PRECISION AIR RIFLE

Rule changes effective 2014

7.2 International Air Rifle (10 Meters/33 Feet)

- (a) Shooting Program 40 shots Standing (Rule 5.12)
 - (1) Target Air Rifle Target for 10 meters/33 feet (Rule 4.2).
- (2) Time Limits Shooting time including sighting shots is 75 minutes. (If shooting on 10 bull targets, each target will be allowed 20 minutes.)
- (3) Any release of the propelling charge, after the first competition target is in place, without the pellet hitting the target, whether a pellet has been loaded or not, will be scored as a miss.

Dry firing means the release of the cocked trigger mechanism of an unloaded rifle or the release of the trigger mechanism of a gun fitted with a device which enables the trigger to be operated without discharging the gun.

- (4) A minimum of 4 sighting targets will be provided for each course of fire.
- (b) Shooting Program 60 shots Standing (Rule 5.12)
 - (1) Target Air Rifle Target for 10 meters/33 feet (Rule 4.2).
- (2) Time Limits Shooting time including sighting shots is 105 minutes. (If shooting on 10 bull targets, each target will be allowed 20 minutes.)
- (3) Any release of the propelling charge, after the first competition target is in place, without the pellet hitting the target, whether a pellet has been loaded or not, will be scored as a miss.

Dry firing means the release of the cocked trigger mechanism of an unloaded rifle or the release of the trigger mechanism of a gun fitted with a device which enables the trigger to be operated without discharging the gun.

- (4) A minimum of 4 sighting targets will be provided for each course of fire.
- **7.1.1** "Finals Procedure" should be renumbered to **7.3** "Finals Procedure" and section (t) part 2. Under finals procedure should be changed to read: 2. The finals sequence **7.3**.
- 10.10.6 Calibration of Electronic Scoring Devices Electronic scoring devices which score paper targets must be calibrated before the start of the match. If recalibration is necessary during the match, all prior targets must be rescored using the new calibration.
- 10.10.6.1 Challenge of Paper Targets Scored by Electronic Devices If a challenge to the score is made, the individual bull must be challenged. The shot will be plugged using the appropriate scoring gauge (14.3). The decision of the referee or jury is final.
- 11.6.2 Retention of Records All fired targets must be retained until the end of the challenge period for that match. When targets are used as scorecards and the score is transferred into a computer, the computer record becomes the official scorecard at the end of the posted challenge period for that match.

Note: Targets for National Record consideration shall be retained and sent with documentation to the National Rifle Association.

Delete sub paragraph (d) of the "Distinguished Air Gun Program" in the NRA Precision Air Rifle Position Rule (book) in its entirety.

17.5 (a) (1-7) in the Precision Air Gun Rulebook:

- (a) Individual Position:
 - (1) 40 Shots Prone
 - (2) 20 Shots Kneeling
 - (3) 40 Shots Kneeling
 - (4) 20 Shots Standing
 - (5) 40 Shots Standing
 - (6) An aggregate of 20 Shots each in Prone, Kneeling & Standing
 - (7) An aggregate of 40 Shots each in Prone, Kneeling & Standing

19.15 – Individual Class Averages – Competitors will be classified as follows and NRA Classification Cards issued accordingly:

PRECISION AIR RIFLE 3-POSITION

Master	97.00 and above
Expert	95.00 to 96.99
Sharpshooter	92.00 to 94.99
Marksman	Below 91.99

PRECISION AIR RIFLE STANDING

Master	95.00 and above
Expert	90.00 to 94.99
Sharpshooter	85.00 to 89.99
Marksman	Below 85 00