



# **MPUMALANGA PRACTICAL SHOOTING ASSOCIATION**

## **Policy on Provincial Logs, Grading and Annual Champions**

**(As adopted at a Special General Meeting held on 11 June 2022)**

### **1. OBJECTIVES**

- 1.1. To determine the Rules & Regulations pertaining to Provincial Logs and Annual Champions.

### **2. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION**

- 2.1. Unless inconsistent with the context, all words and expressions imparting the masculine gender shall include the feminine, words signifying the singular number shall include the plural and vice versa.
- 2.2. The following expressions shall have the following meanings assigned to them:
  - 2.2.1. **Annual Log:**  
For the purpose of Provincial Grading and determining Annual Champions.
  - 2.2.2. **Selection log:**  
For the purpose of Provincial Team Selection.
- 2.3. In the event of any doubt as to the meaning of any of the provisions of this agreement, the interpretation placed thereon by the Executive Committee shall be final and binding upon all members of the Association.

### **3. PROVINCIAL LOGS**

- 3.1. Placement on the logs will be in descending order.
- 3.2. Provincial League results will include all competitors at the match.
  - 3.2.1. The results of MPSA members will not be converted to 100%.

#### **Annual Log**

- 3.3. The Annual Log will include results of Provincial Leagues for the previous twelve (12) months.



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- 3.4. The Annual Log will be calculated per discipline, by averaging the best Provincial League results as follows:
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| 3.4.1. Seven (7) or more    | Best 5 |
| 3.4.2. Six (6)              | Best 4 |
| 3.4.3. Five (5) or four (4) | Best 3 |
| 3.4.4. Three (3) or two (2) | Best 2 |
- 3.5. For the purposes of Provincial Grading:
- 3.5.1. The results of the Annual Closed Championships will be included
- 3.5.2. A Member's average will be calculated using only the actual number of results available, thus reflecting the actual potential of the Member.
- 3.6. The results of the Annual Closed Championships will be excluded for the purposes of recognition of Annual Champions.

#### **Selection Log**

- 3.7. The results of the Annual Closed Championships will be included.
- 3.8. The Selection Log will include results of Provincial Leagues for the previous twenty-four (24) months.
- 3.9. The Selection log will be calculated per discipline, by averaging the best four (4) of the last six (6) Provincial League results.

#### **4. PROVINCIAL GRADING**

- 4.1. The Annual log will be used to grade Members, as follows:
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| 4.1.1. Eighty (80) % or higher           | A Class  |
| 4.1.2. Sixty (60) to seventy-nine (79) % | B Class  |
| 4.1.3. Less than sixty (60) %            | C Class. |
- 4.2. In the event of a new Member, the Scores & League Officer will grade the Member based on his previous IPSC experience at Level 2 or higher matches.
- 4.2.1. A new Member with no previous IPSC experience, will be graded in D Class.



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- 4.3. A Member will automatically be graded as C Class after two (2) calendar years in D Class.
- 4.4. In the event that a Member is inactive for a period of time or changes Division within a specific Discipline, the Member will retain the same Class as previously.
- 4.5. Should a Member not agree with a grading, the Member may lodge a written appeal with the Executive Committee, within thirty (30) days of the updated Selection log being published.
  - 4.5.1. The decision of the Executive Committee will be final.

## **5. ANNUAL CHAMPIONS**

- 5.1. The Annual Log will be used to determine the Annual Champions.
- 5.2. The Scores & League Officer shall make the updated Annual Log, and any related information, available to the Secretary, following the conclusion of the Level II match immediately preceding the Annual Closed Championships.
- 5.3. Only Members in good standing will be eligible for recognition as an Annual Champion.
- 5.4. The type of awards, including but not limited to prizes, trophies and/or certificates, will be as determined by the Executive Committee, from time to time.
- 5.5. In order to qualify for an award in a Category, the Member must have participated in that Category, in at least half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Provincial Leagues used in the calculation of the Annual Log.
  - 5.5.1. A minimum of three (3) Members must have participated in the Category at the same Provincial Leagues.
- 5.6. In order to qualify for an award in a Class, the Member must have participated in at least half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Provincial Leagues used in the calculation of the Annual Log.
- 5.7. No relief will be granted.



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- 5.8. Medals per division, category and grade will be awarded as follows:
  - 5.8.1. Five (5) or more members Gold, Silver & Bronze
  - 5.8.2. Four (4) members Gold & Silver
  - 5.8.3. Three (3) members Gold
- 5.9. No awards will be made if less than three (3) members per division, category and/or grade.
- 5.10. Club Team awards may be made to all team members, as nominated by the relevant Club, up to a maximum of four (4) awards per team.
- 5.11. The Annual Champions will be announced at a function following the conclusion of the Annual Closed Championship.
  - 5.11.1. The function will be as approved by the Executive Committee.