

Links to application forms and related information

We always recommend use of our online application system wherever possible, be that for submission of applications or production of application forms to print out.

Therefore, your applicants should be encouraged to apply online and only given access to the blank paper forms as a last resort.

To ensure that the forms available from Local Planning Authority (LPA) websites are up-to-date and accurate, we recommend either:

1. Linking to our 'Paper Forms' section

By linking directly to our 'Paper Forms' section rather than publishing links to each of the paper forms separately, the applicant can either:

- Use our 'Paper Forms Chooser' to select and download the relevant form and help text
- Choose from a list of form types that are not currently available through the online systems.

The 'Paper Forms' section is available at: <https://www.planningportal.co.uk/paperforms>

2. Using specific links to LPA branded PDF forms

The link and instructions below allow you to produce links to forms branded specifically for your LPA.

A complete list of links to the forms, help text, guidance notes, notices and fee schedules is available in an Excel spreadsheet: https://ecab.planningportal.co.uk/uploads/1app_form_links.xlsx

Many of our PDF forms are available with specific Local Planning Authority branding in the header. These use links with a specific code for each LPA. For example, if the LPA code was Z0116, the link would be:

https://ecab.planningportal.co.uk/uploads/appPDF/Z0116Form001_england_en.pdf

To display your forms correctly this five-character reference (in this case, Z0116) needs to be deleted and your own LPA code added to each link.

A list of all LPA codes is also provided in the Excel spreadsheet above. This will allow you to publish links on your website to your LPA branded 1APP PDF forms as well as to the relevant help text and guidance notes.

Further help and guidance

- [Contact our support team](#)