

Do you use Wireless Microphones, In Ear Monitors and Talkback?



If you do then you'll need to purchase a Wireless Telegraphy Act licence to ensure that you are operating legally.

Why do I need a licence?

There are a number of reasons:

- Most frequencies are coordinated to avoid interference. If you use unlicensed equipment you could cause interference to licensed users, experience interference yourself or cause interference to domestic TV reception in the area.
- Under UK law (Wireless Telegraphy Act 2006), a licence is required for "Programme Making and Special Events" (PMSE). This includes uses of radio microphones, talkback (walkie-talkies) and production services in theatrical performances, radio and television programmes, rock and pop concerts and Sporting events.
- If you are caught without a licence you could get fined and prosecuted. It is also likely that your equipment will be confiscated.

When don't I need a licence?

When your equipment operates on the following frequencies:

173.800 MHz

174.000 MHz

174.200 MHz

174.400 MHz

174.600 MHz

174.800 MHz

175.000 MHz; and

863.000MHz – 865.000MHz

These frequencies are licence exempt and can be used throughout the UK for wireless microphone and in ear monitors.

How do I buy a licence?



Complete an application form found at www.jfmfg.co.uk or contact us directly using the following methods:

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(NB. For frequencies allocated outside office hours, there is a £55 premium charge).