

Section 2: Online Guide to getting a “Restricted Radio Operators Permit”

The following Procedures will guide you through getting your “Restricted Radio Operators Permit” online via the FCC’s website.

Step 1: Go to the FCC License website. <http://wireless.fcc.gov/uls/index.htm?job=home>

- If you are reading this guide electronically you can click on the link and it will take you directly there.
- If you are reading this guide from a hardcopy paper, carefully type the web address into the navigation bar of your browser.

Step 2: You must REGISTER. When you register you will receive a FCC Registration Number (FRN) which will allow you to get your license.

- Hit the button on the webpage that says; “Register”
- Follow the prompts and directions. They are very self explanatory.
- Make sure you print out the page with your FRN and password information as you will need it to get your license.

Step 3: Login

- Hit the “LOGIN” button on the website. Use your FPN and password to log in.
- Fill out your name and address and answer all the questions.
- The following notes may help you in answering the questions:
 1. Under the Select a Service question: Select - RR Restricted Operator
 2. You are not exempt from the application fees, so your answer should be “no”.
 3. Yes, You are available for employment in the U.S.
 4. Make sure your address is in the U.S.

Step 4: Certify

- Once you are done answering all the questions then you will be asked to “Certify” your answers.
- Read all the Certification Statements
- Check the box indicated “I certify that ALL the above statements are true”

Step 5: At this point you should be able to hit the button that says; “SUBMIT APPLICATION”

*** Make sure you print your application when the system allows you to.

Step 6: After you are done with the submission it will ask you how you want to pay. If you select “electronically” it will take you to Form 159. Follow the directions. Make your payment.

Step 7: Print form 159 so you have a record of payment. You will receive your license in 15-21 days.