# Who Needs a Permit for Frankfurt and Where to Apply

Hunters with sporting weapons who pass through Frankfurt airport have to apply in advance for a permit to transport sporting weapons through the airport. This requirement is applicable to all hunters. A permit must also be obtained if you do leave the transit area of it the sporting weapons are being transferred from one aircraft to another.

Attached is a translated application form and a full German form that must be submitted.

###### Do not submit the translated form as this WILL NOT be accepted!

If the form is not completed correctly as per the German Weapons Law (Waffengesetz) it will be returned and you will have to start over.

**A fee of 20 Euro must be paid into the following bank account [in advance - before sending the application]:**

**Ordnungsamt der Stadt Frankfurt am Main**

 **Bank :**  Postbank Frankfurt am Main

 **Act no :**  7149-602

 **BSB bank no :** 500 100 60

 **BIC no :** PBNKDEFF

 **IBAN :** DE 95 50010060 0007149602

 **Reason :** 32.22.11 – Transfer

Then prepare the application with a copy of your proof of ownership (the US Customs form 4457 or weapons license):

* Copy of passport
* Copy of Flight itinerary
* Proof of payment

E-mail this to: transfer@stadt-frankfurt.de

Processing the application can take up to four (4) weeks if the form is completed correctly and payment is made as requested.

* Once you have submitted the forms and copies, send an e-mail to the above address and ask for confirmation that they have received all documentation they require.
* Don’t forget to give them a return address to send the permit back to you.