



**State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION
1511 Pontiac Avenue, Bldg. 69-1
Cranston, Rhode Island 02920**

**Division of Commercial Licensing and
Racing and Athletics**

You can now apply on line at: <https://elicensing.ri.gov/>

Or submit the attached application along with:

- Licensing/Permit Fee
- Tax Affidavit –RI Residents Only
- Copy of valid license from the state you received your uniform registry number and Tag Sample

Manufacturer/Supply Dealer

- Sample of law tag Per R.I. Gen. Law §23-26-20 and copy of license from state issuing URN
- Must also apply for a Sterilizer Permit if materials used require sterilization

Sterilization Permit – per R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 23-26-7 & 23-26-7.1 - please supply:

- Supply sample of sterilization tag and copy of license from original state of issue on tag
- Name of Sterilization Method Used and Copy of the Sterilizing Product information
 - Product must be registered as a consumer and health benefit product and labeled for use on bedding and upholstered furniture by the EPA

Second Hand Bedding & Upholstered Furniture

- Must also apply for a Sterilizer Permit and send copy of any other license required by law
- Supply sample of Second Hand law tag – per R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-26-17 and 23-26-20

Renovator/Repair – For direct repair for consumer or direct sale from licensee- if materials require sterilization you must also apply for a sterilization permit, if selling item for retail see manufacturer requirements

- Supply sample of Renovator/Repairer law tag – per §23-26-14

Type of License	TRIENNIAL LICENSE FEE (beginning with issuance date of license)
MANUFACTURER / SUPPLY DEALER	\$630.00
RENOVATOR / REPAIRER / SECOND HAND	\$180.00

Sterilizer Permit has a one (1) year licensing period – beginning with the issuance date of license.

STERILIZER PERMIT	Original Permit Fee	\$ 84.00
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Check or money order should be made payable to the State of Rhode Island General Treasurer, in U.S. Dollars and drawn on an U.S. Bank. No foreign checks or currency accepted. **NO CASH!**

Statutory Licensing Law Title 23 Chapter 23-26 governing bedding and upholstered furniture, and all forms may be found on the Department website at: <http://www.dbr.ri.gov/divisions/commlicensing/upholster.php>

Should you have any questions, please contact Kim Precious, Implementation Aide, at (401) 462-9650 or by email at: kimberly.precious@dbr.ri.gov

