2023 Smallbore Rule Changes

AMENDED – Rule 3.9.1 to read:

Competitors may use personal wind indicating devices, placement of which is not to exceed 24 inches in front of the firing line, as long as they do not interfere with other competitors or range operation. (See Rules 6.9 and 9.9) Match Directors can increase the placement of personal wind indicators in accordance with range conditions.

AMENDED - Rule 9.5 second paragraph:

When a rifle is declared disabled, the competitor will be given additional time to complete the stage of fire equal to the time remaining in the stage when the rifle was declared disabled by the Chief Range Officer. NOTE: Match Directors are encouraged to allow the competitor time to repair or replace the disabled rifle, even if it means moving back to a specific range at the end of the day to allow the competitor to complete a stage of fire.

AMENDED - Rule 17.5 Note:

National Smallbore Records are maintained for scores fired with Metallic and with Any Sights over the following courses for Open, Civilian, Service, Reserve, Woman, Veteran, Senior, Junior, Intermediate Junior and Sub-Junior categories. (See Rule 8.2 for time allowances).

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