

FIREARM CODE TABLE

FIREARM TYPE		LOADING ACTION		ACTUATION TYPE	
CO	Combination Rifle/Shotgun	BA	Bolt	CF	Centrefire
PI	Pistol	BR	Break	RF	Rimfire
RE	Revolver	FF	Force Feed	PC	Percussion Cap
RI	Rifle	ML	Muzzle Loading	FL	Flintlock
SB	Single barrel shotgun	LA	Lever	WL	Wheellock
DB	Side by side double barrel shotgun	LG	Loading Gate	ML	Matchlock
UO	Under and over double barrel shotgun	PA	Pump	FU	Fuse
DE	Derringer	RB	Rolling Block	NE	Non Explosive
SS	Coachgun (single short barrel shotgun)	FB	Falling Block	PF	Pinfire
SD	Coachgun (double short barrel shotgun)	RC	Revolving Cylinder	RE	Replica
SM	Sub machine gun	SA	Semi Automatic		
MG	Machine gun	GA	Gas	PROPELLANT	
TG	Tranquiliser gun	AU	Automatic	AI	Air
BA	Barrel	RE	Replica	GA	Gas
DR	Double rifle	SB	Sliding Breech	SP	Spring
PH	Powerhead	MA	Martini	GP	Gun powder (Modern Smokeless)
WS	Walking stick (cane etc)			BP	Black powder
CA	Cannon			BF	Blank Fire
NC	Net Capture			RE	Replica
TP	*Specialised Target Pistol	* A Specialised Target Pistol is defined in section 16B of the <i>Firearms Act 1996</i> as a self-loading pistol with a barrel length of less than 120mm or a revolver with a barrel length of less than 100mm, that is a distinctive size or shape and is used in International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) competition events but is not otherwise a prohibited pistol, i.e. the calibre and magazine capacity is not prohibited.			
MR	Military self loading centre fire rifle				
MS	Military self loading shotgun				
SF	Shortened firearm				
MB	Multiple Barrel Rifle / Shotguns				
DS	Shotgun with Drum Magazine				