



General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan

Crop Hail Adjuster Designated Representative Application and Transfer of Recommendation

This application applies to the applicant who is applying for a Crop Hail Adjuster Designated Representative Licence.

If you have any questions about this application, contact the General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan (Council) or visit our web site.

Council's regular business hours are Monday to Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Security Clearance

Criminal record checks must accompany all initial Saskatchewan applications for licensing. This applies to first time applicants, individuals who have not held a licence for more than one year or individuals who have to re-qualify for licensing.

- Have the local police or RCMP detachment conduct a criminal record check based on a name search and date of birth. **You must apply to the police service that serves the area in which you reside.**
- If a possible record is indicated, you will be required to have this verified with a fingerprint check.
- The completed Security Clearance Report must be attached to the application form. The report may not be dated in excess of six months from the current date.
- A criminal record check is not required for a transfer of recommendation request.
- Any costs associated with the record check are the responsibility of the applicant.

Reason for Criminal Record Check
Employment – Crop Hail Adjuster

Licence Issuer:
General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan
310, 2631 – 28th Avenue
Regina SK S4S 6X3

Application Fee

The application fee for obtaining a licence is \$75 and transfer of sponsorship is \$25 (please note the licensing fee is subject to change). Please refer to the last page of this application form to locate the payment options available.

Submitting Applications

All licence applications must be reviewed and signed by the recommending insurer, prior to forwarding to Council for consideration at:

Licensing Department
Insurance Councils of Saskatchewan
310, 2631 - 28th Avenue
Regina SK S4S 6X3

Tel: 306.347.0862
Fax: 306.347.0525

www.skCouncil.sk.ca



Part C: Background

The following are questions relevant to *The Insurance Act* regarding trustworthiness and suitability to be licensed.

Please read these questions carefully to ensure all responses are accurate. Inaccurate answers may be considered a material misstatement.

For any questions where disclosure is required, please provide complete details on a separate sheet of paper and attach to the application form.

<p>1. Have you ever held an insurance or adjuster licence in Saskatchewan, or anywhere in Canada or in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>If yes, please provide information about licence year, licence class and jurisdiction.</i></p>	<p>5. Have you ever been the subject of receivership and/or bankruptcy proceedings, including consumer proposals?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>If yes, please provide an explanation of the circumstances and a complete copy of the documents involved.</i></p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>
<p>2. Has any licence or registration held by you as an insurance agent, adjuster or for selling any other financial products, ever been suspended or revoked for cause, anywhere in Canada or in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>	<p>6. Have you ever been the subject of any complaints, investigations, sanctions or disciplinary actions, including but not limited to, a letter of warning, caution, fine, etc., against you by any financial services regulator, federal regulator (e.g., FINTRAC, CRA, CRTC, Privacy Commissioner, etc.) insurer or any other financial services company with which you hold/held a contract, in Canada or anywhere in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>
<p>3. Have you ever been refused an insurance or adjuster licence or registration for selling financial products or adjusting claims in Canada or anywhere in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>	<p>7. Have you ever been investigated, charged or convicted of any criminal or quasi-criminal offence, in Canada or anywhere in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>
<p>4. Do you currently or plan to engage in any business or occupation other than the insurance or adjusting business?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p>Please provide the name of the business, occupation details, supervisory responsibilities and date of employment.</p> <p><i>This would include any business that requires a licence or registration or is corporately registered.</i></p>	<p>8. Have you ever been the subject of any type of legal action, including but not limited to, class action lawsuits or civil actions respecting the business of insurance including adjusting, or any other financial service, in Canada or anywhere in the world?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nothing to Disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure attached</p> <p><i>This question applies to you personally AND any company in which you are/were a principal shareholder, officer or director or designated representative.</i></p>



Part D: Non-Resident Applicants

1. Saskatchewan address for service as required by subsection 10-1(3) of *The Insurance Regulations*.

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Street Address (Box #'s will not be accepted)	City/Town	Province	Postal Code
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2. a) A non-resident applicant whose home jurisdiction has a web based licensee search is not required to provide a Certificate of Authority/Non-Resident Endorsement. Council will verify the licence status online.

b) A non-resident applicant whose home jurisdiction does not have a web based license search, is required to provide a Certificate of Authority/Non-Resident Endorsement with this application.

3. What date did you obtain your Crop Hail Adjuster Licence in your resident jurisdiction? _____
month day year

4. I am required to comply with continuing education requirements in my resident jurisdiction? Yes No

Part E: Consent to the Collection, Use and Disclosure of Information

By applying for an adjuster licence, I, the applicant, understand personal information will need to be collected from me and from other sources such as the recommender of the licence, financial service regulators, law enforcement agencies, credit bureaus, insurance companies, previous employers or other organizations in the financial services sector. I, therefore, consent to the collection and use of this personal information for the purpose of determining suitability for licensing.

I, the applicant, further understand and consent to the disclosure of personal information to the recommender of the licence, financial service regulators, law enforcement agencies, credit bureaus, insurance companies or other organizations in the financial services sector, for the purpose of determining suitability for licensing.

X _____ X _____
Signature of applicant Date Signed

X _____
Print name of applicant



Part F: Delcaration

The making of a false statement on this application constitutes a material misstatement and may result in the refusal of this application and the subsequent suspension or cancellation of any licence issued. This application is required to be signed by the applicant named herein.

I, _____, solemnly declare that all statements and answers in the foregoing application including attachments are true and correct, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

X

Signature of applicant

X

Date Signed

Part G: Recommender Declaration

To be completed by the licensed insurer that is recommending the Crop Hail Adjusting Firm.

Applicant Name

Please Print

_____ is hereby recommended to act as a designated representative for the adjusting firm named herein.

Legal Name of Adjusting Firm

Please Print

The recommender certifies that the qualifications and business record of the applicant have been investigated and that the applicant is suitable to receive a licence.

To the best of our knowledge, information and belief, all statements and answers contained in the foregoing application are true and correct, and that the applicant has completed this application.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT IF THE APPLICANT NAMED HEREIN IS TERMINATED, WRITTEN NOTICE, INCLUDING THE REASONS FOR TERMINATION, WILL BE GIVEN TO THE GENERAL INSURANCE COUNCIL OF SASKATCHEWAN, IMMEDIATELY.

Print Legal Name of Recommender

Authorized Official Signature

Print Name of Signee

Date Signed

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Telephone

Fax

E-mail Address

THE ABOVE APPLICANT WILL NOT ACT AS A DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE UNTIL THE LICENCE IS ISSUED

NOTE: The same licensed insurer must recommend the Crop Hail Adjusting Firm and Crop Hail Adjuster Designated Representative applications.



APPLICANT'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Print applicant's name _____

A licence imposes on the licensee obligations including, but not limited to, the following:

- a) to adhere to the Act, regulations, and the General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan (GICS) Bylaws;
- b) to follow established standards of competence, conduct and practice in the business of insurance.

1. I acknowledge I have read the GICS Bylaws and the Hail Insurance Study Guide; and
2. I agree, prior to March 1, 2021, to successfully pass the appropriate entry exams as outlined in the GICS Bylaws in order to maintain my Crop Hail Adjuster Licence; and
3. I agree to adjust crop hail insurance claims using established crop adjusting procedures set out in the current version of the Council Approved Crop Hail Adjuster Manual.

The Hail Insurance Study Material and Bylaw is available to on the Council website at <https://www.skCouncil.sk.ca/hailbyla.htm>

I understand a licence will not be granted in the absence of returning this signed acknowledgment to the Council office.

I further understand I am prohibited from acting as a Crop Hail Adjuster until the licence has been granted.

Signature of applicant

Date Signed



Attachments to the application form

- Part A – a copy of your work permit or Immigrant Visa, and details, if applicable
- Part B, C – copies of all necessary documentation
- Part C – Non-Resident Endorsement, if applicable
- Provide Security Clearance Report
- Payment of licence fee

Payment information (Please choose a payment option below)

- Cheque or money order enclosed for full amount Make cheque or money order payable to the:
Insurance Councils of Saskatchewan.
An NSF charge of \$25 will apply for returned cheques.
- Charge credit card for the full amount
- VISA
- MasterCard
- _____ - - -
Card Number

/_____
Expiry Date (MM/YY)
- _____
Signature
- _____
Print name of applicant

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