

Director
Statistical Service

**APPLICATION FOR THE RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL DATA FOR SCIENTIFIC,
RESEARCH PURPOSES**

.....(name of institution), which is represented by, request(s) permission from the Director of the Statistical Service to access to confidential data of the Statistical Service to be used for a scientific/research project by virtue of article 17 of the Official Statistics Law.

The following information is submitted in support of this application:

1. description of the project for which the data are requested, its purpose and means of funding;
2. description of the data requested and justification for the need of using confidential data for fulfilling the objective of the research project;
3. name(s) of the person(s) who will have access to the data and their contact details;
4. protection measures to be taken during the processing and storage of the data in order to safeguard statistical confidentiality;
5. description of the expected output to be published and means of dissemination.

I hereby certify that the information provided in support of my application is correct and that all researchers involved in the project are in no way implicated in any lawful dispute with any statistical unit for which confidential data are requested.

I declare that during the project for which the data are being requested I will take all possible measures to protect statistical confidentiality and I will not make the data available to persons other than those stated in this application.

I also declare that after the completion of the project, I will not make the data available to third parties, I will not use them further for any other purposes and I will ensure their destruction/erasure from any means of storage.

I acknowledge that violation of any of the terms mentioned above is an offence and is subject to the provisions of section (4) of article 19 of the Official Statistics Law.

Applicant's signature Date.....

Address for correspondence

On behalf of (stamp)