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Garda vetting

IMPORTANT

It has been confirmed by the Department of Justice and Equality that commencement orders for the National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016 have been signed.

The Act commenced on the 29th April 2016.

PLEASE NOTE:

Garda vetting has been an FAI Rule for all those working with children and or vulnerable persons (in a paid or voluntary capacity) for a number of years now. Therefore, this legislation simply places existing FAI practices on a statutory footing. Please see FAI Rule 75 and the FAI Child Welfare Policy for more information. If you are not Garda vetted through the FAI, you should not undertake any work in a paid or voluntary capacity with children or vulnerable persons in football.

For new Garda vetting applications, you should fully complete all sections of the FAI Garda vetting form available for download below.

In this document you will find a Garda vetting ID validation form, in addition to a Vetting Invitation form.

You should complete and return your Garda vetting ID validation form, Vetting Invitation form and copies of your verified identification in an enveloped marked 'Private and Confidential' to: Child Welfare, Football Association of Ireland, National Sports Campus, Abbotstown, Dublin 15.

Upon receipt of your Vetting Invitation Form, Garda ID Validation form and copies of your verified ID the FAI will email you an invitation to complete the remainder of your Garda vetting application online. Following this, you will receive a tracking number which you can use to track the current status of your Garda vetting application.

If a Garda vetting applicant is aged 16 or 17, the above documentation must be accompanied by a Parental/Guardian Consent form (NVB 3).



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Form NVB 1

Vetting Invitation

Section 1 - Personal Information

Under Sec 26(b) of the National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016, it is an offence to make a false statement for the purpose of obtaining a vetting disclosure.

Forename(s):

Middle Name:

Surname:

Date Of Birth:

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Email address:

Contact number:

Role Being Vetted For:

Current Address:

Line 1:

Line 2:

Line 3:

Line 4:

Line 5:

Eircode/Postcode:

Section 2 - Additional Information

Name Of Organisation

(Please tick the box) I have provided documentation to validate my identity as required and I consent to the making of this application and to the disclosure of information by the National Vetting Bureau to the Liaison Person pursuant to Section 13(4)(e) National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016.

Applicant's Signature

Date:

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Guidelines for completing Vetting Invitation Form (NVB 1)

Please read the following guidelines before completing this form.

Miscellaneous

The Form must be completed in full using **BLOCK CAPITALS** and writing must be clear and legible.

The Form should be completed in ball point pen.

Photocopies will not be accepted.

All applicants will be required to provide documents to validate their identity.

If applicant is under 18 years of age, a completed NVB 3 – Parent/Guardian Consent Form will be required. Applicant must be at least 16 years of age at time of application.

Please note that where the applicant is under 18 the electronic correspondence will issue to the Parent/Guardian. This being the case, the applicant must provide their Parent/Guardian Email address on this form.

Personal Details

Insert details for each field, allowing one block letter per box.

For Date of Birth field, allow one digit per box.

Please fill in your Email Address, allowing one character/symbol per box. This is required as the invitation to the e-vetting website will be sent to this address.

Please allow one digit per box for you contact number.

The Current Address means the address you are now living at.

The Address fields should be completed in full, including Eircode/Postcode. No abbreviations.

Role Being Vetted For

The role being applied for must be clearly stated, e.g. Underage Coach / Chairperson for Schoolboy Club / Under 16's Manager. Generic terms such as "Volunteer" will not suffice.

Name of Organisation

The applicant should provide the name of the Club, League, National Body and/or Provincial Association in the "Name of Organisation" field.

Declaration of Application

The applicant must confirm their understanding and acceptance of the two statements by signing the application form at Section 2 and ticking the box provided.



Garda Vetting ID Validation Form

Child Welfare, Football Association of Ireland, National Sports Campus, Abbotstown, Dublin 15

FAI Proof of Identification for Garda Vetting

Before we can process your Garda Vetting Invitation Form, it is a Garda Vetting requirement that you complete an Identification Check. This form **MUST** be signed by an Authorised person in Section 2. This form along with **COPIES OF YOUR ID** and your fully completed Garda Vetting Invitation Form should be sent to Child Welfare in the Football Association of Ireland.

Section 1 (to be completed by Applicant) ALL FIELDS ARE MANDATORY - FORM WILL BE RETURNED IF INCOMPLETE

Identification Details (to be verified by an Authorised Person)

Full Name: _____

Current Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Email: _____ Phone No: _____

Club: _____

League: _____

National Body and/or Provincial Association: _____

Section 2 (to be signed by an Authorised Person)

I have checked the identity of the applicant in the attached Garda Vetting Invitation Form against the original documents provided by the applicant to me. I have marked these on page 2 and I confirm that this is the person applying for Garda Vetting. I have informed the applicant that this information will be passed to the FAI and they have agreed to share their personal information with the FAI and appropriate, relevant organisations.

Name: _____

Signed: _____

Role (See section 3): _____

Club (if applicable): _____

League (if applicable): _____

National Body (if applicable): _____

Provincial Association (if applicable): _____

Section 3 (gather your original documents to a minimum value of 100 points, see list overleaf)

The following Authorised Persons may verify applicant's identification and sign this form:

- Chairman (Designated Child Welfare Officer)
- Children's Officer (Designated Liaison Officer)
- Secretary
- FAI Staff
- If not a member of the FAI, the Authorised person may be one of the following: Garda | School Principal | Doctor | Solicitor | Barrister | Commissioner for Oaths

ORIGINAL ID PROOFING MUST BE VERIFIED, IN PERSON, BY AN AUTHORISED PERSON

WARNING: It is an offence to knowingly make a false statement for the purpose of obtaining, or enabling another person to obtain a Disclosure.

List of Acceptable Documents (100 points minimum required)

Identification Document	Points	Please Tick
Irish Driving Licence	80	
Irish Public Services Card	80	
Passport (from country of citizenship)	70	
Irish Certificate of Naturalisation	50	
Birth Certificate	50	
Garda National Immigration Bureau (GNIB) Card	50	
National Identity Card for EU EEA Swiss Citizens	50	
Irish Driving Licence or Learner Permit (old paper format)	40	
Employment ID		
▪ ID card issued by Employer (with name and address)	35	
▪ ID card issued by Employer (name only)	25	
Letter from Employer (within last two years)		
▪ Confirming Name and Address	35	
P60 P45 or Payslip (with home address)	35	
Utility bill e.g. gas, electricity, television, broadband (must not be less than 6 months old. Printed online bills are acceptable. Mobile phone bills are not acceptable)	35	
Public Services Card Social Services Card Medical Card	25	
▪ With Photograph	40	
Bank/Building Society/Credit Union Statement	35	
Credit Debit Cards Passbooks (only one per institution)	25	
National Age Card (issued by An Garda Siochana)	25	
Membership Card		
▪ Club, Union or Trade, Professional Bodies	25	
▪ Educational Institution	25	
Correspondence		
▪ From an Educational Institution SUSI CAO	20	
▪ From an Insurance Company regarding an active policy	20	
▪ From a Bank/Credit Union or Government Body or State Agency	20	
CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS (16+) (any one of the following)		
Passport (from country of citizenship)	100	
Birth Certificate (copy)	100	
Written statement by the Principal confirming attendance at educational institution on a letter head of that institution	100	
RECENT ARRIVAL IN IRELAND (less than 6 weeks)		
Passport	100	
Vetting Subject is unable to achieve 100 points**		
Affidavit witnessed by a Commissioner for Oaths	100	
TOTAL POINTS		

