IR50/50 REFEREE GUIDE

Congratulations, you have been chosen to be an IR50/50 referee. The following guide is designed to help you understand the Match duties of an IR50/50 Referee.

- 1. Referees are appointed by the Rangemaster before the Match begins. Each Referee must be a competitor in that match and must remain present until the Match is declared official by the Rangemaster. The Rangemaster will appoint a Head Referee, two Referees and an Alternate Referee. An Additional Alternate Referee may be needed if two of the three initial Referees are involved in a Protest.
- 2. Referees should be familiar with IR50/50 Official Rules
- 3. Referees are responsible for Weighing Guns, Solving Crossfire Problems, Scoring Protests and certifying the Eligibility of Rifles, Scopes and Rests. Referees may also be asked to assist the Rangemaster in resolving Sportmanship issues.
- 4. Referees will decide the outcome of any protest lodged before during or after the match.
- **5.** Referees must tape all variable scopes in Sporter Class before the command of Commence Fire.
- 6. Only Referees may handle scored Targets before the Match Results are Final
- 7. The Head Referee should insure the protests are resolved in accordance with IR50/50 Rules. If possible the Head Referee should insert the Scoring Plug into each Protested Target. This will insure that the protests are resolved in a consistent manner.
- **8.** Any decision must be by a consensus of the referees by a secret vote. If there are only 2 referees the decision must be unanimous.
- 9. Referees along with the Match Director must sign all Potential World Records.
- 10. The Referees decision is final, therefore the Referees must be very diligent and insure that their decision is fair, equitable and in concordance with all IR50/50 rules.