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Attention: Mr. Nick Alexakos, President

The Executive Council: Dino Evangelinos, Vince Pinto, Jurgen Tegge

Reference: Canadian Region

Gentlemen - last year, I asked to renew certain exemptions from the rule book (pertaining to our distance from the US region), and they were denied. Some other exemptions in the letter were for legal purposes, and I did not get proper acknowledgement that they were approved. I therefore ask that you, in writing approve these minor rule exemptions to allow us to comply with Canadian Law, as provided under Section 4.9 Item 1 of the IPSC Constitution. The reasons for these exemptions is that Canadian Law prohibits pistol magazines with a capacity of more than 10 rounds and the Canadian Range Approval Guidelines require that Canadian Ranges do not allow shooting steel closer than 10m. All changes are shown in **bold**.

Appendix D1 - Open Division

9. Maximum ammunition capacity - Yes. 10 rounds.

Appendix D2 - Standard Division

9. Maximum ammunition capacity - Yes, 10 rounds.

Appendix D3 - Modified Division

9. Maximum ammunition capacity - Yes, 10 rounds.

Appendix D4 - Production Division

9. Maximum ammunition capacity - Yes, 10 rounds.

19.1 Modifications to them, other than minor detailing are prohibited. **Modifications to OFM and aftermarket** magazines to restrict the capacity to 10 rounds is specifically allowed.

Regulation 2.1.3 Minimum Distances. And Section 10.4.7. **Minimum distance for firing shots at metal targets is** changed to read 10 meters ( not 7 meters) with charge lines set at a minimum of 11 meters (not 8 meters). A match disqualification will be issued under Section 10.4 Accidental Discharge where a shot is fired at a metal target from a distance of less than 10 meters (not 7 meters).

Please be assured that we take full responsibility for the notification and instruction of our members with respect to the fact that these exemptions apply only to competitions in Canada. We will advise them that all other Regions will require strict adherence to the regulations in the IPSC Handgun Competition Rules - Jan 2009 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition.

Sincerely

Sean Hansen, Regional Director For the National Executive Council

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