

Consultation

Question 1
Should a licence be needed to sell non-domestic knives?

YES

Question 2
What types of knife should be covered by a definition of a non-domestic knife?

HUNTING KNIVES, FLICK KNIVES,
STILETTO KNIVES, CURVED BLADE
KNIVES ETC.

Question 3
What conditions should be imposed on someone seeking a licence to sell non-domestic knives?

STRICT CONDITIONS SUCH AS
HAVING TO PROVE THEY HAVE NO PREVIOUS
CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS. ~~THE~~ THE ONLY
IS ON THEM TO PROVE THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS

Question 4
What would be the costs for businesses of licensing the sale of knives?

WHAT WOULD THE COSTS BE TO
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO HAVE
BEEN ATTACKED BY PEOPLE USING
THESE UNLICENSED KNIVES?

Question 5
Should it be a criminal offence to purchase a (non-domestic) knife from an unlicensed seller?

YES

Question 6
Should shops require a licence to sell swords?

YES

Question 7
Should the sale of swords by shops be restricted to require them to sell only to members of approved organisations?

YES

Question 8
Should the sale of all swords be banned?

NO

Question 9

If so, should there be any groups who are exempted from that ban (i.e. should there be any reasons/uses for which it remains legitimate to sell swords)?

THEY SHOULD ONLY BE SOLD TO COLLECTORS OF WEAPONRY WHO HAVE BEEN STRICTLY VETTED BY THE POLICE

Question 10

Should the sale of only samurai swords be banned?

NO

Question 11

If so, should any groups of people be exempt from that ban (i.e. should there be any reasons/uses for which it remains legitimate to sell samurai swords)?

THE ONLY GROUPS OF PEOPLE WHO SHOULD BE EXEMPT ARE COLLECTORS OF WEAPONRY PARTICULARLY JAPANESE WEAPONRY

Question 12

How should a samurai sword be defined?

LETTER IN THE HANDS OF THE WOND' PERSON. SALES OF SAMURAI SWORDS MUST BE STRICTLY VETTED AND MISUSE OF THESE SWORDS MUST RESULT IN SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Question 13

Is there a case for individual licences for the purchase of swords?

AS I SAID ABOVE THEY SHOULD ONLY BE BOUGHT BY RESPONSIBLE COLLECTORS OF WEAPONRY. PEOPLE SELLING THESE SWORDS MUST BE PROVENLY RESPONSIBLE AND ACCOUNTABLE.

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TACKLING KNIFE CRIME - A CONSULTATION

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