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FIREARMS PERMIT STARTING PISTOL AUTHORITY AND CONDITIONS

Firearm types which apply: Starting Pistol – a pistol that uses blank cartridges only

## **Authority**

This permit authorises the permit holder to possess and use a starting pistol for sporting or other approved events.

This permit also authorises any person who is a member of, or employed in, the sporting club or other organisation to use and possess a starting pistol for the purposes of any sporting or other event specified in the permit.

This permit authorises the possession and use of blank cartridges only.

The authority conferred by this permit is subject to the *Firearms Act 1996* and the Regulation and all the General Legislative Requirements applicable to a firearm permit holder<sup>1</sup> apply to this permit in addition to the conditions outlined below.

## **Conditions**

- 1. Firearms authorised by this permit must be stored in compliance with the safe storage requirements prescribed by section 41 of the *Firearms Act 1996*<sup>2</sup>.
- 2. The permit holder must ensure the safety of the public at all times at sporting or other approved events where the starting pistol is used.

## Authorised firearms

Starting pistol – a pistol that uses blank cartridges only.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Available on the Authority, Conditions & Legislative Requirements page on the Firearms Registry Internet site.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See 'Safe Storage Level 2 – Category C,D & H Requirements'