



THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE INFORMS

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MAJOR CHANGES

TO THE ISSF RULES FOR 2009

All those items which are common in the four (4) discipline rules have been transferred to Section 6, General Technical Rules for all Shooting Disciplines.

1.21.2 Arabic has been added as one of the ISSF recognized languages.

3.5.1 Ranges and other facilities: changes have been made to the number of ranges required, 300 metre reduced to 40 for World Championships and Shotgun Ranges increased to 4. Ranges required for World Cups added, to be the same as for the Olympic Games except that the number of shotgun ranges increased to 4.

3.6.8.1 The maximum national team size for World Championships events has been increased by one in total for both Men and Women for both Rifle and Pistol. Substitutes abolished.

3.7 Competition Procedures, Preliminary Programme, Final Programme, Preliminary Entries, Final Entries, put into a simplified and more easily understood order.

3.7.4 Majority of fees changed to Euros according to the list below.

3.12.3.2 ID Number Euro 10.00. Express application Euro 20.00.

QUOTA REGULATIONS FOR LONDON 2012

These Quota Place Rules will become available when issued by the IOC in the year 2009. There are no Quota Places available in 2009.

4 ISSF Eligibility and Sponsorship Rules. There are major changes.

5 ISSF Anti Doping Regulations Expanded rules.

6.3.17 Indoor range lighting requirements (lux). Increased light levels, particularly for the Finals Range and for new ranges, near to 1500 lux on the firing line, which is required by the media for the new high speed cameras.

6.5.2 Shooters and team officials must be informed of the shooting schedule not later than 12.00 on the day preceding the competition.

6.14 2009 ISSF RULES

- NEW CLASSIFICATION RULES

The former "Count-back Rules" have been amended, and there will now be a Shoot-off for all events with Finals to decide which tied shooters may participate in the Finals.

COUNT BACK RULES

Ties in Qualification (and Elimination) will now be broken (Rule 6.14.2):

1st by the total number of inner tens;

2nd by the highest score of the last ten shots series working backwards by 10 shot series in full ring scoring (not inner tens or decimals);

3rd by the number of tens, nines, etc. (in the whole score).

SHOOT-OFFS FOR FINALS

All those with equal scores tied for the last place(s) in Finals will now Shoot-off. Therefore the **Preliminary** Results will be posted at the end of Qualification, ranked by inner tens, etc, showing this as example "587-56 x", but also indicating those eligible to participate in the Shoot-off to gain entry to the Finals. The Shoot-off should be planned to take place 30 minutes after the end of Qualification.

PROTEST TIME

The Protest time for Rifle and Pistol is now **ten (10) minutes**.

AFTER THE SHOOT-OFF

The **Qualification** Results will then be published, showing the inner tens and the results of the Shoot-off. The expression "QS-off" will be shown against those who Shoot-off. [Any protests during the Shoot-off must be raised immediately]. Then the Finals Start List can be published.

AFTER THE FINALS

The result of the Finals will be combined with the results from Qualification to give the Final Result. This will show the results with inner tens and also the result of any Shoot-offs.

Shoot-offs from the Finals will be shown as "S-off". **Records and DSQ, DNF, and DNS**

etc will be in the Remarks column as before.

Protest Forms, Range Incident Report Forms, Score Notification Forms and Malfunction Score Computation Forms are included at the end of Section 6.

7 RIFLE RULES

7.5.1.1.11 (Prone) and **7.5.1.3.14** (Kneeling). The following has been added. The right hand and/or arm may not touch the left arm, shooting jacket or sling. The reason for this addition is that although it was known that this was not permitted, it was not specifically mentioned.

7.5.1.2.10 (Standing) The right hand may not touch the left hand or arm.

8 PISTOL RULES

8.6.1.2 The Ready Position. The former wording of the arm being motionless or stationary is impossible so this wording has been changed to "The arm must not be visibly moving".

9 SHOTGUN RULES

9.4.2.7 Now defines limits of porting; must not extend back further than 15 cm.

9.12.2 Lower ranking to shoot first

10 RUNNING TARGET RULES

10.12 Medal Match Provisional Rules have been added.

FEES AS OF 1.1.2009 RELATED TO COMPETITIONS TO BE CHANGED TO EURO!

170 €	Entry Fees
5 €	Fee per entry to be paid to ISSF by OC
50 €	Entry fee for each Official
25 €	Protest fee
50 €	Appeal fee
7 €	Training fee for shotgun trap / skeet
14 €	Training fee for shotgun double trap
900 €	Maximum Travel fee for Jury Members (economy class tickets)
50 €	Late entry (between 30 and 3 days before the Official Arrival Day providing that entry can be accepted by the OC)
20 €	Issue of new Judges Licenses
15 €	Renewal of Judges Licenses
15 €	Upgrade of Judges Licenses
20 €	Issue of new Shotgun Referee Licenses
15 €	Renewal of Shotgun Referee Licenses
1500 CHF	Membership fees
10 €	Issue of ID Numbers
20 €	Express application (issue within one week) for ID Numbers
1250 €	Training Academy participation fee
70 €	EST Courses participation fee

DOCUMENTS

The following documents will be available from the ISSF Headquarters as they are now separate:

- Guidelines for Organization of ISSF World Cups
- Checklists for Technical Delegates
- Guidelines for Uniform Equipment Control (Pistol)
- Guidelines for Uniform Equipment Control (Rifle)
- Training Guidelines for ISSF Judges' Courses