



**Procedures which must be followed by an Archaeologist relying on the relevant Regulations<sup>1</sup> on Recognition of Professional Qualifications so as to be considered for an archaeological excavation licence (or to carry out archaeological excavation under Ministerial consent) in Ireland without attending the archaeological excavation competency interview.**

**PLEASE READ THE INFORMATION NOTE AVAILABLE ON THE NMS WEBSITE BEFORE COMPLETING AND SUBMITTING THIS FORM.**

1. Check <https://ec.europa.eu/growth/tools-databases/regprof/> to determine whether Archaeologist is a Regulated Profession in the EU/EEA Member State where you are currently established for the purposes of practice as an Archaeologist directing archaeological excavations.
2. If (1) above is applicable to you, please fill in the table below and then sign the Declaration at (3) below.

Name	EU/EEA Member State where I am established for purpose of practice as an Archaeologist directing excavations.	Archaeologist is a Regulated Profession in that Member State.
		Yes

### 3. DECLARATION

I am a professional archaeologist legally established in an EU/EEA Member State where Archaeologist is a Regulated Profession and do not need to attend the archaeological excavation competency interview.

Signature

Date

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<sup>1</sup> S.I. No. 8 of 2017, European Union (Recognition of Professional Qualifications) Regulations 2017. <http://www.irishstatuebook.ie/eli/si/8/made/en/print>

4. If Archaeologist is not a Regulated Profession in the EU/EEA Member State where you are currently established for the purposes of practice as an Archaeologist directing archaeological excavations but you have directed archaeological excavations for one year during the preceding ten years, please fill in the table below and then sign the Declaration at (5) below.

Candidate Name	EU/EEA Member State where I am established for purpose of practice as an Archaeologist directing excavations.	Archaeologist is <b>not</b> a regulated profession
		Yes

#### 5. DECLARATION

I am a professional archaeologist legally established in an EU/EEA Member State and, as I have directed archaeological excavations for at least one year in the EU/EEA Member State(s) listed below for one year during the ten years preceding the date given below, I do not need to attend the archaeological excavation competency interview.

*List of EU/EEA Member States where practice as an Archaeologist directing archaeological excavation has occurred during preceding ten years:*

Signature

Date

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#### Documents to accompany this form when submitted

1. Proof of the nationality of the Archaeologist.
2. Evidence that the Archaeologist is based in an EU/EEA Member State other than Ireland and is engaged in professional practice in that state as an Archaeologist.
3. Evidence of professional qualifications (a copy of the original diploma/degree accompanied by an Irish/English translation of the text of that document).

4. If the Archaeologist is based in an EU/EEA Member State where Archaeologist is not a Regulated Profession, then a CV listing in chronological order, starting with the most recent, the sites where he or she directed archaeological excavations, giving the location, (street/townland/district, and country) of each excavation and the number of weeks in respect of which he or she acted as excavation director. In line with what is noted above, the total number of weeks must not be less than 52.

**NOTE: THE FORM WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY THESE DOCUMENTS OR UNTIL ANY GAPS IN THE MATERIAL SUBMITTED AS IDENTIFIED BY NATIONAL MONUMENTS SERVICE HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED.**