

PI - Knives policy - Prohibited and Restricted Items

<h2>GUIDE.SUMMARY

What is the policy?

 Only knives that follow our rules can be listed on eBay. No other knives are

allowed. The following or similar types of knives aren't allowed: Automatic

knives Butterfly knives Dual-action knives

Gravity knives Out-the-front knives Paratrooper

knives Push knives Switchblade knives Sword

canes Spring-assisted knives where there is no manual movement by a thumb stud

or screw clearly visible on the blade Hidden or disguised knives such as writing

pen knives or belt buckle knives Sellers can list the following type of knives:

 All types of knives not in the previous list are allowed. The listing must also follow

our <a

href="https://www.ebay.com/help/policies/prohibited-restricted-items/international-trading-policy?id=

4338">international trading policy. For example, the sale of knives on eBay.co.uk and

eBay.ie is prohibited with limited exceptions Why does eBay have this policy?

This policy helps ensure that important government regulations are followed.

<h2><h2>GUIDE.TALKING_POINTS Shipping knives internationally

The international sale of weapons is highly regulated. Before you list a weapon, please

review the policies for each of the eBay sites where you wish to sell the item. The

United Kingdom and Ireland have very strict laws about the sale of knives. Therefore, we don't allow

most knives to be sold on www.ebay.co.uk or www.ebay.ie. Listings for knives can offer

worldwide shipping. eBay will usually block knife listings that offer worldwide shipping from showing

up on the UK or IE site, where they are not allowed. However, if the item isn't caught by us and

appears on the UK or Ireland site, it can be removed for violation of site policy.

Since knives can't be sold to some countries, the international site visibility listing feature is not available for knives or related items. If you choose the international site visibility feature, the feature may be removed from the listing, and the fee for the feature will be credited to your account. If you attempt to get around international site blocks like this one, we may suspend your account.
 Internal Information These blocks are not perfect. If a prohibited knife is visible on the UK or IE site, they can be removed for violating the policy. Deeper reason for policy For safety concerns and in order to follow laws and regulations, we restrict the types of weapons and accessories that can be sold on eBay. Be sure to follow all laws and regulationsas well as eBay policiesbefore buying or selling these items. </h2>