

Application for Special Industrial  
Homeworker's Certificate

**U.S. Department of Labor**  
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**Instructions:** Prepare three copies of this form and forward the original to the address shown above. The duplicate is to be kept by the employer and the other copy given to the homeworker applicant. All questions must be answered in full. The homeworker applicant is to furnish information for Section I. The employer furnishes information for Section II. The signature of each is required on the application. Section III, Report of Medical Examination, should be completed by a licensed physician.

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**Section I. Information to Be Furnished by Homeworker**

1. Certificate is requested for employment in the industry checked below:

Button & Buckle Manufacturing     
  Gloves and Mittens     
  Jewelry Manufacturing     
  Women's Apparel  
 Embroideries     
  Handkerchief Manufacturing     
  Knitted Outerwear

2. Print or type Name of Homeworker Applicant	3. Address (Street No., Apt. No., if Any)	
4. City or Town, State, ZIP Code	5. Age	6. Telephone Number (Include Area Code) (     )

7. Explain fully why you are unable to work in a factory:

8. a. Do You Hold a State Homeworker Certificate?	b. If "Yes," Name State	c. Expiration Date of State Certificate
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I have read the statements in this application and ask that the requested certificate be granted.

Signature of Homeworker (If worker cannot write, signature may be made by mark (X) and witnessed by another person.)

Signature or Mark (X) of Homeworker Applicant:      Date:      Signature of Witness (If Necessary):

**Public Burden Statement**

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to this collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The Department of Labor estimates it will take an average of 30 minutes for respondents to complete this collection of information, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. If you have any comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, send them to the Administrator, Wage and Hour Division, U.S. Department of Labor, Room S-3502, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210. **DO NOT SEND THE COMPLETED FORM TO THIS OFFICE.**

**Section II. Information to Be Furnished by Employer**

9. Name and Address, Including ZIP Code of Employer

10. Name of State Vocational Rehabilitation Agency, if Any, Supervising Homeworke's Employment

11. If work is to be distributed to homeworke from other than above address, enter name and address of firm or individual distributing work.

I certify that the answers to the above questions are true and correct.

( )  
*(Telephone Number Including Area Code)*

*(Print or Type Name of Employer or Authorized Representative)*

*(Title)*

*(Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative)*

*(Date)*

**Section III. Report of Medical Examination**

12. Name of Person Examined

Nature of Disability

**A** **Application to Work at Home Because of Inability to Work in a Factory Due to Physical Disability.** How and to what extent does the disability affect the ability of the applicant to undertake work in a factory?

**B** **Application to Work at Home Due to Need to Care for an Invalid.** Does the disability of the invalid warrant care to the extent of prohibiting employment of the applicant away from home?  Yes  No. If "Yes," explain nature and extent of care required.

13. What Is the Prognosis?

14. Print or Type Name and Address, Including ZIP Code, of Examining Physician

15. Signature of Examining Physician

16. Date