

Application Form



Are you aged 15 or 16 and are able to work in a covert operation alongside Trading Standards Officers to make sure that shops don't break the law?

Volunteers must not look older than their age and be freely willing to participate with the permission of their parents.

Area of work

Please tick the boxes that indicate the area of work you wish to volunteer for. You may volunteer for more than one area.

- Cigarettes Sales
- Fireworks Sales
- Alcohol Sales

Volunteer details

Name:

Address:

Post Code

Home Telephone Number:

Date of Birth:

Parent/Guardian details

Do you have friends or family employed in the retail sale of alcohol, tobacco or fireworks? Y N

If yes, what is the name of the business?

In what area does the business operate? Town:

(If the business operates nationally, please state the nearest branch.)

County:

Name and occupation of parents/guardians

Name: Occupation:

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Declaration

To be completed by the parent/guardian. Please tick the boxes to indicate your understanding of the requirements for volunteer work.

I understand that I may be required to provide a witness statement and a copy of the child's birth certificate.

I understand that, in order to ensure the integrity of any future legal proceedings, I will be required to disclose any of the child's cautions/criminal involvement with the police, or appearances in the youth court.

I understand that all information relating to Trading Standards enforcement work must be kept confidential and not discussed with any other parties.

These understandings are essential to protecting the safety and security of the volunteer and to ensuring the integrity of work carried out and any resulting legal proceedings.

Signatures of Consent:

Name of Volunteer:

Signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian:

Signature:

Date:

Notice of Confidentiality

All details provided by you will be kept in strictest confidence and will be destroyed once voluntary assistance has concluded or at any time you so request.

For further information

Please contact Trading Standards at:

Wigan Council
Environmental Services Department
Community Protection Section
Unity House
Westwood Park Drive
Wigan
WN3 4HE

Telephone: 01942 827476