# ENDEAVOUR PISTOL CLUB INC. NEW MEMBER ENQUIRY INFORMATION

#### NO CURRENT FIREARMS LICENCE



### **Application process:**

- Join the Club.
- Do the Firearms Safety Training Program and test.
- Apply online to FAR (Firearms Registry) website attaching Safety Training documents together with Club membership confirmation letter.
- FAR will send notification if the application is successful or not.
- If successful go to a Service NSW centre for photo and licence payment.
- Service NSW will send a Probationary Licence in the mail.

## **Probationary Licence**

- Is valid for 12 months
- You must do 3 competition shoots and record them within the first 6 months
- Cannot buy any firearms during the first 6 months from the date appearing on the licence.
- Permitted to buy 2 firearms in the second six months from the date appearing on the licence.
  - o Two Rimfire only
  - Two Centrefire only
  - o Two air pistols
  - o Combination of Rimfire and air pistol OR
  - Combination of Centrefire and air pistol

## NB: You cannot have a combination of Rimfire and Centrefire

- You must have an approved safe installed at your premises. This will be checked by the Police.
- After 12 months, you will be invited to apply for a full H Licence.
  - No limit on how many firearms you can apply for with H Licence.
     However, a "Permit to Acquire" must be applied for with FAR for each firearm.
- o IGNORE THE ABOVE PROCESS IF THE ENQUIRER HAS AN "H" LICENCE.

#### **CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

- Complete the Membership Application Form.
- Complete the Reference Form:
  - You must get two references from people who have known you for more than 12 months, over the age of 18 and not immediate family members.
- Pay the membership application fee.
- You will receive a membership number, which you must include with the Probationary Licence application, together with a confirmation of membership letter from the Club Secretary

- In due course you will receive what is known as the "Blue Card" from the Club Secretary. You must sign this and keep it on you, together with your Firearms Licence, and it may be asked for every time you go to a range to shoot. The "Blue Card" shows that you are fully paid up and insured.
- This card must be submitted to the Club Secretary after every renewal period.
- The Club membership covers the period from November 1 each year to October 31 the following year.
- Club official will explain the membership fees with the applicant.

#### **RANGE ON WHICH EPC SHOOTS**

## Sydney Pistol Club - 121 Cape Banks Rd, La Perouse NSW 2036

- There is a range fee of \$10 per day as EPC rents this range;
- Targets are supplied;
- Club ammunition is available to purchase (various prices);
- Range is licenced for air pistols and air rifles as well as live fire competitions;
- This range is used for training and practice;
- The Club shoots at this range every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday mornings from 9am to noon, unless otherwise advised;
- Club Championship matches (trophy events) are conducted at this range;
- A barbecue is held after every shoot from approx.11am.

#### **Competitions Conducted**

- Basically. the competitions are Centrefire, Service and Standard.
- Firearms used for the following:
  - o Centrefire, **25m Pistol** and Service Revolver or semi-automatic
  - o Rimfire Standard Pistol .2
    - rd Pistol .22 Semi-automatic
  - 10 metre Air Pistol/Rifle
- .177 air pistol pellets only
- Ammunition to be used for either Centrefire or Service can be .38, .357 or 9mm.
   NB: No full jacket ammunition to be used!

You will receive the 12-month Club calendar showing the Club competitions, etc, that will be conducted from January to December each year at La Perouse.

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