

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

****Discussion Items are not on the ballot for action. Discussion & Clarification only at this time.***

1. Discuss the increasing incidents of "Shooting on the move", its implications, and safety concerns.
2. Discuss the possibility and any implications of the shooting category of B-Western/Ladies B-Western's costuming allowances to be expanded to include silver-screen style type costuming. Example: Senoritas, Tonto-style, Dale Evans, John Wayne, The Lone Ranger, Miss Kitty, Cisco Kid, etc.

If so, would the category name then need to be changed to be inclusive: "B-Western & Silver Screen"

3. Continued clarification & proposed verbiage of Long Gun "closed" subject, present changes below to the June 2014 verbiage to assist in eliminating any remaining confusion on the subject for dissemination.

The following is proposed verbiage change to the Shooters Handbook and the RO Course Materials:

6. Long guns will be discarded open and empty with their barrels pointed safely down range. If the action of a long gun closes after being opened and emptied, the shooter will, at the conclusion of the stage, show it to be clear to the T/O or spotter. ~~Appropriate additional penalties will be applied if it is not clear.~~ **Appropriate penalties will be applied if it is not clear, plus a 10 sec safety if the closing was caused by the shooter. No one other than the competitor may handle the gun in question.**

SHB p.21 (Stage Conventions)

17. Long guns will have their actions left open and the actions/magazines/barrels empty at the conclusion of each shooting string. A 10 second minor safety penalty will be assessed if the firearm is not cleared or opened. This condition may be corrected prior to the next round being fired. ~~If the long gun is the last firearm used, it must be cleared prior to it leaving the shooters hand(s) at the unloading table. This does not apply to guns shot out of sequence, made "safe" and then restaged. If the action of a long gun closes after being discarded open and empty, the shooter will, at the conclusion of the stage, show it to be clear to the TO or a spotter. Appropriate penalties will be applied if it is not clear. No one other than the competitor may handle the gun in question. See RO1 for further clarification.~~

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SHB p.23

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RO1 p.13 (Stage Conventions)

RO1 Instructor Version p.12 (Stage Conventions)

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