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Firearms Act 1973

Firearms Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations are the *Firearms Amendment Regulations* (No. 2) 2006.

2. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Firearms Regulations* 1974*.

[* Reprint 5 as at 15 April 2005. For amendments to 12 October 2006 see Western Australian Legislation Information Tables for 2005, Table 4, and Gazette 27 June 2006.]

3. Regulation 26 amended

The Table to regulation 26 is amended after the item "imprint free (accelerator) ammunition" by inserting the following item —

" frangible ammunition ".

4. **Regulation 26B replaced**

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Regulation 26B is repealed and the following regulation is inserted instead —

26B. Certain licences, permits and approvals not to be issued, granted or given

(1) In this regulation —

"revolving rifle" means a rifle the ammunition for which is loaded into and fired from a revolving cylinder or revolving chamber.

- (2) A licence, permit or approval relating to a firearm cannot be issued, granted or given if
 - (a) in the opinion of the Commissioner, the firearm closely resembles a firearm that is prohibited under regulation 26; or

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- (b) in the opinion of the Commissioner, the firearm is designed to be, or capable of being, readily adapted for use as a handgun; or
- (c) the firearm is specified in the Table to subregulation (4); or
- (d) subject to subregulation (3), the firearm is a revolving rifle.
- (3) Subregulation (2)(d) does not prevent a licence, permit or approval being issued, granted or given for a revolving rifle if —
 - (a) the revolving rifle is a single action revolving rifle; and
 - (b) in the opinion of the Commissioner, the revolving rifle has significant commemorative, historical, thematic or heirloom value.
- (4) The following firearms are specified for the purpose of subregulation (2)(c) —

Table	
Calibre	Description of firearm
.22 calibre	Armi Jager model AP 15 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Armi Jager model AP 75 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Josef G: Landmann-Preetz model JGL — Automat 65 semi-automatic rifle
.22 calibre	Squibman Model 16 semi-automatic rifle
.223 calibre	Remington make, 7615P model, pump-action rifle
.223 calibre	Vektor make, H 5 model, pump-action rifle
7.62 x 39 calibre	Cugir pump-action (Romanian make) rifle

Table

By Command of the Governor,

G. M. PIKE, Clerk of the Executive Council.