

## MATCH RULES - CLASSIC SERVICE

**Target** PA Service Pistol Target at 10 & 25 yards – 2 per shooter

**Pistol** Centrefire Pistol .32 to .38

48 round match



### Course of Fire

#### Preparation

When the range is opened, shooters are instructed to move forward to the 10 yard line and place their firearm and equipment in front of the line.

The **start signal** will be by turning targets where available, or by audible signal.

The **end signal** will be by targets turning away where available, or by audible signal.

There are **no** reshoots for malfunctions.

The start position for all strings is the 45 degree ready position.

**Note:** *All strings are shot two handed except String 2.*

### Course of Fire at 10 yards (all strings consist of six shots)

**Load, Are you ready, Standby.**

String 1: 3 shots on T1, 3 shots on T2 in 8 seconds.

String 2: 3 shots on T1, 3 shots on T2 in 8 seconds. **Strong Hand Only**

String 3: 3 shots on T1, 3 shots on T2 in 6 seconds.

String 4: 6 shots on T1 in 4 seconds.

String 5: 6 shots on T2 in 4 seconds.

**Unload – Show clear.**

At the completion of String 5, Firearms are cleared and cased. Shooters can then move back to the 25 yard line.

Remain behind the red line, **No firearms or equipment to be placed on the bench** until the range is opened and preparation time is called.

### Course of Fire at 25 yards (all strings consist of six shots)

**Load, Are you ready, Standby.**

String 6: 6 shots on T1 in 15 seconds.

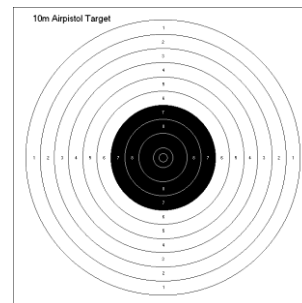
String 7: 6 shots on T2 in 15 seconds.

String 8: 3 shots on T1, 3 shots on T2 in 15 seconds.

**Unload- Show clear.** When you have been cleared to case, case your firearm, remove everything from the bench. Stand behind the red line. The range is closed and shooters retrieve their targets.

## MATCH RULES – 25 METRE STANDARD PISTOL

**Target** ISSF 25.50m Precision Target at 25m  
**Pistol** .22 Long Rifle Rim-fire, Standard Pistol



### Course of Fire

Preparation time: 5 minutes  
Sighting series: 5 shots in 60 seconds x 1  
Competition series: 5 shots in 60 seconds x 4  
5 shots in 20 seconds x 4  
5 shots in 10 seconds x 4

### Range Commands

#### Preparation & Sighting series:

*“Sighting series. Load 5”*

*“Any shooter not ready?”*

*“Attention”*

*“Fire” or HORN*

*“Cease fire”, “Stop”\* or HORN*

*“Unload”*

If a shooter is not ready they call “Not ready”

After approx. 7 seconds

Commence shots

Cease shots

Pistols are cleared and targets patched

#### Competition series:

*“60 (20 or 10) Second series. Load 5”*

*“Any shooter not ready?”*

*“Attention”*

*“Fire” or HORN*

*“Cease fire”, “Stop”\* or HORN*

*“Unload”*

**At end of match pistols are cleared and targets returned.**

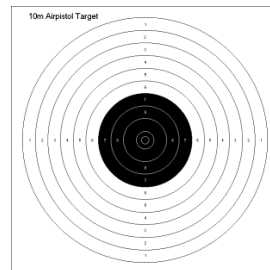
*\*Range command “Stop” is an emergency order to immediately bring to a halt an issue/situation on the range that could jeopardise safety activity.*

Dispensation applies: See ADDENDUM (end of this Section).

## MATCH RULES: CENTRE-FIRE & SPORT PISTOL\*\*

### Precision Stage (stage 1)

**Target** ISSF 25.50m Precision Target at 25m  
**Pistol** C/F Centre-fire Pistol S/P .22 Standard Pistol



#### Course of Fire

Preparation time: 5 minutes  
Sighting series: 5 shots in 60 seconds x 1  
Competition series: 5 shots in 60 seconds x 6

#### Range Commands

##### Preparation & Sighting series:

*Load 5"*

*"Any shooter not ready?"*

*"Attention"*

*"Fire" or HORN*

*"Cease fire", "Stop"\* or HORN*

*"Unload"*

If a shooter is not ready they call "Not ready"

After approx. 7 seconds

Commence shots

Cease shots

Pistols are cleared and targets patched

##### Competition series:

##### ▪ Precision Stage

**Total 30 shots / 6 series**

*"Load 5"*

*"Any shooter not ready?"*

*"Attention"*

*"Fire" or HORN*

*"Cease fire", "Stop"\* or HORN*

*"Unload"*

Repeat the above steps five more times.

**CHANGE TO RAPID-FIRE TARGET** (BIG SHOT BLACK CIRCLE) AND FOLLOW  
**"MATCH RULES – RAPID-FIRE STAGE"**.

*\*Range command "Stop" is an emergency order to immediately bring to a halt an issue/situation on the range that could jeopardise safety activity.*

**\*\* NB: The "Sport Pistol" match is a competition match for women and juniors only.**

See MATCH RULES – ADDENDUM (end of this Section).

- "Sport Pistol" Match (eligibility)
- Dispensation

## MATCH RULES: CENTRE-FIRE & SPORT PISTOL Rapid-fire Stage (stage 2)

**Target** ISSF Rapid-fire Target at 25m  
**Pistol** C/F Centre-fire Pistol. S/P .22 Standard Pistol



### Course of Fire:

Sighting series: Nil

Competition series: 5 shots – each shot in 3 seconds x 6

- Each series consists of 5 exposures of the target, each exposure is for 3 seconds.
- The shooter fires one shot per exposure.
- There is a 7 sec. delay between exposures.
- The start and end of each exposure is usually signaled by a horn blast.

### Range Commands

#### Competition series:

##### ▪ Rapid-fire Stage

**Total 30 shots / 6 series**

*“Load 5”*

*“Any shooter not ready?”*

*“Attention”*

*“Fire” or HORN*

*HORN*

1 shot in 3 seconds

Stop shooting - rest for 7 seconds

Same again for remaining 4 shots

*“Cease fire”, “Stop”\* or HORN*

*“Unload”*

Repeat the above steps five more times.

**At end of match pistols are cleared and targets returned.**

*\*Range command “Stop” is an emergency order to immediately bring to a halt an issue/situation on the range that could jeopardise safety activity.*

Dispensation applies: See ADDENDUM (end of this Section).

## **ADDENDUM TO MATCH RULES**

### **Classic Service, Centre-fire, Standard & Air Pistol Matches**

These matches when shot at SPC La Perouse are scored, and Off Gun and Handicap results are given. They also count towards FAR participation requirements for the category of pistol used in the matches.

These matches (one of each) are also the Club's Half-Year and Annual Championship Matches. (Club calendar refers.)

### **Sport Pistol Match**

The Club runs a Centre-fire match shot with a .22 pistol for women and juniors only - referred to as a "Sport Pistol" match. It is run in conjunction with the Men's Centre-fire match. Off-gun and handicap scores will be given. It does count as a Centre-fire match and a Championship match.

If a male adult member uses a .22 pistol in the Centre-fire match, no score will be given. It does count towards FAR participation requirements as a .22 match.

### **DISPENSATION - ELIGIBILITY AND REGULATIONS**

Shooters aged 70+ years OR shooters as approved by the Committee may use two hands when shooting matches of the day at the SPC La Perouse range. When so shot, their scores may only count towards handicap positions.

Any other departures from the rules of the match will result in automatic disqualification from all positional outcomes. This includes:

- Sitting;
- Any form of optical sighting system (other than open sights);
- Resting on the bench or other object;
- Aiming or shooting before the starting siren; or
- Shooting after the finishing siren.