

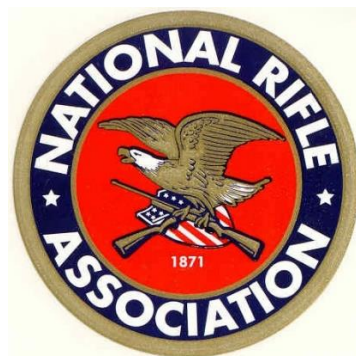


The North Carolina Rifle & Pistol Association By-Laws

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**NORTH CAROLINA RIFLE & PISTOL ASSOCIATION, INC.
BY-LAWS**

ARTICLE I

NAME, PURPOSE, AND OBJECTIVES

Section 1. Name. This corporation shall be known as the North Carolina Rifle & Pistol Association, Inc., and shall herein after be referred to as the Association.

Section 2. Purposes and Objectives. The Association shall be a non-profit membership corporation with the specific purposes and objectives set forth in its charter, and in addition, shall pursue such other objectives not inconsistent with its charter as may be approved by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE II

MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Classes. Membership in the Association shall be composed of two classes: individual and club.

Section 2. Individual. Individual membership shall be open to all citizens of the United States who are of good reputation, of good moral character, have not been adjudicated to be insane, mentally incompetent, an alcoholic or a drug addict, have not been convicted of any felony, or crime of violence, who subscribe to the purposes and objectives of the Association, and who meet the additional requirements for the type of membership for which they are making application.

(a) **Categories.** Individual membership can be either of two categories: (1) Annual, or (2) Life membership.

Section 3. Types. Individual membership shall consist of three types: (a) resident, (b) junior and (c) non-resident.

(a) **Resident.** Resident membership shall be open to any person eighteen years of age or older, resident in the State of North Carolina and a member of the NRA, who shall make application on the prescribed forms and pay the required dues. Students attending accredited North Carolina Schools and military personnel stationed in North Carolina are classified as residents. The Membership Secretary shall issue a membership card which shall expire one year from the last day of the month in which it is issued. Resident members shall have all rights and privileges including voting rights, receipt of Association publications, right to hold any office for which eligible and such additional rights and privileges of membership as may thereafter accrue.

(b) **Junior.** Junior membership shall be open to any person under eighteen years of age, resident in the State of North Carolina, who is a member of the NRA or a member of an NRA affiliated club, and who shall make application in the same manner as for resident members. Such membership shall entitle the member to all rights and privileges of resident membership except voting and the holding of elected office.

(c) **Non-resident.** Non-resident membership shall be open to any person eighteen years of age or older, not currently residing in the State of North Carolina, a member of the NRA, who shall make application on the prescribed forms and pay the required dues. The Secretary shall issue a membership card which shall expire one year from the last day of the month in which it was issued. Non-resident members may not vote or hold elected office within the Association.

Section 4. Clubs. Club membership shall be open to all duly organized and operating clubs, associations or non-profit corporations resident in the State of North Carolina who have ten or more members, shareholders or employees, who subscribe to the purposes and objectives of the Association and who make application and tender the required dues. Such membership shall be for the period of one year, and the Secretary shall issue an appropriate certificate of membership to the club.

Section 5. Dues. Membership dues for the Association will be recommended and approved by the Board of Directors. Dues amounts will be set for the following categories: annual, resident, non-resident, junior, senior club and junior club, Life membership dues will also be determined for the above categories.

The Board of Directors, upon affirmative vote by a majority of the Board shall have the authority to levy an assessment on the membership for special purposes, provided however, that the total of all such assessments during any calendar year may not exceed the applicable membership dues during that year.

Section 6. Voting. Individual members shall be entitled to one vote on all issues relating to Association business other than items specifically related to club activities. Clubs shall be entitled to one vote on all issues related to club activities. Such activities include but are not limited to competitive match procedures, state match bidding, match awards, state team organization and support and additional items as identified by the Board of Directors. The vote shall be cast only by the officially designated delegate of that club as certified to the Secretary of the Association, or by the Secretary or the President of the club. No member, individual, or club shall be entitled to cast a vote if indebted to the Association for dues or assessments. Clubs shall be entitled to one vote on all general issues. The club delegate shall be entitled to cast one vote for the club and if they are an Association member, they shall be entitled to one vote for themselves.

Section 7. Termination.

Membership shall be automatically terminated upon expiration, unless renewed. An individual member or member club may be expelled from the Association for cause by the Board of Directors upon affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Board. An individual member or member club may be suspended from the Association upon affirmative vote of the majority of the Board of Directors. Any member or club whose membership is suspended or terminated will be granted a hearing before the Board of Directors to determine if the suspension or membership termination will be lifted, or other action taken, at the earliest opportunity, but not later than the next regular Board meeting. The Secretary will provide written notice (e.g., delivery trackable letter or e-mail), informing the individual member or member club of the charges (including a copy of all documents), of the time and place of meeting, and of the members right to appear and be heard, including the right to present evidence and to examine witnesses. Charges may be preferred against an individual member or member club by any member in good standing, but must be in writing, shall be specific, and shall be investigated by the Board, which must determine if there is sufficient cause for a hearing. A suspended individual member or member club may be reinstated by vote of the majority of the Board.

Section 8. Election Procedures.

- (a) Voting will be done by mail or electronic means, on a secret but verifiable ballot. Eligible voters shall be resident, (annual or life) paid up members.
- (b) The Board will approve the ballots along with a summary of qualification of the candidates and ensure it is sent to the membership at least 60 days prior to the annual meeting. Deadline for returning ballots will be 14 days prior to the annual meeting or a date set by the Board. A pre-printed envelope shall accompany the ballot addressed to an impartial agent selected by the Board to count the ballots when a mail in ballot is used.
- (c) The nominations committee will perform their duties in accordance with Article IX section 4(a) of these bylaws.

(d) Impartial agent. This impartial agent shall count the ballots and report the results to the Secretary. A follow-up report shall be presented to the membership at the annual meeting verifying the results of the election.

(e) The Secretary shall notify all members of the Board and all newly elected officers/directors, by mail or email, prior to the annual meeting, of the results of the election.

(f) In the event an election cannot take place prior to the annual meeting, or an election is declared invalid, an election will be held as soon as practicable and a special meeting held to confirm these results. The membership will be advised by mail or email of the reasons the election could not be held on time. All rules as stated in the by-laws will be followed for the rescheduled election.

ARTICLE III

MEETINGS

Section 1. Annual Meetings. The annual meeting of the Association shall be held between September 1st and December 15th of each year. This meeting shall be for the purpose of announcing the results of the election of officers and directors held just prior to the meeting, receiving reports of officers and committees, for all regular business and for any other business that may come before the Association. Meetings may be held in person or by electronic means, or a combination of those methods.

Section 2. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Association may be held at any time upon call of the President, upon call of two-thirds of the Board or-upon written demand, ~~in writing~~, by not less than fifty members of the Association, stating the purpose and object of such meeting. Written notice (by letter or email) of time, place and purpose of meeting shall be sent to all members by the Secretary not less than fifteen days prior to the date of the meeting. The place of any meeting shall be designated by the President. Meetings may be held in person or by electronic means, or a combination of those methods.

Section 3. Quorum. Two Officers and 5 Directors plus the membership present at an annual or special meeting shall constitute a Quorum for transaction of business at Association meetings and shall constitute the membership at that time.

ARTICLE IV

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. General. The Association shall be managed by a Board of Directors who shall have charge of all affairs and property of the Association except as may otherwise be assigned herein.

Section 2. Qualification and Tenure.

The Board shall consist of the President of the Association, Immediate Past President of the Association, Vice-president, Secretary, Treasurer, and nine (9) Directors selected as provided below. Officers of the Association shall be elected for a period of two years and hold office until their successor is certified at the annual meeting in the year their term expires. Each Officer and Director shall be a North Carolina resident, an annual or life member of the Association for 5 consecutive years, and an NRA member in good standing for 5 consecutive years and shall maintain those memberships during their term of office. Candidates not meeting the 5-year

provisions may petition the Board of Directors for a waiver. Directors shall be elected for a period of three years and hold office until their successor is certified at the Annual meeting in the year their term expires. All officers and directors shall have a vote in the Director's meeting.

Section 3. Selection. Candidates for Director of those positions which have expired will be selected by the nominating committee. The nominations for director shall be selected at-large from around the state. If a Directors office becomes vacant the Directors shall fill the vacancy by election of the Directors until such time as an annual election is held.

(a) Election. Officers and Directors will be elected by mail-in or electronic ballot majority vote of all individual members.

Section 4. Meetings. A Board meeting must be held within sixty days of the annual meeting. The Board may conduct such additional meetings throughout the year as it may deem necessary. Each Board member shall be entitled to not less than ten (10) days' notice of any meeting. Meetings may be called by the President, or by demand of one-fourth of the members of the Board. Meetings may be held in person or by electronic means, or a combination of those methods.

Section 5. Quorum. Two Officers and 5 Directors present of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business and unless otherwise specified, a majority of those present may adopt any resolution or take any action on behalf of the board. Attendance may-be in person or by electronic means.

Section 6. Removal. A Director may be removed for cause by affirmative vote of three-fourths of the entire board, provided thirty (30) days written notice (letter or email) of specific charges, of time and place of meeting and an opportunity to appear and be heard, including presentation of evidence and questioning of witnesses, shall be given the Director. If a Director misses two consecutive meetings without prior notice and for other than extenuating circumstances, they must provide justification for their absences to the next board meeting or may be removed for cause as above.

Section 7. Vacancies. Should a vacancy occur on the board by reason of death, resignation, or removal of any Board member(s), the vacancy shall be filled by action of a majority of the remaining Board members.

ARTICLE V

OFFICERS

Section 1. Number. The officers of the association shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer whose terms shall be for two years or until successors are elected and qualified. Officers must be resident members of the association and NRA members in good standing throughout their term of office-

Section 2. Election. The Officers will be elected by mail-in or electronic ballot majority vote of all individual members in conjunction with the annual election.

(a) Selection. Candidates for office will be selected by the nominations committee. If an office becomes vacant, the Board of Directors shall fill the vacancy by majority vote of the remaining Board members until such time as a regular election is held.

Section 3. Duties.

(a) President. The President shall: be the principal executive officer of the Association and exercise general executive supervision over all affairs, subject to direction and review by the board; preside at all meetings of the

Association, executive committee and the Board of Directors; be a regular member of all regular and special committees of the Association except the nominating committee; perform all other duties incident to the office of President and such other specific duties as may be required or assigned by the board.

(b) **Vice President.** In the absence of the President or in the event of the President's inability or refusal to act, the Vice President shall perform the duties of President and when so acting shall have all the powers of and shall be subject to all restrictions upon the President. The Vice-President shall perform such other duties as maybe required or assigned to them by the President of the Board.

(c) **Secretary.** The Secretary shall: attend and keep minutes of all meetings of the Association and the Board of Directors; ensure that all notices are duly given in accordance with these by-laws or as otherwise required; be custodian of all books, minutes and records of the Association (except financial records) and of the Corporate Seal and shall attest to all official documents and resolutions of the Association; be responsible for all official correspondence and shall perform all other duties incident to the office of the Secretary or as may be required or assigned by the President or by the Board; coordinate with the Treasurer to make out the required internal revenue reports at the applicable government levels.

(d) **Treasurer.** The Treasurer shall have charge of all funds of the Association and shall deposit the same in the name of the Association in a bank approved by the board of directors. Monies shall be withdrawn only by check signed by the Treasurer, or a person authorized by the Board, and for payment of authorized expenditures. The Treasurer shall keep accurate books of accounts and fiscal records, and all expenditures shall be supported by vouchers or receipts. All fiscal records are to be audited each year prior to the annual meeting if so ordered by the Board. The audit report and the Treasurer's records must be presented at the annual meeting for review by the membership. The Treasurer shall attend all meetings of the Board and the Association and shall make a report to the Board when required and shall make an annual report to the Association at its annual meeting. ~~He~~ The Treasurer shall preform such other duties as are incident to the office of Treasurer and as may be required by the President or the Board. Funds received from Match sponsors shall be assigned by activity and kept separate from dues.

(e) **Publicity Chairman.** Publicity Chairman shall: be an appointed position by the Board of Directors and have the responsibility of publishing "State Shots," the Association's quarterly newsletter and maintaining the Association mailing list; as editor and publisher of "State Shots," has the duty and responsibility of speaking on behalf of the Officers, Directors and members of the Association and maintaining good public relations via whatever means possible; maintain a viable publicity campaign promoting the Association and the shooting sports.

(f) **Membership Chairman.** Membership Chairman shall receive all applications for membership and shall be responsible for collection of all dues, fees and assessments, and shall promptly remit the same to the Treasurer, taking proper receipt therefor; issue such credentials and indicia of membership as may be required by these by-laws or as directed by the Board of Directors and shall be responsible for maintaining an accurate roster of all members, including their Post Office and email addresses and such other information as the Board may require.

Section 4. Vacancies. In the event of a vacancy in an office other than the President, because of death, resignation, removal or otherwise, the Board of Directors may name a member to serve as an acting officer until elections are held. In the event of a vacancy in the office of the President, the Vice-President shall automatically succeed to the office of President and the office of Vice-President shall be filled as prescribed herein.

Section 5. Removal. Any officer may be removed for cause and the office declared vacant by affirmative vote of three-fourths of-the Board of Directors, provided thirty (30) days written (letter or email) notice of specific charges, of time and place of meeting, and an opportunity to appear and be heard, including presentation of evidence and questioning of witnesses, shall be given the officer. In the event of the death, incapacity, or

permanent removal from the State of North Carolina of any officer, the office may be declared vacant by action of a majority of the Board.

If any officer misses two consecutive Board meetings or a Board meeting and General membership meeting consecutively without prior notice and for other than extenuating circumstances, he/she must provide justification for his/her absences at the next meeting or may be removed for cause as above.

ARTICLE VI

PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in Roberts Rules of Order, Revised, shall govern the Association in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the by-laws or the special rules of order of this Association.

ARTICLE VII

AMENDMENTS

These by-laws may be altered or amended in whole or in part or new by-laws adopted at any regular meeting of the Association or at any special meeting of the Association called for that purpose, provided that notice of the intended amendment, alteration, or substitution shall be provided to the members in any notice of special meeting for such purpose. Adoption of any amendment, alteration, repeal, or substitution shall require an affirmative vote of two thirds of the voters present. Notice of the revised or amended By-Laws shall be sent to all members by the Secretary as soon as possible after its adoption.

ARTICLE VIII

DISPOSITION OF CORPORATE ASSETS

The North Carolina Rifle & Pistol Association is a nonprofit corporation. If the NCRPA should be dissolved the assets of the Association may not be used for the inurement of any member of the Association or other individual, and may only be disposed of in the following ways:

- A) To pay liabilities of the corporation.
- B) To give as a gift to a nonprofit pro second amendment organization(s) designated by majority vote of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IX

COMMITTEES

Section 1. Permanent. The following shall be permanent standing committees of the Association:

Audit
Action Pistol
Air Rifle
Air Pistol
Bench Rest
Black Powder
Bullseye Pistol
High Power Rifle
High Power Sporting Rifle
Hunting & Conservation
International
Junior
Legislative
Membership
Nominations
Police Combat Pistol
Practical Pistol
Publicity
Shotgun
Silhouette Pistol
Silhouette Rifle
Smallbore Rifle
Tournaments

The President in conjunction with the Board of Directors shall develop a precept for each committee chairman to follow. Precepts will be reviewed whenever a new chairman is appointed.

Section 2. Temporary. The President may from time to time create and appoint additional temporary committees for such purposes as they may see fit or upon recommendation of the Board. No such committee may be created for a time beyond the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 3. Members. Each permanent committee shall be composed of a chairman and additional members if needed. The chairman of each committee shall be named by the President subject to approval of the Board. The remaining committee members shall be selected by the committee chairman, subject to approval of the Board. The chairman of the Publicity Committee shall also serve as editor of the Association newsletter "State Shots."

Section 4. Duties. The committees shall perform such duties relating to that committee's interest area, as may be required of them by the President or the Board and shall make recommendations to the Board and to the Association and shall render a report at the annual meeting of the Association. The committee chairman shall make reports when requested to the President or Board and shall attend the meetings of the Board when requested.

(a) Duties and composition of Nominations Committee.

(1) Composition

- a. Three (3) Directors selected by the Board of Directors
- b. Immediate Past President of the Association.

(2) Duties. The Nominations Committee shall evaluate, select and recommend candidates for officers and Directors based upon an unbiased view of qualifications, past performance in office and general health. The most important consideration shall be the desire and ability of the candidate to work to further the goals of the Association. The committee shall prepare a ballot showing:

- (a) Officer candidates with one or more candidates with provisions for write-ins.
- (b) Director candidates. One or more candidates for each vacancy with provisions for write-ins.
- (c) A summary of qualifications for each candidate and a recommended candidate (only one) for each office.

Section 5. Rules. Each committee may adopt rules for its own government and operation not inconsistent with these by-laws or with the rules or directives of the Board.

Section 6, Budget. Each committee chairman is required to submit to the Board of Directors at the first Board meeting after the fall meeting. All expenditures against the budget must be approved by the Board.

Section 7. Removal. The President with the concurrence of the Board, or the Board alone, may remove or replace any permanent or temporary chairman failing to perform their duties to the committee's interest.

SMALLBORE RIFLE-PRONE/POSITION

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Smallbore committee is to promote Smallbore- Prone and Position shooting throughout North Carolina and to encourage participation at other Major championships.

The Committee:

- will co-ordinate with all ranges within North Carolina concerning Smallbore matches.
- will encourage gun clubs not presently holding smallbore matches to conduct matches where range facilities are available.
- will encourage match directors to adopt courses of fire promulgated under the NRA smallbore program.
- will encourage the holding of state championships in the various smallbore disciplines.
- will ensure that schedules of matches are promulgated in State Shots and results reported to same.
- will assist clubs, when requested, in the qualification of match officials.
- will encourage individual and team participation in other major tournaments outside North Carolina and assist financially if funds are available. (Encourage Match Directors holding smallbore matches to contribute \$.50 per competitor to build up smallbore fund.
- will submit an annual report at the Association's annual meeting of the past year's activities.

AIR RIFLE February 12, 1995

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Air Rifle Committee is to promote Air Rifle shooting throughout North Carolina and to encourage participation at other Major championships.

The Committee:

- will co-ordinate with all ranges within North Carolina concerning Air Rifle matches.
- will encourage gun clubs not presently holding Air Rifle matches to conduct matches where range facilities are available.
- will encourage match directors to adopt courses of fire promulgated under the NRA Air Rifle program.

- will encourage the holding of state championships in the various Air Rifle disciplines.
- will ensure that schedules of matches are promulgated in State Shots and results reported to same.
- will assist clubs, when requested, in the qualification of match officials.
- will encourage individual and team participation in other major tournament outside North Carolina and assist financially if funds are available. (Encourage Match Directors holding Air Rifle matches to contribute \$.50 per competitor to build Air Rifle fund to support state Air Rifle program.)
- will develop a budget for the year and submit to the Board of Directors at the February meeting.
- will submit an annual report at the Association's Annual meeting of the past year's activities.

HIGH POWER SPORTING RIFLE

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the High Power Sporting Rifle Committee is to promote sporting rifle shooting throughout North Carolina and to encourage participation at other major championships.

The Committee:

- will co-ordinate with all ranges and clubs within North Carolina concerning High Power Sporting Rifle matches.
- will encourage gun clubs not presently holding High Power Sporting Rifle matches to conduct matches where range facilities are available.
- will encourage match directors to adopt courses of fire promulgated under the new NRA High Power Sporting Rifle program.
- will encourage the holding of state championships in High Power Sporting Rifle.
- will ensure that schedules of matches are promulgated in State Shots and results reported to same.
- will assist clubs, when requested, in the qualification of match officials.
- will encourage individual and team participation in other major tournaments outside North Carolina and assist financially if funds are available.
- will submit an annual report at the Association's Annual meeting of the past year's activities.

EDDIE EAGLE

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Eddie Eagle Committee is to help promote the Eddie Eagle Program within North Carolina School Systems.

The Committee:

- will contact school districts within North Carolina and encourage them to learn more about the Eddie Eagle Program.
- will coordinate with the NRA representatives in helping schedule them to present the Eddie Eagle program to the designated school district.
- will assist the school districts as necessary in obtaining the program material from the NRA.
- will develop a budget for the year and submit it to the Board of Directors at the February meeting.
- will make an annual report at the Association's annual meeting.

WOMEN'S ISSUES March 16, 1994

Chairman:

Members:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Women's Issues Committee is to make the Association aware of women's issues as related to firearms and self-defense within North Carolina.

The Committee:

- will make the Association aware of current and future women's issues as related to firearms and self-defense.
- will help the Association develop a plan of action to deal with problem areas as related to women's issues in North Carolina.
- will encourage women in North Carolina to become Personal Protection firearms instructors.
- will assist other committees within the Association develop self-defense courses including firearms training.
- will develop a budget for the year and submit it to the Board of Directors when requested.
- will maintain vigilance on firearms activities in the state and local governing bodies, make visits to capitol hill, and lobby as necessary to present the associations point of view to the appropriate legislators.
- will make an annual report at the Association's annual meeting.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE February 12, 1995

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Publicity Committee is to make the public and private sector of North Carolina aware of matters related to firearms within North Carolina and of the goals and positions of the Association relating to firearms and the shooting sports.

The Committee:

- will make publicity releases when action dictates, spelling out policies and positions taken by the Association.
- will develop and maintain liaison with gun shops within North Carolina and establish a reference listing of same.
- will develop and maintain liaison with Newspapers within North Carolina and establish a reference listing of same.
- will assist the Secretary and other committees within the Association, as necessary, to develop public relations actions which might otherwise affect them.
- will develop a budget for the year and submit it to the Board of Directors when requested.
- will campaign vigorously for advertising for State Shots.
- will advise the editor on possible articles for State Shots and occasionally prepare articles for State Shots.
- will make an annual report at the Association's annual meeting.

BLACK POWDER February 12, 1995

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Black Powder Committee is to promote Black Powder shooting throughout North Carolina and to encourage participation at other Major championships.

The Committee:

- will co-ordinate with all ranges within North Carolina concerning Black Powder matches.
- will encourage gun clubs not presently holding Black Powder matches to conduct matches where range facilities are available.
- will encourage match directors to adopt courses of fire promulgated under the new NRA Black Powder program.
- will encourage the holding of state championships in the various Black Powder disciplines.
- will ensure that schedules of matches are promulgated in State Shots and results reported to same.
- will assist clubs, when requested, in the qualification of match officials.
- will encourage individual and team participation in other major tournaments outside North Carolina and assist financially if funds are available.
- will submit an annual report at the Association's Annual meeting of the past year's activities.

HIGH POWER RIFLE December 16, 1994

Chairman:

Members:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the High Power Committee is to organize, promote, and manage the Adult and Junior High Power Rifle Teams which will represent North Carolina at The National Championships and other major championships.

The Committee:

- will publish rules for selection and support for adult and junior teams.
- will hold tryouts or use other means to select adult and junior teams to represent North Carolina at the National Championships and other major championships.
- will publish a schedule of practices for adults and juniors.
- will be responsible to the Association Treasurer for all finances relating to support of the High Power Rifle Program. The Treasurer will be responsible for a quarterly report to the Board of Directors of the status of the High Power Rifle Fund. Good accounting practices will prevail. (Receipts, invoices and bills will be forwarded to the Treasurer for payment or filing.)
- will be cognizant of the current DCM regulations and policies using them to full advantage of the organization.
- will plan and execute at least one Service Rifle Clinic annually and report the results to the President and transfer all funds to the treasurer.
- will represent the Association in all matters concerning the High Power Rifle Marksmanship Program, with one exception; the President of the Association will represent the Association at the Annual Carolina Gun Collectors Meeting requesting funds.
- will submit a detailed budget at the first Board of Directors meeting after the annual meeting. This is to include estimates of number of adults and juniors to be supported, a breakdown of expected expenditures for fees, equipment, supplies, Camp Perry, etc. Support for as many shooters and teams as the budget will allow will be utmost.

- will, upon assuming their duties, inventory all assigned firearms, ammunition and equipment from the DCM which is assigned to the North Carolina Rifle & Pistol Association and submit said inventory to the Association Treasurer.
- will upon assuming their duties, inventory all equipment assigned to the High Power Rifle Program and submit said inventory to the Association Treasurer. This will form part of the annual audit of funds.
- will promote good sportsmanship and maintain good decorum when representing North Carolina at any matches.
- will promote High Power Rifle and generate interest, where possible, in the advancement of this sport.
- will submit an annual report at the Association's annual meeting. It is imperative that the Publicity Chairman be given periodic reports of publicity which may have been generated through match competition and which is worthy of reporting. A Camp Perry report is especially desired for inclusion in State Shots of the accomplishments garnered there by North Carolina Shooters. The High Power Chairman will ensure any team member adult/junior is a member in good standing of the Association prior to representing the Association in public.

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS July 9, 1993

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Legislative Affairs Committee is to make the Association aware of legislative issues as related to firearms within North Carolina.

The Committee:

- will make the Association aware of current and future legislative issues as related to firearms and self-defense.
- will help the Association develop a plan of action to deal with problem areas related to legislative issues in North Carolina.
- will assist other committees within the Association, as necessary, to develop actions which might otherwise affect them.
- will develop a budget for the year and submit it to the Board of Directors when requested.
- will assist the association when necessary to develop and mail legislative alerts to the membership.
- will advise the editor on possible articles for State Shots and occasionally prepare articles for State Shots.
- will make an annual report at the Association's annual meeting.

SILHOUETTE SBR/HR-SBP/HP February 12, 1990

Chairman:

PRECEPT

The purpose of the Smallbore Silhouette Committee is to promote Silhouette shooting throughout North Carolina and to encourage participation at other Major championships.

The Committee:

- will co-ordinate with all ranges within North Carolina concerning Silhouette matches will encourage gun clubs not presently holding Silhouette matches to conduct matches where range facilities are available
- will encourage match directors to adopt courses of fire promulgated under the NRA Silhouette program.
- will encourage the holding of state championships in the various Silhouette disciplines.
- will ensure that schedules of matches are promulgated in State Shots and results reported to same.
- will assist clubs, when requested, in the qualification of match officials
- will encourage individual and team participation in other major

outside North Carolina and assist financially if funds are available. {Encourage Match Directors holding silhouette matches to contribute \$.50 per competitor to build up silhouette fund.)

•• will submit an annual report at the Association's Annual meeting of the past year's activities.

PRECEPTS

No Precept for these committees

Audit

Bullseye Pistol

International

Police Combat Pistol

Shotgun

Action Pistol

Bench Rest

Junior

Membership

Practical Pistol

Air Pistol

Hunting & Conservation

Nominations

Tournaments