FUNDRAISING

FACT SHEET 4: How to apply for a Lottery Permit

Do you wish to raise funds for your club or sporting organization?

Why not hold a club lottery?

Did you know that a Superintendent of An Garda Siochana is authorized to issue permits for occasional lotteries to persons residing in their area?

HOW TO APPLY FOR A LOTTERY PERMIT

(Section 27 of the Gaming And Lotteries Act 1956)

Apply at your local Garda Station

The Lottery which a permit holder is authorized to promote shall comply with the following conditions:-

- 1 The Permit Holder shall derive no personal profit from the lottery.
- 2 The total value of the prizes shall not be more that €3800
- 3 The value of each prize shall be stated on every ticket coupon.

A permit shall not be granted more than once in six months for the benefits of any one beneficiary.

Periodical Lottery for charitable purposes under licence granted by the District Court

(Section 28 of the Gaming and Lotteries Act 1956)

The District Court may grant a licence for the promotion, during such period not exceeding one year, as shall be specified in the licence, of periodical lotteries. The total prize in any one week shall not exceed €12,700.

