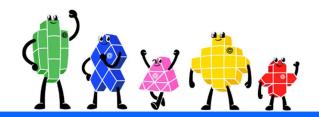
# **Technical Handbook**

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025

# PRACTICAL SHOOTING











# **General Information**







# **Technical Part**







# **Sport Information**

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#### 1. Dates

The **Practical Shooting (PSH)** competition for the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held from **13 to 15 December 2025** 

Competition Dates: 13 to 15 December 2025
Training Date: 11 to 12 December 2025

# 2. Venues

The Practical Shooting competition will be held at Eastern National Sports Training Center in Chonburi, Thailand which use for two (2) purpose as follow:

- The competition field-of-play (FOP)
- The training warm up field

#### 3. Event

The Practical shooting competition will consist of eight (8) events consist of

- Four (4) men's events
- Four (4) women's events

Eight (8) Events			
Events	MEN	WOMEN	MIXED
1. Open Individual	٧	٧	
2. Production Individual	٧	٧	
3. Production Optic Individual	٧	٧	
4. Standard Individual	٧	٧	
Total	4	4	

**Note:** Each NOC may enter a maximum of three (3) athletes per individual event including: Two (2) athletes will be designated as primary competitors and One (1) athlete will be designated as the reserve.

# 4. Competition Schedule and Training Schedule

# 4.1 Competition Schedule

8.30-16.30

# 4.2 Training Schedule

8.30-16.30





#### 5. Entries

#### 5.1 Eligibility

- 5.1.1 Only SEAGF member NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Practical shooting competition of the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025
- 5.1.2 Only athletes who comply with the IPSC Competition Rule, the SEAGF Charter and Rules as well as Rule 40 and the By-law to Rule 40 of the Olympic Charter (Participation in the Games).
- 5.1.3 Only nationals of the country of the National Olympic Committee (NOC) shall be qualified to represent the NOC in the Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country, which an athlete may represent in the SEA Games shall be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules as well as Rule 41 and By-law to Rule 41 of the Olympic Charter (Nationality of competitors).
- 5.1.4 For eligibility matters, in the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the South East Asian Games Federation (SEAGF) Charter, THASOC and IPSC, the latter shall prevail.

#### 5.2 Entry Policies

- Each NOC may enter a maximum of two (2) athletes per individual event with the following structure:
- 5.2.1 Two (2) athletes will be designated as primary competitors who will compete in the match
- 5.2.2 No reserve athletes are permitted for this competition
- 5.2.3 Both primary competitors must be clearly indicated in the Entry by Name form
- 5.2.4 Both athletes from each NOC will compete in all stages of the competition
- 5.2.5 For final ranking and medal determination, only the best score from the two (2) competitors representing each NOC will be counted for official results and medal standings
- 5.2.6 Both competitors' individual scores will be recorded and published, but only the higher-scoring athlete's result will contribute to the NOC's official ranking
- 5.2.7 Individual recognition and medals will be awarded based on individual performance, regardless of team affiliation
- \*\*\* NOCs that withdraw their athletes after the submission of the final entries by name, will be faced with disciplinary action by the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

#### 6. Submission of Entries

- **6.1** Entry Form by Sport: Deadline 8 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- **6.2** Entry Form by Number: Deadline 8 May 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)
- **6.3** Entry Form by Name: Deadline 1 September 2025 at 24.00 (Bangkok time)

All Entry Form by Sport, Entry Form by Number and Entry by Name may be sent via email







and subsequently confirmed with stamped original by upload to the system. If you need any assistant, please contact as follow:

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# 7. Pre-Competition: Team Managers and Officials Meetings

# 7.1 Team Managers' Meeting

Date: 11 December 2025

**Time:** 13.00-16.00

**Venue:** THPSA Shooting Range

#### 7.2 Technical Officials' Meeting (Team events)

Date: 12 December 2025

**Time:** 13.00-16.00

**Venue:** THPSA Shooting Range

#### 8. General Rules and Regulations

#### 8.1 Rules

#### 8.1.1 Eligibility Code (SEAGF 30)

To be eligible for participation in the SEA Games, a competitor must comply with the Federation's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, in particular in relation to eligibility and nationality, as well as the related provisions in the Olympic Charter, and the rules, regulations and by-laws for participation in the Olympic Games."

# 8.1.2 Nationality of Competitor (SEAGF 31)

Only nationals of the country of the NOC who are holding current valid national passports of the county of that Member-NOC shall be qualified and eligible to represent the Member-NOC in the SEA Games. All disputes relating to the determination of the country which a competitor may represent in the SEA Games shall be decided by the Arbitration Panel established under this Charter and Rules, in accordance with the Federation's rules, regulations and by-laws, including this Charter and Rules, relating to eligibility and nationality."





#### **8.1.3** Number of Entries (SEAGF 34.3, 37)

- A minimum of four (4) NOCs must register to participate by the respective closing date of both the Entry by Number and the Entry by Name registration in a sport or discipline or team event and in the case of an individual event, a minimum of three (3) NOCs must register to participate by the closing date of both the Entry by Number and Entry by Name registration, for it to be included in the SEA Games programme. For the avoidance of doubt:
  - A doubles event shall be considered an individual event.
  - There shall be no waiver of this Rule on minimum entry."
- b) The maximum number of entries from each nation in each event is fixed by the Federation in consultation with the Host NOC. However, the following numbers cannot be exceeded:
  - For individual events, including singles and doubles events, there shall only be two (2) entries from each NOC (without reserves) EXCEPT for the sports with weight category, such as all martial arts and combat sports, Body-building, Weightlifting, etc., where there shall only be one (1) entry per weight category or per event from each NOC; and for the sport of Sailing, where there shall only be one (1) entry per event from each NOC.
  - For team events, there shall be one (1) team per NOC, and the number of reserves shall not exceed the number of players allowed by the International Federation.
  - For all events where individual competitions are conducted, the competitors for any one (1) NOC cannot win more than two (2) medals in the respective individual events.
  - No Federation Member-NOC, including the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee of any SEA Games, is allowed to limit the participation of any other Federation Member-NOC or any athlete from participating in any sport, discipline or event solely on the ground or for any reason of limitation of participation."

#### 8.1.4 International Sport Federation

International Practical Shooting Confederation (IPSC)

#### 8.1.5 Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal (SEAGF 41)

a) The necessary technical officials, referees, judges, umpires, timekeepers, inspectors and other technical officials (collectively "International Technical Officials" or ITOs") and a Jury of Appeal for each sport in such number as shall be determined by the Host NOC or the Organizing Committee, shall be appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee in consultation with the appropriate IF/AF and in cooperation with the





- respective National Federation of the Host NOC or local sport official/representative. All such ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials approved and appointed by the Host NOC or Organizing Committee shall be referred collectively as "IF/AF International Technical Officials" or IF/AF ITOs" and "Jury of Appeal" accordingly.
- b) The Organizing Committee shall pay for the air or international travel (based on best economy fare to the host city), accommodation (equivalent to a hotel of at least a 3-star internationally accepted rating, based on twinshare basis except for single rooms for Technical Delegates, Chief Umpires and Chief Scorer), meals, official local transport expenses and a per diem only of the IF/AF ITOs and Jury of Appeal officials at the established rates of the Organizing Committee starting from within than two (2) days before the start of the first event of the sport or discipline concerned until one (1) day after the end of the competition of the last event of that sport or discipline.
- c) In approving and appointments of ITOs and Jury of Appeal members, all IF and or AF concerned must give priority, first to the appointment of qualified ITOs and Jury of Appeal members who reside within the South East Asian (SEA) region, and second, to those who reside within the Asian continent, before appointing any ITOs or Jury of Appeal members from outside the SEA region or Asia continent.
- d) No official who has participated in a decision may serve in the Jury of Appeal that reviews it. The findings of the Jury of Appeal shall be communicated as soon as possible to the Federation Office, Host NOC, Organizing Committee and Executive Committee.
- e) Technical officials and members of the Jury of Appeal may not live in the Games Villages, but the Organizing Committee shall ensure and bear the cost of their accommodation, including board and local transport facilities at such established rates of the Organizing Committee.
- f) The Jury of Appeal's decision(s) on all technical questions concerning its respective sport or of disciplinary nature is/are final. Such decision shall, however, be without prejudice to any further penalty and or sanction, which may be imposed by the Executive Committee.
- g) The Jury of Appeal shall be composed of a Chairperson (who shall be the Technical Delegate) and not more than two (2) other representatives as Jury of Appeal members, who shall be appointed by the IF/AF from amongst the IF/AF ITOS and or IF/AF representative(s) present at the Games.
- h) In the event of a dispute or protest relating to technical questions concerning its respective sport, discipline and or event, or competition or





any matter that is disciplinary in nature, that is referred to a relevant Jury of Appeal, representatives of countries in the Jury of Appeal whose countries are involved in the dispute or protest must NOT participate in the deliberations and or decision making and cannot vote in the resolution of the dispute or protest.

i) Any NOC dissatisfied with any decision of any Jury of Appeal (except decisions concerning matters of fact and judgment calls where no appeal is allowed) may refer his/her appeal to the Panel of Arbitrators

#### 8.1.6 Arbitration Panel (SEAGF 42)

The Arbitration Panel shall deliberate and decide finally on all questions concerning the SEA Games or s, protests or appeals (including on any violation of anti-doping code, rules or regulations) from any sport, discipline or event or any disputes arising from or related to the SEA Games. NOCs or the Organizing Committee may also submit question or any matter related to the SEA Games to the Arbitration Panel for determination. Further, the Arbitration Panel may intervene in and determine all questions of non-technical nature outside the jurisdiction of the Jury of Appeal set up for each sport, discipline or event in the Games programme.

#### 8.1.7 Penalty in case of Fraud (SEAGF 44)

A competitor proved to have fraudulently transgressed or breached any provisions of the Charter, Rules, Regulations or By-laws of the Federation shall be disqualified and lose any position or medal he/she may have gained. If this competitor's NOC is proved to have been a party to the fraud, his/her country shall be disqualified in the sport concerned.

#### 9. Competition Rules, Regulations and Training Policies

#### 9.1 Competition Rules

The Practical Shooting competition of the 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules and the current International Practical Shooting Confederation (IPSC) Rules and Regulations, under the guidance of the Technical Delegate (TD) appointed by Thailand Practical Shooting Association (THPSA) as authorized by the IPSC.

In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the IPSC Rules and Regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the Rules and Regulations shall be resolved as follows:

- **9.1.1 General Issues:** To be resolved in accordance with the SEAGF Charter and Rules.
- **9.1.2 Technical Issues:** To be resolved in accordance with IPSC Rules and Regulations and IPSC Norms.







#### 9.2 Competitional Format

#### 9.2.1 Course Design

All courses of fire must be pre-approved by Thailand Practical Shooting Association (THPSA) and officially sanctioned by IPSC. The competition shall be conducted according to IPSC Rules Chapter 1, with courses of fire designed to test accuracy, power, and speed in the spirit of practical shooting. No moving targets shall be used in the competition.

#### 9.2.2 Stage Requirements

The competition shall consist of 18 stages with a Maximum of 348 rounds. Courses of fire shall include short courses (maximum 12 rounds), medium courses (maximum 24 rounds), and long courses (maximum 32 rounds), maintaining a ratio of 3:2:1 respectively.

# 9.2.3 Scoring Method

All stages shall use the Comstock scoring method with unlimited time and unlimited rounds.

#### 9.3 Scoring Procedures and Regulations

#### 9.3.1 Scoring Mathodology

The competition shall employ the Comstock scoring method as defined in IPSC Rules 9.2.1. Final score will be calculated by dividing points by time to determine hit factor. Stage points will be calculated to four decimal places, and match rankings will be determined by total accumulated stage points. All scoring procedures must comply with IPSC Rules Chapter 9.

#### 9.3.2 Target Scoring Values

Scoring shall be based on power factor classification in accordance with IPSC Rule 5.6.1. Open and Standard Divisions allow competitors to achieve scores in both Major and Minor power factor classifications, with specific scoring values determined by the power factor achieved.

- Major Power Factor (minimum 160): A zone scores 5 points, C zone scores
   4 points, and D zone scores 2 points.
- Minor Power Factor (minimum 125): A zone scores 5 points, C zone scores 3 points, and D zone scores 1 point.
- Production Division will only recognize Minor Power Factor scoring, with a minimum power factor of 125. Competitors in this division will score according to the Minor Power Factor point values: A zone at 5 points, C zone at 3 points, and D zone at 1 point.







#### 9.3.3 Scoring Penalties

Penalties will include minus 10 points for missing targets per occurrence, minus 10 points for hits on no-shoot targets per hit (maximum 2 hits), and minus 10 points for procedural violations per occurrence.

#### 9.3.4 Power Factor Determination

Power factor testing will follow IPSC Rules Chapter 5.6, involving mandatory official chronograph verification. Eight sample rounds will be collected per competitor, with power factor calculated using the formula: (bullet weight [grains] x velocity [fps]) / 1000. Non-compliant power factor scores will be recalculated per Rules 5.6.3.8-10.

#### 9.3.5 Score Verification Protocol

Competitors must verify all scores prior to target patching. Scoring disputes will be resolved according to Rules 9.6, with the Range Master's decision on scoring matters being final.

#### 9.4 Athlete Replacement Rules

- 9.4.1 No athlete replacements are permitted for this competition as no reserve athletes are allowed
- 9.4.2 If a primary competitor withdraws before the start of competition, the NOC will compete with only one (1) athlete in that event
- 9.4.3 If a primary competitor is disqualified or withdraws during competition, they cannot be replaced and the NOC will be represented by their remaining competitor only
- 9.4.4 All athlete withdrawals must be reported immediately to the Technical Delegate with proper documentation

# 9.5 Training Policies

# 9.5.1 Training Schedule and Venues

Official training will be conducted at Eastern National Sports Training Center in Chonburi on [specific dates TBC]. Access to the training venues will be granted only to accredited competitors and team officials.

#### 9.5.2 Training Venue Access

- A. Access to the training venue will be strictly controlled and limited to accredited athletes and team officials.
- B. Each NOC will be allocated training times based on the number of registered athletes.





C. The training schedule will be distributed during the Team Managers' Meeting.

## 9.5.3 Pre-Competition Training Protocols

- A. A test firing bay, supervised by a Range Officer, will be available for competitors to test the operation of their firearms and ammunition.
- B. Approved IPSC paper and metal targets (where possible, electronically indicating or self-resetting) will be available for use by competitors to aid in sighting-in their firearms, in accordance with the guidelines in IPSC Rules Appendix C3.
- C. Safety Areas will be provided for firearm handling in accordance with IPSC Rules Section 2.4.
- D. Eye and ear protection is mandatory for all persons at the training venues.

# 9.5.4 Training Equipment Provisions

- A. Targets, patching materials, and range equipment will be provided by the Organizing Committee.
- B. All firearms and ammunition must be provided by the competitors and must comply with IPSC Rules and Division requirements.
- C. All training sessions will be supervised by qualified Range Officers.

#### 9.6 Protests and Appeals

# 9.6.1 General Principles

- A. All protests and appeals must follow the prescribed hierarchy and procedures outlined below.
- B. Each level of appeal is independent and requires separate fees and documentation.
- C. Time limits are strictly enforced and cannot be extended except in exceptional circumstances.
- D. All protests and appeals must be submitted in writing by an official representative of the NOC.
- E. Failure to follow proper procedures or meet deadlines will result in automatic dismissal.

# 9.6.2 Level 1: IPSC Arbitration Committee (Technical Competition Matters) A. Jurisdiction:

- 1. Scoring disputes beyond Range Master authority
- 2. Equipment compliance and chronograph/power factor disputes
- 3. Procedural penalty appeals
- 4. Safety infractions and disqualification appeals (exceptional circumstances only)







- 4. Safety infractions and disqualification appeals (exceptional circumstances only)
- 5. IPSC rules interpretation and application

#### **B. Process:**

- Initial appeal sequence: Range Officer → Chief Range Officer → Range Master
- 2. If disagreement persists, appeal to IPSC Arbitration Committee
- 3. Written appeal must be submitted to Range Master within sixty (60) minutes of the disputed decision
- 4. Appeal must include: disputed decision details, factual summary, legal arguments, and relief sought

#### **C.** Committee Composition:

- 1. Chairman: IPSC President, delegate, or certified Match Official (who shall be the Technical Delegate when serving as chairman)
- 2. Three arbitrators appointed by the Technical Delegate
- 3. No committee member may be party to the original decision

#### **D. Protest:**

1. Limited to 1 country, can protest a total of 3 times.

#### E. Decision:

- 1. Committee must reach decision within 60 minutes of appeal submission (Tier 1&2 60 minutes Tier 3 24 hrs)
- 2. Decision is by majority vote
- 3. Decision is final for IPSC technical matters
- 4. Unsuccessful appellants may appeal to SEA Games Jury of Appeal for sport management issues

# 9.6.3 Level 2: SEA Games Jury of Appeal (Sport Management and Disciplinary Matters)

#### A. Jurisdiction:

- 1. Technical questions concerning sport organization and management
- 2. Disciplinary matters related to unsportsmanlike conduct
- 3. Match administration and officiating disputes
- 4. Appeals from IPSC Arbitration Committee decisions (non-technical aspects only)
- 5. Technical official competency and appointment disputes







# **B.** Committee Composition:

- 1. Chairman: Technical Delegate
- 2. One representative from each participating country
- 3. IPSC Technical Delegate (advisory capacity only)
- 4. Representatives from countries involved in the dispute may participate in deliberations but cannot vote

#### C. Process:

- 1. Written appeal must be submitted to Technical Delegate within sixty (60) minutes of:
  - Original decision (for direct appeals), OR
- IPSC Arbitration Committee decision (for secondary appeals)
- 2. Appeal must include complete documentation from previous level (if applicable)
- 3. Committee may request additional evidence and witness testimony

#### D. Fees:

- 1. Appeal fee: USD \$100 (or equivalent in local currency)
- 2. Fee required regardless of previous IPSC Arbitration Committee appeal
- 3. If appeal upheld: Fee returned to appellant
- 4. If appeal denied: Fee forwarded to International Range Officers Association (IROA)

#### F. Decision:

1Jury must reach decision within sixty (60) minutes of appeal submission.

- 2.Decision by majority vote
- 3. Decision is final for technical and disciplinary sport matters
- 4. Decision is without prejudice to further penalties by SEAGF Executive Committee
- 5. Unsuccessful appellants may appeal to SEA Games Arbitration Panel for procedural or governance issues







# 9.6.4 Level 3: SEA Games Arbitration Panel (Final Authority)

#### A. Jurisdiction:

- 1. All questions concerning SEA Games governance and procedures
- 2. Non-technical disputes outside Jury of Appeal jurisdiction
- 3. Appeals from Jury of Appeal decisions (procedural and governance aspects only)
- 4. Anti-doping rule violations and related appeals
- 5. Eligibility and nationality disputes
- 6. Charter and Rules compliance matters

# **B. Panel Composition:**

- 1. Composition as established under SEAGF Charter Article 42
- 2. Panel members appointed by SEAGF
- 3. No panel member may have conflict of interest in the dispute

#### C. Process:

- 1. Written appeal must be submitted to SEAGF within three(3) hours of Jury of Appeal decision
- 2. Appeal must include complete documentation from all previous levels
- 3. Panel has full authority to review facts and law
- 4. Panel may issue new decision, annul previous decision, or refer back to previous instance

#### D. Fees:

- 1. Appeal fee: USD \$100 OR maximum individual match entry fee (whichever is lower)
- 2. Fee required regardless of previous appeal levels
- 3. If appeal upheld: Fee returned to appellant
- 4. If appeal denied: Fee forwarded to IROA
- 5. Appeals submitted by Range Master on match issues are exempt from fees

#### E. Decision:

- 1. Panel must reach decision within twenty-four (24) hours of appeal submission (per SEAGF Charter requirements)
- 2. Decision is final and binding on all parties
- 3. No further appeals permitted
- 4. Decision may not be appealed to any external court or tribunal







#### 9.6.5 Special Provisions

## A. Scoring Disputes (IPSC Rules Chapter 9.6):

- 1. Competitors must verify all scores prior to target patching
- 2. Scoring challenges must be made before target restoration
- 3. Range Master's scoring decisions are final and not subject to appeal

#### **B.** Emergency Procedures:

- 1. In case of immediate safety concerns, Range Master may take immediate action
- 2. Emergency decisions subject to post-incident review by appropriate appeal body
- 3. Emergency actions do not preclude subsequent appeals

# C. Multiple Level Appeals:

- 1. Total potential appeal costs: Up to USD \$300 (if unsuccessful at all levels)
- 2. Each level requires separate fee payment
- 3. Fees are non-transferable between levels
- 4. Previous level decisions do not prejudice subsequent appeal rights

#### **D. Documentation Requirements:**

- 1. All appeals must be in English or Thai with certified translation if required
- 2. Supporting evidence must be submitted with initial appeal
- 3. Additional evidence may be requested by appeal bodies
- 4. Appeal bodies may request access to match files and documentation

#### E. Time Extensions:

- 1. Time limits may only be extended in exceptional circumstances
- 2. Requests for extensions must be made before deadline expiry
- 3. Extensions require approval from relevant appeal body chairman
- 4. Medical emergencies and force majeure events may justify extensions

#### 9.6.6 Appeal Outcome Implementation

#### A. Immediate Implementation:

- 1. All appeal decisions must be implemented immediately upon announcement
- 2. Results may be adjusted retroactively based on appeal outcomes
- 3. Medal ceremonies may be delayed pending appeal resolution





#### **B.** Notification:

- 1. Appeal decisions must be communicated to all affected parties within one (1) hour
- 2. Results adjustments must be published immediately
- 3. Media and NOCs must be notified of any changes

#### C. Final Results:

- 1. Match results remain provisional until all appeal deadlines have passed
- 2. Results become final only after appeal periods expire or all appeals are resolved
- 3. No further changes permitted after results are declared final 9.7 Delays, Postponement or Cancellations

# 9.7 Delays, Postponement or Cancellations

The Technical Delegate must consult the THASOC Secretariate if there is any delay, postponement or cancellation of any competition that affects the scheduled times for "live broadcast" or victory ceremonies.

# 10. Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal

The appointments of Technical Officials and Jury of Appeal members will be in accordance with Article 41 of the SEAGF Charter and Rules.

#### 10.1 Appointment of Officials

The necessary technical officials, including referees, judges, Range Officers, timekeepers, inspectors, and appeal body members shall be appointed by Thailand Practical Shooting Association (THPSA) under the authority of the Range Master. These appointments shall be made in conjunction with the Organizing Committee and must comply with both SEAGF Charter Article 41 and IPSC Rules Chapter 7.

- A. Technical Officials shall be appointed by THPSA in accordance with IPSC Rules Chapter 7
- B. Appeal Bodies shall be appointed as detailed in Section 9.6 of this Technical Handbook
- C. All appointments must be confirmed before the commencement of competition
- D. The Range Master retains ultimate authority over all technical officials during the match
- E. Appeal body procedures and jurisdiction are governed by Section 9.6 of this Technical Handbook

#### 10.2 Technical Officials Structure

The competition shall be officiated by the following certified officials:





- **A. Range Master (RM):** The primary authority over all aspects of match safety, operations, and rules implementation. The Range Master shall be appointed by THPSA and approved by IPSC.
- **B.** Chief Range Officers (CRO): Responsible for the efficient operation of their assigned courses of fire and supervision of assigned Range Officers.
- **C. Range Officers (RO):** Responsible for managing competitor activity at individual stages and ensuring safe conduct of the match.
- **D. Stats Officers:** Responsible for collecting, sorting, verifying, tabulating, and preserving all score sheets and producing provisional and final results.
- **E.** All technical officials are subject to the appeal and review procedures established in Section 9.6 of this Technical Handbook.
- **F.** In case of illness or unavailability, replacement officials may be appointed by THPSA with Range Master approval.

#### 10.3 International Technical Officials (ITOs)

IPSC shall appoint one Technical Delegate and endorse such number of International Technical Officials as approved by THASOC. These officials' travel, accommodation, and per diem expenses shall be covered by THASOC according to established guidelines.

- A. **Technical Delegate:** Serves as IPSC's official representative and chairman of the IPSC Arbitration Committee as detailed in Section 9.6.2
- B. International Range Officers: Certified IPSC officials appointed to ensure compliance with international standards
- C. All ITOs must hold current IPSC certification appropriate to their assigned duties
- D. ITOs work under the overall authority of the Range Master while maintaining their specialized functions







#### 10.4 National Technical Officials (NTOs)

THPSA shall appoint the required number of National Technical Officials who shall work under the supervision of the Range Master. All technical officials must hold current IPSC certification appropriate to their assigned duties.

- A. National Range Officers: Certified Thai officials who assist with stage operations and competitor management
- B. **Support Staff:** Including target crew, stats assistants, and chronograph operators
- C. All NTOs must complete required IPSC training and certification programs
- D. NTOs work in coordination with ITOs to ensure consistent application of IPSC rules
- E. Emergency appointments of replacement NTOs during competition require Range Master approval

#### 10.5 Jury of Appeal

#### 10.5.1 Appointment and Composition

The Jury of Appeal shall be appointed in accordance with SEAGF Charter Article 41 and shall be composed as specified in Section 9.6.3 of this Technical Handbook.

#### **10.5.2** Authority and Procedures

The Jury of Appeal's authority, jurisdiction, and operational procedures are detailed in Section 9.6.3 (Level 2: SEA Games Jury of Appeal) of this Technical Handbook.

# 10.5.3 Coordination with Other Appeal Bodies

The Jury of Appeal operates as the second level in the three-tier appeal system established in Section 9.6, working in coordination with: A. IPSC Arbitration Committee (Level 1 - Section 9.6.2) B. SEA Games Arbitration Panel (Level 3 - Section 9.6.4)

## **10.5.4 Administrative Support**

- A. THASOC shall provide administrative support for Jury of Appeal operations
- B. Meeting facilities and documentation support shall be provided as needed
- C.Translation services shall be available for non-English speaking representatives.

#### 11. Official Equipment and Competition Attire

All sports equipment used by athletes must strictly comply with the current International Practical Shooting Confederation (IPSC) Handgun Rules, specifically Chapter 5 (Competitor Equipment) and the relevant Appendices. Equipment shall be subject to inspection and verification to ensure full compliance with Division-specific requirements as outlined in Appendix D of the IPSC Rulebook.







#### 11.1 Sports Equipment

#### 11.1.1 Firearms

All firearms must be serviceable and safe for competition and must comply with the specific requirements outlined in IPSC Rules Chapter 5 and the corresponding Division specifications in Appendix D. The following divisions will be contested:

- A. Open Division: Firearms must meet the requirements specified in Appendix D1
- B. Standard Division: Firearms must meet the requirements specified in Appendix D2
- C. Production Division: Firearms must meet the requirements specified in Appendix D4
- D. Production Optics Division: Firearms must meet the requirements specified in Appendix D4a

#### 11.1.2 Holsters and Allied Equipment

Holsters must be worn at waist level with a maximum distance of 50mm from the body. They must completely prevent trigger access and comply with Rule 5.2.7 safety requirements.

#### 11.1.3 Ammunition Requirements

Ammunition must achieve the minimum power factor per Division. Metal piercing, incendiary, and tracer ammunition are prohibited. All ammunition must comply with Rule 5.5 safety specifications.

#### 11.1.4 Power Factor Testing and Verification

The following chronograph procedures will be mandatory:

- A. Initial Setup and Calibration:
  - Official match chronograph must be properly set up according to manufacturer specifications
  - Daily verification with 3 rounds of official match ammunition through calibration firearm
  - Chronograph tolerance of +/- 5% of initial average velocity
  - Official match bullet scale calibration before testing each squad
- B. Competitor Testing Protocol:
  - Collection of 8 sample rounds from each competitor
  - Weight verification of one bullet according to division requirements
  - Chronograph testing of 3 rounds through competitor's firearm
  - Power factor calculation using formula: (bullet weight [grains] x velocity [fps])/1000





- Additional testing per Rules 5.6.3.6-7 if minimum power factor not achieved
- Reclassification to appropriate power factor category if needed

#### 11.1.5 Equipment Checks

Pre-match equipment verification is mandatory. Random checks may be conducted during the match. Any non-compliant equipment must be withdrawn, with appeals processed according to Rule 6.2.5.

# 11.1.6 Division Compliance

Equipment must meet Division rules throughout the match. Any changes require Range Master approval. Non-compliance may result in reclassification or removal from the match.

#### 11.2 Competition Attire

#### 11.2.1 Eye and Ear Protection

Eye and ear protection is mandatory for all persons at range premises. Protection must be worn during live fire, and any loss during the Course of Fire requires an immediate stop. Match officials will strictly enforce proper usage.

# 11.2.2 Appropriate Dress

Camouflage and military garments are discouraged, except for military personnel. The Match Director has final authority on prohibited attire, and all clothing must comply with range and local regulations.

# 11.2.3 Safety Violations

Failure to use eye or ear protection will result in a Course of Fire reshoot. Intentional removal of protection for competitive advantage may lead to disqualification. Officials have the authority to stop unsafe competitors.

#### 11.2.4 Safety Areas

Safety Areas are designated specifically for firearm handling. No ammunition handling is permitted in these areas. All safety areas must fully comply with Rule 2.4 requirements.

#### 12. Media Interview

- 12.1 All athletes should pass through the Mixed Zone as directed by the Media Officer.
- 12.2 Athletes and/or coaches should attend press conference and interview requests for them.







#### 13. Prizes and Commendations

- Medals to the winners of the SEAGF Games shall be presented by the SEAGF President. The President may delegate this privilege to other members of the SEAGF, accompanied by the President of the IF and/or AF concerned (or their deputy), if possible, immediately after the event and where the competition took place in the following manner.
- The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sports uniforms, on a stand on the field facing the Tribune of Honour, with the winner slightly above the second who is on their right and the third who is on their left. The flag of the delegates of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flag-pole and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles on the right and on the left, as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the abbreviated National Anthem of the winner is played. The three winners/winning teams shall turn towards the flags.
- The medal presentations shall be as per the following order:
  - Gold Medal to the first-place winner.
  - Silver Medal to the second-place winner.
  - Bronze Medal to the third-place winner.
- All medalists must wear their respective NOC official uniform.
- No equipment or accessories may be taken by the athlete to the medal award ceremony or media interview areas, unless it is worn, e.g., shoes and clothing which must be in accordance with the SEAGF commercial guidelines.
- No kind of demonstration or commercial, political, religious or racial propaganda is permitted during the Victory Ceremony of the Games. Any action of such kind will be subject to penalization by the Executive Board EB including disqualification, withdrawal of medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings and the like.
- Any disrespect shown to the Games, Medals, Flags, Mascot or Certificates or any other
  material. by any athlete during the Victory Ceremony or during the Games will be subject
  to penalization by the EB, including but not limited to disqualification, withdrawal of
  medals, certificates, accreditation, rankings as decided by the EB.
- Victory, medals and diploma certificates, shall be in strict compliance with the SEAGF Protocol Guidelines. The design and format of the medals and diplomas shall be submitted to the SEAGF for its approval.

#### 14. Victory Ceremonies

The medals may be presented by the board members of the Member-NOCs participating in the particular sport, discipline or event (with priority being given to those with medal winners) and or Guests of Honor of the Federation, and such victory ceremonies, if possible, shall take place immediately after the event at a place where the competition took place and in the following manner:

• The competitors who have been judged first, second and third shall take their places, in their sport attire or NOC designated attire, on a stand facing the Tribune of Honor,





- with the winner slightly above the second who is on his/her right, and the third who is on his/her left.
- The flag of the country of the winner shall be hoisted on the central flagpole or screen and those of the second and third on adjoining flagpoles or screen on the right and left as they face the arena. Meanwhile, the National Anthem of the country of the winner is played and the competitors and spectators shall face the flags.

#### 15. Medical Code (SEAGF 33)

- The Host NOC and Organizing Committee of the SEA Games will ensure the health of all athletes and other participants during the SEA Games.
- Anti-Doping Rule Violations as defined by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Code is forbidden.
- All competitors shall be subject, during the Games, to doping control initiated by the Federation at any time or place, carried out in conformity with the WADA Code and its respective International Standards, as elaborated in the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules.
- Competitors in sports restricted to women must comply with the prescribed tests for disorders of sexual determination when so needed.
- Any competitor refusing to submit to doping control or who is found guilty of any Anti-Doping Rule violation shall be excluded from the SEA Games.
- The principles of exclusion for teams and individuals shall be in accordance with the WADA Code.
- A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council on the recommendation of the Chairperson of the Anti-Doping Committee when an athlete is found guilty of a violation under the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and or the WADA Code.
- The Anti-Doping Committee shall manage and implement the doping test programme for the SEA Games to which it was appointed for in accordance with WADA requirements, and implement the SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and WADA Code.
- The SEA Games Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations shall in no way affect further and or other sanctions by the relevant International Federation, WADA and or any other relevant national, regional, continental, international or world organizations or bodies.
- All competitors and officials are also subject to, and shall comply with the respective
  anti-gaming and manipulation, and harassment and abuse, and safeguarding rules,
  regulations, codes and guidelines of the respective Federation Member-NOC, IOC,
  OCA, SEAGF, the respective IF and or AF of the sport concerned.
  - a) Any competitor or team official refusing to submit thereto or found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder shall be excluded from the SEA GAMES.
  - b) A medal may be withdrawn by order of the Executive Committee or the Council on the recommendation of the Arbitration Panel when an athlete is found guilty of any violation or offence thereunder."





#### 16. Doping Control

The 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025 Organizing Committee, shall establish the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee, which shall, under the guidance of the SEAGF and working with the SEAGF Office, be responsible for the Anti-Doping program for the 33<sup>rd</sup> SEA Games Thailand 2025. The Anti-Doping program will be run in accordance with the SEAGF Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA International Standard for Testing and Investigation. Sample analysis will be performed at a WADA-accredited laboratory or as otherwise approved by WADA. Both urine and blood tests will be conducted before and during the competition to ensure compliance.

Athletes requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method during the event must apply for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) through the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee by the specified deadline (TBC). If an athlete has already been granted a TUE by their National Anti-Doping Organization or International Federation, the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee will recognize it.

# 17. Approval of the Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the International Practical Shooting Confederation (IPSC) on 31 March 2025

Any further amendments to the Technical Handbook shall be circulated via e-mail to the NOCs.

