



GUIDANCE NOTES OVERLEAF

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BOTH SIDES

Declaration under Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968

It is an offence for a person who is prohibited by Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968 to have a firearm or ammunition in his/her possession at any time.

This Section applies to any person who has been sentenced to imprisonment or to youth custody or detention in any young offenders institution for three months or more.

A person sentenced to a period between 3 months and 3 years is prohibited for 5 years from the date of release.

A person sentenced to 3 years or more is prohibited for life.

It is an offence for a person to transfer, let, hire, or lend a firearm or ammunition to someone whom he/she knows or has reasonable grounds for believing to be a prohibited person.

I.....(USE BLOCK CAPITALS)
hereby declare that I have never had a firearm or shotgun application refused or such a certificate revoked. I also declare that I am not a person prohibited by virtue of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968.

Signed.....

Dated.....

The full member of Novio Magnum Pistol Club who is accompanying the above must complete the following details:

I.....(USE BLOCK CAPITALS)
hereby declare to the best of my knowledge and belief that the person named above is not prohibited by virtue of Section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968.

I understand that I am responsible for the safe action and good conduct of the above and that he/she will at all times obey the Range Orders for the range on which he/she is using or visiting. By signing this form I confirm that I have read and understood the declaration

Signed.....

Dated.....

EXTRACTS FROM THE RULES OF THE CLUB

GUEST MEMBERS

Chapter 2

Paragraph 7

Guest days are as outlined at Chap 3 para 4. Guest members must be supervised on a one to one basis by a full member of the club and must be known personally to at least one full member. This full member will be responsible for the conduct of the guest member at all times on the range. Guest members are to sign a declaration (see example at Annex A) to confirm they are not prohibited from possessing a firearm or ammunition by virtue of *section 21 of the 1968 Act (as amended)*. Guests may attend the range no more than four (4) times after which they must apply for membership as outlined at paragraph 1.

Paragraph 8

From time to time organised competitions may be approved by the Club Committee. The ceiling for the number of times a guest member who is visiting the range for the purpose of competing, may be higher than that outlined at Chapter 2 Para7 and is at the discretion of the committee.

Paragraph 9

Guest members who are FAC holders are not restricted to the first Sunday of every month as outlined at Chap 3 Para 4 but may attend the range at any time so long as the rules contained at Para 7 above are adhered to. In addition an FAC holder is not required to complete the declaration at Annex A but must be in possession of his FAC at the time of attendance. However he is to complete the guest book in order that a written record of his attendance is maintained.

GUEST DAYS

Chapter 3

Paragraph 4

Guest days fall on the first Sunday of every month and are notified to the police firearms licensing department by the Honorary Secretary of the Club. Further guidance to these events can be found at Chapter 2 Paragraph 7 and on form Annex A (overleaf).