of audited financial statements of the parent company (if applicable).
- Due diligence and compliance procedures of person making application on behalf of the applicant including acceptance procedures and know your customer policies if not submitted previously.

For companies engaged in financial services

In addition to the documents specified above, the following documents should be enclosed:

- An organizational chart showing the senior management and Board levels with brief description of responsibilities.
- Projected financial statements to include forecast balance sheets and profit and loss figures for the first three years of operation, together with assumptions underlying the preparation of figures where appropriate.
- A detailed three year business plan setting out how the proposed activities are to be conducted where appropriate.

PARTICULARS OF THE APPLICANT

1. Name of Applicant:
2. Registration/Incorporation number:
3. Date licence requested:
4. Contact details of registered office:

5. Contact details of place from which company will carry on business (if different from 4. above)

6. Contact details of service provider/applicant:

7. Contact details of auditor if appropriate:

8. Contact details of proposed local bankers:

9. Financial Year End

10. Number of persons to be employed by the company requiring work permits
11. Positions to be held by the persons requiring work permits:
12. Will any of the persons requiring work permits be applying for tax concessions as specially qualified persons? YES NO
13. If **YES** to 12 above, how many?
14. Names, address, registration/incorporation number of all related entities carrying on business, licensed, incorporated, registered or organised in Barbados:
15. Which of the following activities does the company plan to engage in, please indicate in the relevant box.

Manufacturing		Distribution (e.g. franchising, retailing)	
Processing		Educational services	
Investment		Environmental services	
Professional services		Financial services	
Computer and related services		Health related and social services	
Research and development services		Tourism and travel related services	
Real estate services		Energy services	
Rental/leasing services without operators		Transportation services	
Business services (not mentioned above)		Recreational, cultural and sporting (e.g. entertainment, news agency, museums)	
Specify:			
Communications (e.g. postal, courier, telecommunications)		Construction and related engineering services	
Other activity not included elsewhere. Specify:			

20. A profile of each proposed shareholder (academic qualifications, training, experience, corporate status and description of business where relevant):

21. A profile of each senior manager/director (academic qualifications, training, experience, corporate status and description of business where relevant):

22. Contact details of the ultimate beneficial shareholders (if different from 19 above)

23. State whether, to the best of the applicants' knowledge and belief having made all reasonable enquiries, any of its senior and managerial staff has ever in any jurisdiction:
- been convicted of a criminal offence involving fraud, insider dealing or other dishonesty. YES NO
 - been declared bankrupt or come to any compromise with his creditors (or analogous proceedings). YES NO
 - been refused or had withdrawn any licence or authorisation to conduct controlled activities. YES NO
24. If **YES** to any of the above, give details below.
25. Has the applicant ever been refused or had revoked any authorisation to carry on business in a jurisdiction other than Barbados?
- YES NO
26. Has the applicant ever been subject to any disciplinary measures by any regulatory body of which it is, or was at the time, a member or by any other regulatory body in Barbados or elsewhere in relation to its business activities?
- YES NO
27. So far as the applicant is aware, have the applicant's affairs been investigated by any regulatory body in Barbados or elsewhere in relation to its business activities other than enquiries conducted in the course of normal monitoring and surveillance procedures?
- YES NO

DECLARATION

I ,

of

do hereby declare as follows:

- (a) that I am authorised to make this application under the International Business Companies Act Cap. 77 and the Regulations and that having made all reasonable enquiries, the information supplied to the Ministry in connection with this application is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate in all material respects and does not omit any information which might reasonably be considered relevant to the application;
- (b) that I am instructed and verily believe that the company will not carry on any kind of international business other than that disclosed in the application or licenced under the *International Business Companies Act, Cap. 77*;
- (c) that the [company/proposed company] [is not/will not be] a company described in section 7(2) of the Act, [satisfies/once incorporated, continued or registered, will satisfy] the requirements of section 8 of the Act and intends to comply with the requirements of the Act;
- (d) that the applicant will notify the Ministry of any material change in information supplied in the application or any other matter which occurs during the period in which the application for authorization is being considered and that thereafter it will comply with its obligations as regards notification of changes;
- (e) that I have conducted the appropriate due diligence with respect to the company, shareholders, officers and senior managers named in this application and that to the best of my knowledge all such persons are fit and proper to carry on business from Barbados;
- (f) that I have conducted the appropriate due diligence with respect to the company, directors, shareholders, officers and managers named in this application and that to the best of my knowledge all such persons have not participated in any money laundering activity, neither have the company, shareholders, directors or officers made any funds, financial assets or economic resources or financial or other related services available directly or indirectly, for the benefit of persons who have committed or attempted to commit or facilitated or participated in the commission of terrorist acts within the meaning of the *Anti-Terrorism Act, 2002*.

The applicant authorises the Ministry to make such enquiries as it may consider necessary in connection with this application.

Declared this _____ day of _____, _____

Signature of Declarant.