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## **07324 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN EVENTS) MHOW 2025**

### **GENERAL REGULATIONS**

#### **1. ORGANIZERS**

The 07324 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN EVENTS) MHOW 2025 is being organized and conducted by the National Rifle Association of India at Infantry School, MHOW with close cooperation of Army Marksmanship Unit, MHOW.

#### **2. NAME OF THE COMPETITION**

07324 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN EVENTS) MHOW 2025

#### **3. VENUE**

The Infantry School, Army Marksmanship Unit at Infantry School, MHOW, Indore.

#### **4. COMPETITION DATES**

March 23 – 29, 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 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.**
- f. **Shooters who are renowned shot during 66/67 NSCC are eligible to participate in ISSF matches.**

## 8. REPRESENTATION AND ENTRY

The representation and entry for participation in 07324 INDIA OPEN COMPETITION (SHOTGUN EVENTS) MHOW 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](http://www.thenrai.org) The last dates for accepting entries are as under:

With normal fee – 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025 before 5 pm  
 With triple fee – 02 March 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 rules.

**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 ISSF Matches will be conducted as per rules of ISSF.
- b. Finals will not be conducted. Medals will be awarded based on Qualification scores.
- c. The NR Matches will be conducted as per Rules prescribed under NRAI Match Book.
- d. The ties will be broken as per ISSF/NRAI Match Book rules.
- e. **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. CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS TROPHY**

- a. There will be Finals for Champion of Champions in the ISSF senior category of Trap and Skeet events.
- b. Shooters based on Final rankings of ISSF Qualification Scores in Senior men and women will participate for Champion of Champions Trophy match.
- c. The top 6 athletes (Men and Women with high scores), in each Trap and Skeet events, will shoot the Finals as per ISSF Rules All athletes will start with score zero.
- d. Ties will be broken as per ISSF Rules.
- e. The winner in each category will be awarded Champion of Champions Trophy.
- f. 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/music etc.

## **13. 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.

## 14. ENTRY FEE

- a. Individual Entry Fee – Rs.5841/- per (ISSF) match including GST
- b. Individual Entry Fee – Rs.2360/- per (NR) match including GST

## 15. 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.

## 16. SCHEDULE

| EVENTS       | Mar 23 | 24  | 25   | 26  | 27   | 28 | 29  |
|--------------|--------|-----|------|-----|------|----|-----|
| TRAP (NR)    | PET    | 25B | 25 B | -   | -    | -  | -   |
| SKEET (NR)   | PET    | 25B | 25B  | -   | -    | -  | -   |
| TRAP (ISSF)  | -      | -   | -    | PET | 75 B | 50 | COC |
| SKEET (ISSF) | -      | -   | -    | PET | 75B  | 50 | COC |

**PET** Pre Event Training **B-- BIRDS** **COC – CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS**

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

## 17. PROTESTS AND APPEALS

The Protests and appeals will be dealt as per ISSF & NRAI Match Book 2024. The Protest fee is Rs. 200/- and in case of appeal to Jury of Appeal, the protest fee is Rs. 500/-.

## 18. 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.

## 19. ACCOMMODATION

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

## 20. 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. Penalty 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 penalty.
- 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.

## 21. COVID PROTOCOLS

- a. Due to COVID – 19 conditions, shooters are requested to strictly follow SOPs as laid down by Govt. of India/M P State Govt/Army.
- b. Only one person will be allowed to accompany the shooter subject to production of valid negative COVID– 19 reports.

For any further details, shooters may contact NRAI on [indiashootingh@gmail.com](mailto: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](http://www.thenrai.in)

Thanking You,

Yours Faithfully,



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Secretary General

## 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<br>(ABOVE 60 YEARS) |    | MASTERS<br>(BETWEEN 45-60<br>YEARS) |    | SUPER<br>MASTER<br>ABOVE<br>YEARS |    |
|-----------------|-----|-------|---------|----|--------------------------------|----|-------------------------------------|----|-----------------------------------|----|
|                 |     |       | M       | W  | M                              | W  | M                                   | W  | M                                 | W  |
| SHOTGUN<br>(NR) |     |       | M       | W  | M                              | W  | M                                   | W  | M                                 | W  |
| Trap            | 35  | 26    | 30      | 22 | 30                             | 22 | 31                                  | 23 | 15                                | 12 |
| Double<br>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 |

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

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

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

| SHOTGUN | M  | W  |
|---------|----|----|
| Trap    | 50 | 40 |
| Skeet   | 50 | 40 |

## LIST OF MATCHES

## ANNEXURE “B”

### 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 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)

### ISSF RULE

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)