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FIREARMS REGISTRY

**Firearms Amendment
(Ammunition Control) Act 2012**

FROM 4 MARCH 2013

**ALL CLUB ARMOURERS MUST RECORD DETAILS OF THE SALE &
PURCHASE OF AMMUNITION**

CLUB ARMOURER RECORDING REQUIREMENTS

From 4th March 2013, a club armourer must record the following details for all sales and purchases of ammunition.

1. The name and address of the buyer or seller, and
2. The firearms licence or permit number of the buyer for a firearm that takes the type of ammunition being purchased, and
3. The quantity of ammunition sold or purchased, and
4. The name of the manufacturer (or the brand) of the ammunition and a full description of the calibre of the ammunition.

All transactions must be recorded within 24 hours.

SALE OF HANDGUN AMMUNITION

From 8th April 2013, in addition to the above recording requirements, where the sale of ammunition is for a handgun, a club armourer must sight and record the following details:

- A current registration certificate for the firearm issued in the name of the buyer for a firearm that takes the ammunition being purchased, or
- An issued Permit to Acquire a firearm (PTA) in the name of the buyer for a firearm that takes the ammunition being purchased.

The PTA may be issued in NSW or the equivalent permit issued in another State or Territory.

All transactions must be recorded within 24 hours.

EXEMPTIONS FOR CLUB ARMOURERS

There are two exemptions to the requirements for sighting and recording of registration certificates for the sale of handgun ammunition by a club armourer:

1. Where ammunition is sold by the armourer to a club member for use at the club premises in a firearm registered to the club, the registration certificate needs to be recorded only, not sighted, and
2. Where the ammunition is sold by the armourer to a club member (whether or not a member of the club) for use by the person at the premises of the club in a competitive shooting match conducted by the club on the day of the sale AND the ammunition is not removed from the club premises, no registration certificate needs to be sighted or recorded.