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Mr Olgun Kulah Tescombe Lodge 21 Forest Lane Chigwell Essex IG7 5AF

MAY 28th 2015

Dear Mr Kulah.

Reference your email dated 27/05/2015 regarding the requirement of confirmation of authority to export firearms temporarily out of the UK to South Africa for the purposes of hunting in South Africa with Rhinoster Hoek Safaris between 01/06/2015 and 09/06/2015. This letter is to confirm that you can lawfully temporarily export the following firearms and ammunition; subject to certain conditions being met, from the United Kingdom as a UK Permit holder of above firearms and ammunition to South Africa for hunting.

Sauer Bolt Action Rifle 6.5mmx55 Caliber (Serial no N10496) Sako Bolt Action Rifle 7.62/ .308 Caliber (Serial no 370411) With 100 rounds of ammunition (reimporting any unused rounds and spent cases)

The details of your UK Firearms Certificate are as follows: Certificate nn:42/A/00000F30908 issued by Essex Police valid from 03/03/2015 to 02/03/2020...

The Export Control Order 2008 section 16 (1) onwards provides a licence exemption for firearms which are carried as personal effects. Therefore as long as you can meet the conditions you do not require an export licence.

I would recommend that you read the relevant sections in the Export Control Order 2008 to ensure that you can meet the conditions of the exception. http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2008/3231/contents/made

I have outlined the main points below:

- You must have the correct gun permit as outlined in paragraph16 (1) (a-d) of the Order
- The firearm, related ammunition and sight using non-electronic image enhancement form part of your personal effects. If your sight uses image enhancement this exemption does not apply. Paragraph 16 (3) of the Order refers.
- You must produce your gun permit together with the firearm, ammunition and sight to a UKBF officer at the place of export. Paragraph 16 (3) of the Order refers.



This advice applies to South Africa only if you are planning to visit any other countries you may need an export licence. Paragraph 16 (2) (b) and Schedule 4 of the Order refers.

If you cannot meet the conditions of the exception, as stated above then you would have to apply for a Standard Individual Export Licence (SIEL) from the Export Control Organization at the Department of Business Innovation and Skills.

If you require any further assistance or advice please do not hesitate to contact me and I will endeavor to assist you.

Sincerely,

Dave Burch (10528) UK Border Force Officer Firearms Operations Heathrow Airport