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0175 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN) NR 2025

GENERAL REGULATIONS

No.TRG/IOC/RAJ/Shotgun/NS/2025

Dated 6TH May, 2025

1. ORGANIZERS

The 0175 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN NR EVENTS) 2025 is being organized and conducted by the National Rifle Association of India at New Moti Bagh Gun Club, Patiala, Punjab

2. NAME OF THE COMPETITION

0175 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN NR EVENTS) 2025

3. VENUE

NEW MOTI BAGH GUN CLUB, PATIALA, PUNJAB

4. COMPETITION DATES

May 22 - 26, 2025

5. LEVEL OF COMPETITION

The level of the Championship is Pre-National Level Competition, as defined under NRAI Match Book.

6. CONDUCT OF COMPETITION

Participation will be as per Rules & Regulations of ISSF and NRAI Match Book.

7. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Eligibility for Participate in India Open Competition

- a. Shooters who have participated in Pre-State Championship/State Championship/AIGVMSC/Zonal Championship/India Open Competition or in NSCC and failed to achieve MQS are eligible to participate in NR Matches during this Competition. In case any State Rifle Association/Unit did not conduct the Pre-State Championship, the NRAI reserves the right to allow shooters of that State to participate in India Open Competition.

- b. Shooters achieving MQS (NR) under Rule 17.6 of NRAI Match Book, as per Annexure “A” during one of the India Open Competitions will be eligible to participate in 68 NSCC.
- c. Shooters may participate in multiple India Open Competitions to achieve MQS for participation in NSCC. Shooter having one MQS, as per Rule 17.6 of NRAI Match Book (NR), will be eligible to participate in NSCC even if he/she fails to achieve MQS in subsequent competitions including AIGVMSC/ZONAL CHAMMPIONSHIPS.
- d. A penalty of Rs. 3000/- (plus 18% GST = Rs.3540/- or as applicable) per event will be imposed on shooter in case shooter's score is below 85% of the qualifying score as per NRAI Match Book rule 1.4 during the Competition. The State/Unit must recover this amount from the shooters. The State Rifle Association will be responsible for recovery of penalty and deposit the same with NRAI. Shooters will not be permitted to participate in any competition till the penalty amount is paid to NRAI.
- e. In case shooter is not qualified in a particular event and adds his/her entry that event on the portal of NRAI, a penalty of Rs. 5000/- (plus GST, as applicable) shall be imposed on the shooter and will not be allowed to participate in that event. The shooter will be allowed to participate in other events only after payment of penalty amount.

8. REPRESENTATION AND ENTRY

The representation and entry for participation in 0175 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN NR EVENTS) 2025 is as per Rule 6 of NRAI Match Book. The shooter would represent the State as per their registration on NRAI's "Online system". Entries will be accepted on NRAI portal www.thenrai.org The last dates for accepting entries are as under:

With normal fee -- 15th May 2025 before 5 pm
 With triple fee – 17th May 2025 before 5 pm

9. AGE CRITERIA & CATEGORIES

The age criteria will be as per Rule 11 of NRAI Match Book.

Shooters, who are completing the age, as stated below in 2025, will be allowed to participate under the age categories matches:

Seniors	Above the age of 21 years
Juniors – 21 years.	Born in 2004 or after
Masters – 45 -- 60 years	Should have completed 45 years one day before Competition
Senior Masters – 60 – 70 years	Should have completed 60 years one day before Competition
Super Masters – 70 years	Should have completed 70 years one day before Competition

Juniors may participate in Senior Category. Similarly, the Super Masters may participate in all age category matches except junior category. Senior Masters may participate in Masters and Seniors category. Masters can participate in Senior category. Participation in various categories is with the payment of additional entry fee as per rule

For Deaf shooters – There will be only one age category – Men and Women. However, Deaf shooters may participate in other category matches according to their age but there no separate medal will be awarded under those categories to Deaf shooters.

For Para Shooters - All Shooters, who are already registered, are also required to upload their medical categorization certificate as approved by PCI, if not done earlier. Without a medical categorization certificate, no entry will be accepted under Para Category.

SHOOTERS BELOW THE AGE OF 12 YEARS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE DURING THIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

10. LIST OF EVENTS

As per ANNEXURE “B”

11. FORMAT FOR THE MATCHES

- a. The NR Matches will be conducted as per Rules prescribed under NRAI Match Book.
- b. The ties will be broken as per ISSF/NRAI Match Book rules.
- c. **A shooter who achieves MQS, in this Competition, as prescribed under Rule 17.6 of NRAI Match Book, will be eligible to participate in the 68 NSCC.**

12. AWARD OF MEDALS

- a. Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal will be awarded in each category in individual events.
- b. **Individual medals will be awarded on the basis of Qualification Scores in all categories.**
- c. Rule 10 of NRAI Match Book will apply for award of medals.

13. ENTRY FEE

Individual Entry Fee – Rs.2360/- per (NR) match including GST

14. AMMUNITON

The ammunition will be issued to the Team Manager only against cash payment on valid Arms Licenses of Associations/ Clubs/ Individuals or proper special permit issued by the Licensing Authorities. In case of inadequate authorization, special permits for the required quantity are obtained from the Local Licensing Authorities. Unused rounds and empties of used rounds are to be returned to NRAI.

15. SCHEDULE (22 - 26 MAY, 2025)

EVENTS	22	23	24	25	26
SKEET NR	PET	C	--	--	--
TRAP NR	--	--	PET	C	Reserve Day

PET Pre Event Training C COMPETITION

DATE OF AWARD OF MEDALS WILL BE DECIDED ON THE BASIS OF ENTRIES RECEIVED AND WILL BE NOTIFIED AT RANGE.

16. PROTESTS AND APPEALS

The Protests and appeals will be dealt as per ISSF & NRAI Match Book. The Protest fee is Rs. 200/- plus 18% GST and in case of appeal to Jury of Appeal, the protest fee is Rs. 500/- plus 18% GST.

17. CODE OF CONDUCT

NRAI Code of Conduct shall be applicable to all participants, Coaches, Technical Officials, and all others connected with the conduct of India Open Competition.

18. ACCOMMODATION

Participants are requested to kindly make their own arrangements for accommodation.

19. GENERAL

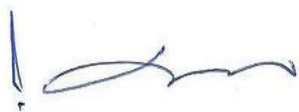
All participants are requested to go through the above instructions carefully and ensure strict compliance:

- a. All participants are expected to abide by the rules and regulations for the competition. Discipline on and off the field is very essential.
- b. A sum of Rs. 236/- will be charged if a shooter loses his/her competitor card during the competition and fresh card will only be issued on deposit of said amount.
- c. In case of non-participation by the competitors after submission of their entries will not be allowed any refund of the Entry Fee.
- d. Shooting kit (clothing & Equipment) of the competitors during the competition will be strictly according to ISSF Rules.
- e. Shooting practice in hotels is strictly prohibited.
- f. The Organizers will have the right to close any match or event in case of any emergency or otherwise without assigning any reason for such an action on their part.
- g. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend the rules at any time at its sole discretion for events/circumstances beyond its control. Any decision made by the Organizing Committee in any such matter will be final.
- h. All participants are expected to abide by the rules and regulations for the competitions. Discipline on and off the field is very essential.
- i. No request for any adjustment shall be entertained. The details will be notified on the website of NRAI. Shooters are required to enter the range 90 minutes before the reporting time at range so that they can report on time for their detail.

For any further details, shooters may contact NRAI on indiashootingh@gmail.com which may be required by them and might have not been covered by the above instructions. For queries related to matches, shooters are advised to refer to NRAI Match Book which is available on website www.thenrai.in

Thanking You,

Yours Faithfully,



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Secretary General

ANNEXURE “A”

MINIMUM QUALIFYING SCORES (ISSF/NR MATCHES) UNDER RULE 17.6

MINIMUM QUALIFYING SCORES (NR) UNDER RULE 17.6 OF NRAI MATCH BOOK

EVENT	MEN	WOMEN	JUNIORS		SR.MASTERS (ABOVE 60 YEARS)		MASTERS (BETWEEN 45-60 YEARS)		SUPER MASTER ABOVE 70 YEARS	
SHOTGUN (NR)			M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
Trap	35	26	30	22	30	22	31	23	15	12
Skeet	35	26	30	22	30	22	31	23	15	12

MINIMUM QUALIFYING SCORES (NATIONAL RULES) FOR DEAF SHOOTERS

SHOTGUN	M	W
Trap	25	20
Skeet	25	20

ANNEXURE “B”

LIST OF MATCHES NATIONAL RULE (NR)

Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Junior Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Junior Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Masters’ Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Senior Masters’ Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Super Masters’ Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Masters’ Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Senior Masters’ Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship Super Masters’ Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship (Deaf) Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship (Deaf) Women (Individual)

Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Junior Men (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Junior Women (Individual)
Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Masters’ Men (Individual)
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