

Declaration regarding character and military service



New Zealand
Immigration Service
Te Ratonga Manene

As part of the processing of your application to enter New Zealand you are required to complete the following declaration. Making a false or misleading statement in respect of entry to New Zealand can result in the refusal of your application or, if a visa has been granted, the cancellation of your visa. If your visa is cancelled after entry to New Zealand you may be required to leave New Zealand. The term war crime is used to mean an offence for which the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia has the power to prosecute persons under its Statute. These offences include grave breaches of the Geneva Convention of 1949, violations of the laws or customs of war, genocide and crimes against humanity.

Please read the following questions carefully and answer them correctly and in detail by marking the appropriate box. New Zealand law requires you to disclose all convictions including convictions that are considered spent. Should you require more space for your answer you can attach a separate sheet of paper that you must also sign and date.

1 Your family name:

Your given name:

Your nickname(s) (if any):

Your alias(es) (if any):

Date and place of birth:

day	month	year

2 Have you ever been... Yes No

Convicted of any crime or offence in any country?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sentenced to serve a period of time in prison or in another form of detention?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Charged pending trial or placed on probation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indicted, undergone legal proceedings or criminal investigation of any kind?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Detained during conflict in the former Yugoslavia?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Participated in military or para-military service, police or 'territorial formation', voluntary or otherwise, since the outbreak of the conflict in the former Yugoslavia (1991)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Involved in the conflict in the former Yugoslavia as a guard or prison official at any prison, detention centre or transit camp?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Committed or been involved in the commission of war crimes or crimes against humanity and/or human rights?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered YES to any of these questions please provide a separate written statement with a certified English translation providing a detailed response.

3 Your occupation before the conflict in the former Yugoslavia:

Your address before the conflict in the former Yugoslavia:

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Your father's name and dates of birth and death (if deceased):

	Birth			Death		
	day	month	year	day	month	year

Your brothers' names and dates of birth and death (if deceased):

	Birth			Death		
	day	month	year	day	month	year

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Did you undertake regular military service with ex JNA?

Yes No go to question 5

Period of service:	Place of service:	Type of Unit:

5Have you been involved in the conflict in the former Yugoslavia (1991-1995) as a member of any military, paramilitary, police or territorial formation? Yes No go to question 6

Date of enlistment:

day	month	year

In what formations did you serve?

Provide name of the unit assigned to, area(s) in which you were active and dates:

Name of Unit:	Location:	Dates	Position and duties in the unit	Names of unit leaders/command officers

Provide details of war activities that you and your unit were involved in, including dates:

How and when did your involvement in the conflict end? Provide detailed explanation including dates of discharge and transfer. Please enclose discharge certificate and military book. If you are unable to provide them, please give full reasons.

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If you were not involved in the conflict in the former Yugoslavia how did you avoid involvement in the conflict? Please provide full details.

Your Signature:

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Place:

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Date :

day	month	year