



Dover District Council

APPLICATION TO GIVE AN EXHIBITION, DEMONSTRATION OR PERFORMANCE OF HYPNOTISM

Hypnotism Act 1952

Applicant Name:	
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Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of this form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written or typed in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary. You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I hereby apply for consent to provide an exhibition, demonstration or performance (please tick as appropriate) of Hypnotism under the Hypnotism Act 1952 (as amended).

1. Your Details:

Title:	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms		Forename(s)					
Surname						Date of Birth					
Previous name (if applicable)											
Place of Birth											
Stage Name (if different)											
Forename(s)						Surname					
Address where ordinarily resident (we will use the address below to correspond with you unless you complete the separate correspondence box below).											
Address											
						Post Code					
Telephone Number						Mobile Number					
Email address											
Address for correspondence associated with this application (if different to the address above)											
Address											
						Post Code					
Telephone Number						Mobile Number					
Email address											

Are you a Member of Federation of Ethical Stage Hypnotists or any other professional body or trade association related to Hypnotism?
If yes please provide details

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Have you ever been refused or had your membership revoked from any such association?
If yes please provide details

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Have you ever been refused or had any consent withdrawn by a Licensing Authority?
If yes please provide details

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Have you ever been convicted of an offence under the Hypnotism Act 1952 or of an offence involving the breach of a condition regulating or prohibiting the giving of an exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism on any person at any location?
If yes please provide details

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Please provide a description of the proposed exhibition, demonstration or performance:

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List below the last three venues at which you have provided an exhibition, demonstration or performance:

Name of Venue	
Date	
Description	
Contact Number	

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Date	
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Contact Number	

2. Details of the Exhibition, Demonstration or Performance

The location of the proposed performance(s)

The date(s)	
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The proposed hour(s)	
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Telephone number on which you may be contacted for up to 12 hours after the end of any performance:			
Telephone Number		Mobile Number	

	Yes	No
If the performance includes hypnotising members of the public, will minders stay with the hypnotised subjects during the show including the interval		

	Yes	No
Is the Hypnotist providing a minder for each hypnotised subject		
If the answer to the above is 'no', how many hypnotised subjects will a minder supervise		

3. Declaration

I declare that I have checked the information given on this application form and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is correct.

4. Insurance

Please enclose proof of insurance

5. Fee

Please enclose fee of £50

Data Protection

Dover District Council is a data controller under General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), your attention is drawn to our Corporate Privacy Notice available at <https://www.dover.gov.uk/privacy>. This explains how we will use and share your personal information and protect your privacy and rights.

I understand that applications should be made no later than 28 days prior to any performance and failure to comply may mean the application will not be determined in time for the performance.

SIGNATURE:	
PRINT NAME:	
DATE:	

Please complete all sections of the application form as incomplete applications will be returned to the applicant.

Please note that occasionally additional information may be required in order to process the application.

If you do have any questions regarding this form, please do not hesitate to contact the licensing service for advice.

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Guidance notes for applicants

1. Any exhibition, demonstration or performance (hereafter referred to as a “performance”) of hypnotism (as defined in the Hypnotism Act 1952) on any person requires the express written consent of the licensing authority and must comply with any attached conditions.
2. An application for consent must be in writing and signed by the applicant or his agent and shall normally be made not less than 28 days in advance of the performance concerned. This period may be reduced in the case of a hypnotist who has performed at the same venue within the last three years without any problems occurring.
3. The applicant must at the same time as submitting the application, forward a copy of the application to the chief officer of police; and the authority may also copy it to the local fire authority if it considers this necessary.
4. Applications should be accompanied by any supporting documentation required in the application form.
5. It is an offence to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application for a licence.