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**0164 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION – SHOTGUN 2024**  
**FROM 27<sup>th</sup> March to 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2024**

**No.TRG/IOC/BHATINDA/Shotgun/1148/NS/2024**

**Dated 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2024**

## GENERAL REGULATIONS

### 1. ORGANIZERS

The 0164 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN) Bhatinda, Punjab 2024 is being organized and conducted by the National Rifle Association of India at Bhai Devinder Singh Sidhu Gun Club, Bhucho, Distt. Bhatinda, Punjab with close cooperation of Punjab Rifle Shooting Association.

### 2. NAME OF THE COMPETITION

0164 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN) 2024.

### 3. VENUE

BHAI DEVINDER SINGH SIDHU GUN CLUB, BHUCHO, DISTT., BHATINDA, PUNJAB

### 4. COMPETITION DATES

FROM 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH TO 7<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2024

### 5. LEVEL OF COMPETITION

The Level of the Competition is Pre-National Level Competition as defined under Rule 1.1.2.1 of NRAI Match book.

### 6. CONDUCT OF COMPETITION

a) The Matches will be conducted in accordance with NRAI Match Book under NR and ISSF Rules.

#### b) CHAMPION OF CHAMPION TROPHY:

- i) Champion of Champion Match will be conducted as per Final rules of ISSF Rules.
- ii) Six shooters with highest score from all age categories in ISSF events (Men and Women) will be selected to participate for Champion of Champions Trophy in Trap and Skeet.
- iii) The Champion of Champions match will be conducted with “fanfare”. Traditional folk music will be played during the conduct of the Champion of Champions Matches. Spectators will be allowed to support their shooters by using drums etc.
- iv) Winners of Finals shall be awarded “Champion of Champions” Trophy.

## 7. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

### a) Eligibility for Participate in India Open Competition

i) Shooters who have participated in Pre-State Championship/State Championship/AIGVMSC/Zonal Championship/India Open Competition or in NSCC are eligible to participate in this Competition. In case any State Rifle Association fails to conduct the Pre-State Championship, the NRAI reserves the right to allow shooters of that State to participate in India Open Competition.

ii) Renowned Shooters, as per Rule 17.6 of NRAI Match Book, will be allowed to participate in ISSF Matches only.

iii) A Shooter who has achieved NR MQS under 17.6 of NRAI Match book, is not eligible to participate in ISSF Matches.

iv) **Shooters achieving MQS during one of the India Open Competitions, as per Rule 17.6 of NRAI, will be eligible to participate in NSCC**

v) Shooters may participate in multiple India Open Competitions prior to NSCC. One of the highest scores during India Open Competition, which is equal or above to NR MQS under Rule 17.6 of NRAI Match Book, will be considered for participation in NSCC. (Clarification – if a shooter fails to achieve MQS in subsequent Competitions, he/she still will be allowed to participate in NSCC based on said high score.)

vi) A penalty of Rs. 3000/- (plus 18% GST = Rs.3540/- as applicable) per shooter per event will be imposed on shooter in case shooter's score is below 15% 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.

## 8. REPRESENTATION AND ENTRY

The representation and entry for participation in 0164 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION 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](http://www.thenrai.org) The last dates for accepting entries are as under:

With normal fee – 22 <sup>nd</sup> March, 2024	till 7.30 pm
With triple fee – 24 <sup>th</sup> March, 2024	till 7.30 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 2024, will be allowed to participate under age categories matches:

Juniors – 21 years	Born in 2003 or above.
Masters – between 45 – 60 years	Born in 1964 – 1979.
Senior Masters – 61 – 70 years	Born in 1954 – 1963.
Super Masters – 71 years	Born in 1953 or below

Super Masters, Senior Master and Masters may participate in other categories except junior category matches. Juniors may participate in Senior Category.

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

## 10. LIST OF EVENTS

All categories for Men and Women (As per Annexure A)

Trap and Skeet

## 11. 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.

## 12. 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.

## 13. ENTRY FEE

For NR Matches – Rs.2000/- per match plus 18% GST = Rs.2360/-  
For ISSF Matches Rs. 4950/- per match plus 18% GST =Rs.5841/-

## 14. AMMUNITON

The ammunition will available at NRAI Camp office at Bhatinda, Punjab as per availability.

## 15. SCHEDULE

EVENTS	MAR 27	MAR 28	MAR 29	MAR 30	MAR 31	APR 1	APR 2	APR 3	APR 4	APR 5	APR 6	APR 7
TRAP (NR)	T	25B	25 B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SKEET (NR)	--	--	--	T	25B	25B	-	-	-	-	-	-
TRAP (ISSF)	-	-	-	-	-	-	T	C	C/F	-	-	-
SKEET (ISSF)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	T	C	C/F

T -- TRAINING

C -- COMPETITION

B-- BIRDS

F - FINALS

EVENT	MEN	WOMEN	JUNIORS		SR.MASTERS (ABOVE 60 YEARS)		MASTERS (BETWEEN 45-60 YEARS)		SUPER MASTER ABOVE 70 YEARS	
			M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
<b>SHOTGUN (ISSF)</b>										
Trap	95	66	75	60	75	60	85	61	60	50
Double Trap	110	45	75	40	75	40	95	40	60	35
Skeet	95	66	75	60	75	60	85	61	60	50
<b>SHOTGUN (NR)</b>										
Trap	35	26	30	22	30	22	31	23	15	12
Double Trap	36	22	22	20	22	20	32	21	15	12
Skeet	35	26	30	22	30	22	31	23	15	12

### MINIMUM QUALIFYING SCORES FOR DEAF SHOOTERS (NR and ISSF)

SHOTGUN (NR)	M	W	SHOTGUN (ISSF)	M	W
Trap	25	20	Trap	50	40
Skeet	25	20	Skeet	50	40

## 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% ) Rs.236/- and in case of appeal to Jury of Appeal, the protest fee is Rs. 500/-(plus 18% GST) Rs.590/-.

## 17. ACCOMMODATION

Participants are requested to kindly make their own arrangements for accommodation. A wide range of hotels for all budgets are available in Bhatinda, Punjab.

## 18. GENERAL

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

- 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/- (Rs.200/- plus 18% GST) will be charged if a shooter loses his/her competitor card during the competition and fresh card will only be issued on deposit of amount.
- c. In case of non-participation by the competitors after submission of their entries, entry fee will not be refunded.
- 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.

## 19. COVID PROTOCOLS

- a. Due to COVID – 19 conditions, shooters are requested to strictly follow SOPs as laid down by Govt. of India/Punjab Govt.
- b. No request for any adjustment shall be entertained. The details of squads 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.
- c. The Shooters may contact the NRAI on [indiashooting@gmail.com](mailto:indiashooting@gmail.com) for any further information/details that may be required by them and might have not been covered by the above instructions.

Yours faithfully



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Secretary General

“ANNEXURE A”

**LIST OF MATCHES (NR)**

**Entry Fee Rs. 2000/- plus 18%= Rs.2360/-**

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 Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship (Deaf) Men (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)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Senior Masters' Men (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Super Masters' Men (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Masters' Women (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Senior Masters' Women (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship Super Masters' Women (Individual)

Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (NR) Championship (Deaf) Women (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (NR) Championship (Deaf) Women (Individual)

EVENT	MEN	WOMEN	JUNIORS		SR.MASTERS (ABOVE 60 YEARS)		MASTERS (BETWEEN 45-60 YEARS)		SUPER MASTER ABOVE 70 YEARS	
			M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
<b>SHOTGUN (NR)</b>										
Trap	35	26	30	22	30	22	31	23	15	12
Double Trap	36	22	22	20	22	20	32	21	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

## List of Matches (ISSF)

**Entry Fee Rs. 4950/- plus 18%= Rs.5841/-**

Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Junior Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Super Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Senior Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (Deaf) Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual

Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Junior Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Super Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Senior Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Trap Shooting (Deaf) Women (ISSF) National Championship Individual

Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Junior Men (ISSF) National Championship Individual  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Super Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Senior Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Masters' Men (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (Deaf) Men (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)

Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Junior Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Super Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Senior Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting Masters' Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)  
 Clay Pigeon Skeet Shooting (Deaf) Women (ISSF) National Championship (Individual)

EVENT	MEN	WOMEN	JUNIORS		SR.MASTERS (ABOVE 60 YEARS)		MASTERS (BETWEEN 45-60 YEARS)		SUPER MASTER ABOVE 70 YEARS	
			M	W	M	W	M	W	M	W
<b>SHOTGUN (ISSF)</b>										
<b>Trap</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>Double Trap</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Skeet</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>50</b>

### MINIMUM QUALIFYING SCORES (ISSF RULES) FOR DEAF SHOOTERS

<b>SHOTGUN</b>	M	W
Trap	50	40
Skeet	50	40