

## National Police Shooting Championships Postal Program Information & Application



**The NPSC Postal Component:** Because of the pressures on law enforcement budgets, the super inflated cost for food, hotel stays, and the incredible increases in fuel cost, many Police Pistol Combat competitors cannot travel to Mississippi for the National Police Shooting Championships. So in 2022 a separate Postal component was added to the NPSC Program to allow competitors to fire NPSC Matches at their local range during a given date range with their scores becoming part of a National Postal Results Bulletin. This allows PPC competitors to be part of the Championships and compare their match scores to other shooters from across the county. While part of the NPSC Program, Postal scores <u>are not</u> used to determine the NPSC National Champions but do establish National Postal Winners.

**NPSC National Champion Determinations:** Only scores fired at the NPSC Tournament held in Pearl, Mississippi conducted by the Mississippi Highway Patrol Pistol Team and the NRA are used to establish the National Champions and are the only scores eligible for NPSC Records. This ensures competitors fire using the same target system, and under the same range control, temperature, wind, humidity and light conditions.

**Applicant Requirements:** Any organization with an Outdoor PPC Range that has a Turning Target System can apply to participate in the NPSC Postal Program. Just complete the Tournament Application section on Page 3 and 4 and e-mail it in. **Registered, Regional and State Championship Tournaments that have already been approved to be conducted during the NPSC Postal Date Range are automatically part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.** 

**Tournament & Matches Dates:** Tournaments participating in the NPSC Postal Program must be held between August 23<sup>rd</sup> and October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024, in order to take place during the same general time frame as the Championships in Pearl, Mississippi. This provides 45 days for conducting Matches. Tournaments can:

- Be just one day long,
- Run on multiple consecutive days, such as running three Matches on Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>, and two Matches on Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, or,
- Be run on multiple days within a set Tournament Date Range. For instance, the Revolver Matches are scheduled for Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> and the Semi-Automatic Matches scheduled two weeks later on Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. Any days from August 23<sup>rd</sup> to October 7<sup>th</sup> may be used for your Tournament Date Range.

**Tournament Fees:** There are <u>no additional fees</u> for adding a Tournament to the NPSC Postal Program. The regular Tournament Fees for Registered, Regional and State Championship Tournaments apply with Tournament Fees reported using the regular Tournament Fee Report.

**Matches Conducted:** You can apply to conduct all of the Individual and 2 Officer Team Matches normally fired at the Championships or select <u>any combination</u> of the Matches you want to run. As always, Distinguished Matches can only be run at Regional and State Championship Tournaments. Team Matches must be stand-alone <u>Fired</u> Matches.

**Combined Relays:** To save range time and accommodate your shooters you can fire several different matches in one relay. For instance, you have 10 target lanes and there are three shooters who want to fire Open Class Revolver Match 6, four shooters who want to fire Open Class Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 13 and one shooter who wants to fire Open Class Duty Optic Pistol Match 13DO. Because all three matches use the same Course of Fire you can have all the shooters fire on the same relay instead of running three relays. If you don't have enough Target Lanes for the number of shooters, using two

Combined Relays will still save you significant time. The same applies to the Duty Gun Matches. Since all use the same Course of Fire, shooters on Combined Duty Gun Relays can be firing the Stock Service Revolver Match, Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol Match, Production Pistol Match, Production Duty Optic Match, Off Duty Revolver Match, Off Duty Semi-Automatic Pistol Match or Off Duty Production Duty Optic Match.

When running Combined Relays you may want to have revolver shooters use the left side of the range and Semi-Automatic shooters use lanes to the right of the revolver shooters to avoid the possibility of revolver shooters being distracted by ejecting brass from the semi-autos.

**Registration & Statistical Operations**: These are done just as you would for any of your regular Tournaments. No coordination or special reporting to NRA Law Enforcement Competitions is required.

**NPSC Postal Program Award Trophies**: Since there are no NPSC Postal Program Fees there are no Award Trophies provided to local participating Tournaments. If you are running a Regional as part of the NPSC Postal Program you will receive the normal Regional Medallions and Award Trophies for your Regional.

Tournament Application Options: You can use the NPSC Postal Application on page 3 to;

- Apply to run a new <u>Registered Tournament</u> to have it be part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.
- Apply to conduct a new <u>Regional Tournament or State Championship</u> and have it be part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.
- If you have Turning Targets and have an Approved Tournament already Sanctioned you can apply to have it changed to a Registered Tournament so it can be part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.
- Remember, if you already have a Registered, Regional, or State Championship Tournament approved to held between August 23<sup>rd</sup> and October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024, scores submitted by the NPSC Postal Program cutoff date will automatically be added to the NPSC Postal Program National Results Bulletin.

**Score Reporting:** Scores are submitted as usual by sending in SR-500 Police Pistol Combat Tournament Score Reports or using the electronic PC-to-PC Score Report system. To be part of the NPSC Postal Program National Results Bulletin, scores must be received by midnight on Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024. If fired, Distinguished Production Pistol scores must be reported by sending in the competitor's NRA Distinguished Production Scorecard.

**Competitors Firing in Multiple NPSC Postal Tournaments:** Since not all NPSC Postal Tournament locations will offer all of the NPSC Postal Matches, competitors may fire at multiple NPSC Postal Tournament locations so that they can take part in all the Matches they want to. However, if a competitor shoots the same Match at more than one NPSC Postal Tournament location and duplicate Match Scores are received by the NRA, only the <u>first</u> score received for the Match involved will be recorded. If a competitor fired NPSC at Pearl and at a NPSC Postal location, only the NPSC Pearl scores will be counted.



## National Police Shooting Championships Postal Tournament Application



**INSTRUCTIONS:** 1) **SAVE** this PDF Form Fill on your computer with your NPSC Postal Location Name in the file name, i.e. "NPSC Postal Application – Fairfax VA". 2) Open your saved copy, fully complete all sections and then **SAVE** it on your computer again. 3) E-mail a copy of your saved file to **LEcompetitions@nrahq.org**. You can also print the form, and mail the completed application to NRA LE Competitions, 11250 Waples Mill Road, Fairfax, VA 22030.

**Note:** Form Fill Adobe PDF features frequently do not work fully on mobile devices and Apple systems. Please complete your application on a PC for best results. If you do not receive an e-mail confirmation within 7 days, please e-mail Law Enforcement Competitions.

## **Tournament Information**

Sponsoring Club/Agency:		Club Number:		
Tournament Name:				
Tournament Firing Dates:		Must be held between August 23 <sup>rd</sup> and October 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2024		
Range Name:	ame: Number of Turning Target Firing Points:			
Range Street Address:				
City:	State:	Zip:		
Tournament Information - Please Check One:				
Registered, Regional and State Championship Tournaments that have already been approved and being conducted between August 23 <sup>rd</sup> and October 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2024, are automatically part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.				
The Tournament listed above is being held during the NPSC Postal Date Range and has already been Sanctioned as an Approved Tournament. Since we have Turning Targets we request our Tournament Type be changed to Registered to be part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.				
This is a new Application for a Registered Tournament to be part of the 2024 NPSC Postal Program.				
This is a new Application for a Regional Tournament or Postal Program.	State Championship	p to be part of the 2024 NPSC		

Tournament Officials	The Tournament Director must be known at time of application. Others can be TBD.			
Tournament Director:		Mobile Phone:		
E-mail:				
Statistical Officer:		Mobile Phone:		
E-mail:				
Chief Range Officer:	Mobile Phone:			
E-mail:				
Jury Members: A Three Member Jury is required for Registered Tournaments. No Tournament Official can serve on the Jury – PPC Rule 11.5. Jury Members may be competitors but may not rule on a matter in which they are personally involved. If the Jury Members are unknown at the time of Application, write TBD for "To Be Determined" later.				
Jury Chair:	Member 2:	Member 3:		

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Matches to be Conducted	All Team Matches must be fired matches.		
Duty Gun Division Matches	Open Class Division Matches		
Stock Service Revolver Match 7	Open Class Revolver Aggregate Match 6		
Stock Service Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 14	Open Class Semi-Auto Pistol Aggregate Match 13		
Off Duty Semi-Automatic Pistol Match 15 A	Open Class Duty Optic Pistol Match 13 DO		
Off Duty Revolver Match 15 R	Distinguished Revolver Match 17 *		
Off Duty Production Duty Optic Pistol Match 15 DO	Distinguished Semi-Auto Pistol Match 18*		
Production Pistol Match 23	Distinguished Production Pistol Match 24 *		
Production Duty Optic Pistol Match 25			
Fired Team Matches			
Two Officer Stock Semi-Automatic Pistol Team Match 37	Two Officer Open Class Revolver Team Match 31		
<b>Two Officer Production Pistol Team Match 39</b>	Two Officer Open Class Semi-Auto Team Match 33		
Two Officer Production Duty Optic Pistol Team Match 41	Two Officer Open Class Duty Optic Pistol Match 43		

\* Per PPC Rule § B1, you can only select Distinguished Matches if you are running a Regional or State Championship Tournament. Distinguished Award Points will only be awarded following the normal process based on the scores fired at each Tournament. However, Distinguished Match scores will be part of the NPSC Postal Program National Results Bulletin.

<b>Tournament Point of Contact</b>	Correspondence and shipments will be sent to the POC.			
Name:			Mobile Phone:	
Street Address:				
City:		State:		Zip Code:
E-Mail:	NRA Membership or Shooter ID Number:			

## Submitted By:

**Date E-Mailed:** 

Important Notice Regarding Liability While Conducting NRA Tournaments or Other Activities

To ensure competitive shooting activities are carried on with the highest degree of care for the safety of all participants, spectators, and the general public, it is the sole and exclusive responsibility of the NRA Approved or Registered Tournament Sponsor and the participating competitors to rigidly enforce all NRA official competition rules and regulations, all local range regulations, and specific range official instructions. The NRA makes no representation or warranty, express or implied, that the NRA Official Rules and Regulation, even if carefully observed, are sufficient in themselves to provide conditions and procedures which ensure adequate safety precautions, or that NRA Certified Instructors, NRA Official Referees, or other persons shall properly interpret or enforce such rules. By approving or registering an event, the NRA makes no representation or warranty, express or implied, that the persons conducting any Approved or Registered Tournament or the owners, tenants or licensees of the premises upon which such event is conducted, shall provide a shooting range and associated facilities which are reasonably safe, or that such persons shall prescribe and enforce local range rules adequate to provide reasonable safety and to control the activities of any person or persons. As a condition of approving or registering any tournament, the sponsor, together with its agents, servants, employees, successors and assigns, shall be held harmless for any injury or damage to persons or property occurring either on the premises where the tournament takes place or as a result of such activity on the premises during from the negligence of an NRA employee, officer, or Official Referee while properly engaged in the discharge of NRA official business on the premises during the approved or registered activity or event.

NRA Use Only			
Approved By:	Date:	Tournament Number:	
Notations:			