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REGULATIONS FOR DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATIONS.

His Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council has been pleased, under the provisions of section *one hundred and sixteen* of the South Africa Defence Act, 1912, to make the following regulations for Defence Rifle Associations, with effect from 1st July, 1924, in substitution of the regulations published under Government Notice No. 1766 of 1912, and subsequent amendments thereto.

Pretoria, 13th June, 1924.

DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATIONS.

Part I.

Establishment and Organization.

1. Rifle Associations under the Defence Act, herein after termed "Defence Rifle Associations," shall be established only under the authority of the C.G.S., upon the recommendation of the district staff officer of the military district in which they are to be formed. The establishment of a Defence Rifle Association shall have effect from the date notified by the C.G.S.

2. The C.G.S. shall group the Defence Rifle Associations established in any military district into commandos, on a territorial basis, and in such manner that, so far as may be possible, the numerical strength of commandos is approximate throughout all military districts.

3. The C.G.S. may appoint for each commando, a commandant, and such complement of other officers and under-officers as may be necessary, to enable each commando when called upon in time of war, to take the field on a properly organized basis.

4. (1) A committee shall be constituted for each commando consisting of the commandant (as chairman), adjutant, quartermaster, and senior officer of each association.

(2) This committee will be charged with the private affairs of the commando, the inauguration and control of commando funds, the proper conduct of shooting practices and inter-D.R.A. competitions, and the dealing with all matters of common concern to the D.R.A.'s comprising the commando.

5. (1) The Minister may authorize the grant to every commandant of a commando of a commuted subsistence and transport allowance not exceeding £50 in any one training year. This allowance shall be paid quarterly in arrear, and shall cover all living and transport (other than rail fare) expenses incurred by commandants while travelling on or performing duty in connection with their commandos.

(2) Commandants to whom this allowance is granted may be required to attend four times a month at the magazine or other place in the district appointed for the purpose, and supervise the issue of rifles and ammunition whether as a free issue on loan or on repayment. They shall be responsible for the proper and regular issue of such rifles and ammunition, for keeping proper records and returns thereof, and for the safe custody of all stocks of rifles and ammunition entrusted to their care.

(3) The commandant will also be responsible for the organization, training, and discipline of the commando; the proper control and use of Government arms, ammunition, and equipment; rendition of various returns and score registers; ensuring that nominal rolls are properly kept; supervision of ranges and range material; recommendations for the appointment and removal of officers.

GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWING No. 950 VAN 1924.

REGULASIES VIR VERDEDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGINGS.

Dit het Sy Eksellensie die Goewerneurgeneraal-in-Rade behaag om, kragtens die bepalinge van artiekel *honderd-en-sestien* van die Suidafrika Verdedigingswet, 1912, die volgende regulasies vir Verdedigings-skietverenigings vas te stel, met ingang vanaf 1 Julie 1924, ter vervanging van die regulasies, gepubliseer deur Goewermentskennisgewing No. 1766 van 1912, en later wysiginge daarvan.

Pretoria, 13 Junie 1924.

VEREDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGINGS.

DEEL I.

Oprigting en Organisasie.

1. Skietverenigings ooreenkomstig die Verdedigingswet, hierna genoem Verdedigings-skietverenigings, moet opgerig word net op gesag van die H.G.S. op aanbeveling van die distrikstafoffisier van die militêre distrik waarin hulle moet opgerig word. Die datum van oprigting van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging is die datum wat deur die H.G.S. bekendgemaak sal word.

2. In 'n militêre distrik moet die Verdedigings-skietverenigings wat die naaste aan mekaar is, deur die H.G.S. in kommando's gegroepeer word en op so 'n manier dat die kommando's in alle militêre distrikte, sover moontlik, van ongeveer dieselfde getalsterkte sal wees.

3. Die H.G.S. kan by elke kommando 'n kommandant aanstel en ook soveel ander offisiere en onderoffisiere as wat nodig is om elke kommando by oproeping in tyd van oorlog in staat te stel om, behoorlik georganiseer, uit te trek.

4. (1) 'n Komitee moet vir elke kommando aangestel word en sal bestaan uit die kommandant, as voorsitter, die adjudant, kwartiermeester en die senior offisier van elke vereniging.

(2) Hierdie komitee is belas met die private sake van die kommando, die voorsiening en beheer van kommandogelde, die behoorlike reëling van skietoefeninge en wedstryde tussen Verdedigings-skietverenigings en die behandeling van alle aangeleenthede wat in die algemene belang is van al die Verdedigings-skietverenigings waaruit die kommando bestaan.

5. (1) Die Minister kan magtiging gee vir die toekenning aan elke kommandant van 'n kommando, van 'n gekonsolideerde onderhouds- en transporttoelae van nie meer nie as £50 in enige afsonderlike oefenjaar. Hierdie toelae word elke kwartaal by die afloop daarvan betaal en dit moet al die onkoste dek van lewensonderhoud en transport (met uitsondering van treingeld) deur kommandante gemaak terwyl hulle in verband met hul kommando's op diens reis of diens verrig.

(2) Kommandante wat hierdie toelae ontvang, kan gelas word om viermaal elke maand by die pakhuis, of ander plek wat in die distrik vir hierdie doel aangewys is, te verskyn en toesig te hou oor die uitreiking van geweers en patrone, hetsy die uitreiking kosteloos, in leen, of teen betaling geskied. Hulle moet sorg dat sulke geweers en patrone behoorlik en gereeld uitgereik word en dat daarvan behoorlik aantekening gehou en opgaaf gedoen word; en hulle is verantwoordelik vir die veilige bewaring van die voorraad geweers en patrone wat aan hul sorg toevertrou is.

(3) Op die kommandant rus ook die volgende verantwoordelikhede: organisasie, oefening en disipliene van die kommando; behoorlik beheer en gebruik van goewermentsgeweers, patrone en uitrusting; inlewering van verskillende opgawes en skietregisters; opmaak en behoorlik byhou van naamlyste; toesig oor skietbane en skietbaanmateriaal; aanbevelinge vir die aanstelling en afsit van offisiere.

(4) The commandant or, in the case of an independent D.R.A., the senior officer of the D.R.A. will annually check the nominal roll with the men actually belonging to the commando or D.R.A., and will send a certificate to the district staff officer concerned that the nominal roll is a correct list of the men in the commando or D.R.A., and that the names of those who have become over age, have transferred, resigned, or died have been struck off.

6. A Defence Rifle Association may elect from its own members a secretary and committee for the purpose of managing the private affairs and funds of the association. The senior officer of the D.R.A. will be chairman.

7. (1) Every Defence Rifle Association may be composed of two sections, viz., a voluntary section and a compulsory section.

(2) In the voluntary section there shall be included all citizens who engage to serve in a Defence Rifle Association under sub-section (2) of section *sixty-eight* of the Act (herein after termed "voluntary members"). Voluntary members between their seventeenth and twenty-first year are herein after termed "junior voluntary members."

(3) In the compulsory section there shall be included all citizens who are compelled to serve in a Defence Rifle Association in terms of sub-section (1) of section *sixty-eight* of the Act (herein after termed "compulsory members").

PART II.

Voluntary Members.—Enrolment and Conditions of Service.

8. (1) Every citizen who desires to serve voluntarily in a D.R.A. and who is eligible for such service may be enrolled by any officer of the commando or D.R.A. or by any other person specially appointed by the district staff officer.

(2) The form of enrolment shall be as set forth in Appendix A. The enrolling officer shall transmit the form when completed to the district staff officer, and shall keep a clear record of all citizens enrolled by him and of the Defence Rifle Associations to which they have been posted.

(3) Every citizen shall be posted to the Defence Rifle Association of his area.

9. A voluntary member of a Defence Rifle Association upon engagement shall be deemed to serve from training year to training year (i.e. 1st July to 30th June) until he resigns or enters upon his sixty-first year.

10. (1) A citizen may resign his membership of a Defence Rifle Association at the expiry of any one training year, i.e. 30th June, on giving not less than one month's written notice to the commandant of his commando, and delivering up in good condition any Government rifle, ammunition, and other Government property entrusted to him as a member of a Defence Rifle Association.

(2) The resignation of a citizen from membership of a Defence Rifle Association does not, however, absolve him as a member of Class B of the Citizen Force Reserve from his liability under the Act to serve in time of war or to present himself annually for inspection and furnish the information as required under section *twenty* of the Act.

(3) Upon resignation he will, however, cease to be entitled to the privileges allowed by these regulations to a voluntary member of a Defence Rifle Association.

11. (1) Every voluntary member of a Defence Rifle Association shall attend one annual muster, and shall at that muster produce his rifle in good order and condition for inspection.

(2) The places and dates appointed for the annual muster shall be arranged, under instructions from the C.G.S., by commandants of commandos, or in the case of an ungrouped Defence Rifle Association, by the senior officer thereof, and shall be notified not

(4) Die kommandant of, in die geval van 'n ongegroepeerde Verdedigings-skietvereniging, die senior offisier daarvan, moet jaarliks die naamlys nagaan om te sien of dit ooreenstem met die aantal manne wat werklik by die kommando of Verdedigings-skietvereniging behoort, en moet aan die betrokke distrikstafoffisier 'n sertifikaat stuur dat die naamlys 'n juiste opgaaf is van die aantal manne van die kommando of Verdedigings-skietvereniging en dat die name van manne wat die ouderdomsgrens bereik het, of wat oorgeplaas is, of bedank het of dood is, van die lys geskrap is.

6. 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan uit sy lede 'n sekretaris en 'n komitee kies om die private sake en gelde van die vereniging te reël en te beheer. Die senior offisier van die V.S.V. sal voorsitter wees.

7. (1) Elke Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan bestaan uit twee afdelings, t.w.: 'n afdeling van vrywillige lede en 'n afdeling van verpligte lede.

(2) In die afdeling van vrywillige lede word opgeneem alle burgers wat by 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging aansluit ooreenkomstig artiekel *ag-en-sestig* (2) van die Wet (hierna genoem vrywillige lede). Vrywillige lede tussen 17 en 21 jaar word hierna genoem jonger vrywillige lede.

(3) In die afdeling van verpligte lede word opgeneem alle burgers wat verplig word om in 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging te dien ooreenkomstig artiekel *ag-en-sestig* (1) van die Wet (hierna genoem verpligte lede).

DEEL II.

Vrywillige Lede.—Inskrywing en Diensvoorwaardes.

8. (1) Elke burger wat by 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging vrywillig wil dien en wat vir hierdie diens in aanmerking kom, kan ingeskryf word deur enige offisier van die kommando of Verdedigings-skietvereniging of deur enige persoon spesiaal aangestel deur die distrikstafoffisier.

(2) Die vorm van inskrywing is soos voorgeskryf in Aanhangsel A. Die inskryf-offisier moet die vorm, na invulling, aan die distrikstafoffisier deurstuur en 'n volledige register hou van alle burgers wat deur hom ingeskryf is en van die Verdedigings-skietvereniging waarby hulle ingedeel is.

(3) Elke burger moet by die Verdedigings-skietvereniging van sy wyk ingedeel word.

9. 'n Vrywillige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging word by inskrywing beskou as diensdoende van oefenjaar tot oefenjaar (d.i. van 1 Julie tot 30 Junie) totdat hy bedank of sy een-en-sestigste jaar intree.

10. (1) 'n Burger kan by die end van elke oefenjaar (d.i. 30 Junie) as lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging bedank deur aan die kommandant van sy kommando minstens 'n maand kennis te gee in geskrif, en in goeie toestand af te lewer die goewermentsgeweer, patrone en ander goewermentseiendom wat aan hom as lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging toevertrou was.

(2) Die bedanking van 'n burger as lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging stel hom egter, as lid van Klas B van die Burgermagreserwe, nie vry van sy verpligting onder die Wet om in tyd van oorlog diens te doen of om hom jaarliks vir inspeksie aan te meld en die informasie onder artiekel *twintig* van die Wet vereis, te verstrek nie.

(3) Na sy bedanking sal hy egter nie langer geregtig wees nie op die voorregte onder hierdie regulasies toegeken aan 'n vrywillige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging.

11. (1) Elke vrywillige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging moet een jaarlikse wapenskouing bywoon en moet dan sy geweer in goeie toestand vir inspeksie vertoon.

(2) Die plekke en datums vasgestel vir die jaarlikse wapenskouing moet, op instruksies van die H.G.S., deur kommandante van kommando's (of ingeval van 'n ongegroepeerde Verdedigings-skietvereniging, deur die senior offisier daarvan gereël word en moet minstens 60 dae voor die datum van die wapenskouing

less than sixty days before the date of muster by publication in one or more newspapers circulating in the military district, and as far as possible by individual notification through the commandant and the officers and under-officers.

12. In addition to attending the annual muster, junior voluntary members will be required to attend in each training year two of the training musters for compulsory members.

13. (1) Boys of the age prescribed by sub-section (3) of section *sixty-eight* of the Act may be enrolled as cadet members of a Defence Rifle Association with the approval of the district staff officer. The C.G.S. may authorize the district staff officer to make such provision for the instruction of cadet members in physical exercises, drill, and rifle shooting at such times and places as can conveniently be arranged.

(2) Cadet members shall fire the annual musketry course prescribed for cadets of the same age.

14. Members of Defence Rifle Associations may be permitted to attend courses of instruction at the Military College, and will receive pay and allowances in respect of the period of such attendance as prescribed for the Active Citizen Force.

PART III.

Compulsory Members.

15. (1) Every citizen who is compelled to serve in a Defence Rifle Association, under the provisions of sub-section (1) of section *sixty-eight* of the Act, shall be enrolled in the compulsory section of a Defence Rifle Association established in the military district for which he is registered in terms of the registration regulations made under the Act.

(2) The district staff officer shall notify every such citizen in writing on the form given in Appendix B of his enrolment and of the Defence Rifle Association to which he has been posted, and unless and until the citizen receives a written notice of exemption (in the form prescribed in Appendix C) from the district staff officer he shall be held to serve as a compulsory member of a Defence Rifle Association in terms of the said section.

16. (1) A citizen who has been notified of his enrolment in the compulsory section of a Defence Rifle Association in terms of the last preceding regulation may be granted exemption from service therein if—

(*a*) he can furnish the district staff officer with a certificate of a medical practitioner, registered as such in the Union or in any portion thereof, that he is medically unfit for military service;

(*b*) he can furnish the district staff officer with a certificate from the head of his religious denomination in the Union that he bona fide belongs to a recognized religious denomination by the tenets whereof its members may not participate in war;

(*c*) he can satisfy the district staff officer that his circumstances are such that he is unable to carry out the conditions of service as a compulsory member of a Defence Rifle Association, and the C.G.S. authorizes the district staff officer to grant the applicant exemption from such service.

(2) A citizen to whom exemption from service is granted under this regulation shall, within thirty days of his receiving notice of exemption, transmit his record card to the district staff officer for the entry thereon of the exemption.

17. (1) Every compulsory member of a Defence Rifle Association shall, for the first four years during which he is bound to serve, attend annually not less than four training musters.

(2) Training musters shall be held once every three months on such dates and at such places as may be appointed by the district staff officer, and notified to compulsory members either individually or by publication in one or more newspapers circulating in the military district not less than thirty days in advance.

bekendgemaak word deur publikasie in een of meer koerante wat in die militêre distrik sirkuleer en ook, sover moontlik, deur persoonlike kennisgewing aan lede deur die kommandant en die offisiere en onderoffisiere.

12. Bo en behalwe bywoning van die jaarlikse wapenskouing is die jongere vrywillige lede ook verplig om elke oefenjaar twee van die oefenparades vir verpligte lede by te woon.

13. (1) Jongens wat die ouderdom bereik het soos in artiekel *ag-en-sestig* (3) van die Wet bepaal, kan, met die goedkeuring van die distrikstafoffisier, as kadetlede van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging ingeskryf word. Die H.G.S. kan die distrikstafoffisier magtig om voorsiening te maak vir die instruksie van kadetlede in liggaamlike oefening, dril en skietoefening op gerieflike plekke en datums.

(2) Kadetlede moet die jaarlikse skietkursus skiet wat voorgeskryf is vir kadette van dieselfde ouderdom.

14. Lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings kan toegelaat word om kursusse van instruksie by die Militêre Kollege by te woon en sal vir die tyd wat hulle die kursusse bywoon betaling en toelae ontvang soos voorgeskryf vir die Aktiewe Burgermag.

Deel III.

Verpligte Lede.

15. (1) Elke burger wat kragtens die bepalinge van artiekel *ag-en-sestig* (1) van die Wet verplig is om in 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging te dien, moet ingeskryf word by die afdeling van verpligte lede van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging opgerig in die militêre distrik of subdistrik waarin hy geregistreer is ooreenkomstig die registrasie-regulasies wat kragtens die Wet opgetrek is.

(2) Die distrikstafoffisier moet elkeen van hierdie burgers skriftelik op die vorm in Aanhangsel B kennis gee van sy inskrywing en van die Verdedigings-skietvereniging waarby hy ingedeel is. Tensy en totdat die burger kennis van vrystelling in geskrif (volgens vorm in Aanhangsel C) van die distrikstafoffisier ontvang, is hy onder die voormelde artiekel verplig om as 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging diens te doen.

16. (1) 'n Burger wat ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van die voorgaande regulasie kennis ontvang het van sy inskrywing in die afdeling van verpligte lede van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging, kan van diens daarin vrygestel word as—

(*a*) hy 'n sertifikaat van 'n geneeskundige, wat as sodanig in die Unie geregistreer is, by die distrikstafoffisier indien, waaruit blyk dat hy liggaamlik vir militêre diens ongeskik is;

(*b*) hy 'n sertifikaat van die hoof van sy kerkgenootskap in die Unie by die distrikstafoffisier indien waaruit blyk dat hy werklik behoort tot 'n erkende godsdienstige sekte volgens die leerstellinge waarvan die lede daarvan nie aan oorlog mag deelneem nie;

(*c*) hy die distrikstafoffisier oortuig dat sy omstandighede sodanig is dat hy nie die voorwaardes van diens van 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan nakom nie en die H.G.S. dan die distrikstafoffisier magtig om die burger van sulke diens vry te stel.

(2) 'n Burger wat onder hierdie regulasie van diens vrygestel is, moet, binne 30 dae nadat hy kennis van vrystelling ontvang het, sy registrasie-kaartjie na die distrikstafoffisier stuur om daarop die vrystelling aan te teken.

17. (1) Elke verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging moet gedurende die eerste vier jare wat hy verplig is diens te doen jaarliks minstens vier oefenparades bywoon.

(2) Oefenparades moet eenmaal elke drie maande gehou word op plekke en datums wat deur die distrikstafoffisier vasgestel word en waarvan aan verpligte lede, persoonlik of deur publikasie in een of meer koerante wat in die militêre distrik sirkuleer, minstens dertig dae vooruit kennis gegee moet word.

(3) At each training muster, rifle practice and drill shall take place, the latter being limited to a duration of two hours. The whole instruction at each training muster shall last not less than six hours.

(4) Where sufficient compulsory members bring horses to a training muster, mounted drill may be carried out.

(5) The drill to be performed at training musters shall be limited to such close order drill as is essential to enable troops to be moved in formed bodies without confusion, and for the rest shall consist of skirmishing and field work. No ceremonial drill shall be undertaken.

PART IV.

Rifles, Ammunition, and Ranges.

18. (1) The conditions under which rifles may be issued to members of Defence Rifle Associations under sub-section (2) of section *sixty-nine* of the Act shall be as follows:—

(*a*) So far as the supply will from time to time permit, members of Defence Rifle Associations may purchase military rifles at such rates as the Minister may from time to time, subject to Treasury approval, decide.

(*b*) So far as the supply will permit, the Minister may, upon the recommendation of the C.G.S., authorize the loan to a Defence Rifle Association collectively of a number of rifles on the condition that the Association shall give a bond for the full value thereof, and that the bond shall be signed by not less than two approved sureties.

The form of bond shall be as given in Appendix D.

In any military district the numbers of rifles issued on collective loan under this clause shall not exceed ten per cent. of the total number of voluntary members of Defence Rifle Associations enrolled in that district.

(*c*) In districts and portions of districts where the Minister, on the recommendation of the C.G.S., considers it advisable, on purely military grounds, that as many citizens as possible should be armed with military rifles, a rifle may be issued on loan to any member of a Defence Rifle Association, subject to the conditions that such rifle—

(i) be maintained in good order and condition;

(ii) be produced to any person authorized to inspect it;

(iii) be not removed from the area in which issued without the authority of the district staff officer concerned first having been obtained;

(iv) be not removed or permitted to be removed outside the Union of South Africa;

(v) be delivered up, when required, to any person authorized by the Minister to receive it, in like good condition and repair (reasonable wear and tear excepted).

(2) In the case of rifles issued on collective loan to a Defence Rifle Association under clause (*b*) of this regulation, the senior officer of the association shall be the person responsible for producing the rifles for inspection whenever so required.

19. (1) Every compulsory member of a Defence Rifle Association may be issued with a Government rifle (with oil-bottle, pull-through, and sight protector), a bandolier, and rifle-sling.

(2) Upon the expiry of his period of compulsory service a citizen shall deliver up the said articles in good order and condition.

(3) The district staff officer, or any member of the S.A. Staff Corps or S.A. Instructional Corps thereto authorized by him, may require any compulsory member of a Defence Rifle Association to hand his rifle and accoutrements into store at the conclusion of every training muster, and may require such member to attend at a time and place specified in order that a rifle and accoutrements may be re-issued to him for use at the next training muster.

(3) Skietoefening en dril moet by elke oefenparade plaas vind. Die dril moet nie langer as twee uur duur nie. Die instruksietyd by elke oefenparade moet nie minder as ses uur duur nie.

(4) As daar 'n voldoende aantal verpligte lede is wat perde met hulle meeneem na 'n oefen-parade, dan kan dril te perd uitgevoer word.

(5) Die dril wat by oefenparades moet uitgevoer word moet bestaan uit net die dril in geslote orde wat nodig is om troepe in staat te stel om in formasies te beweeg sonder verwarring, en moet origens bestaan uit dril in verspreide orde en veldwerk. Geen seremoniële dril moet uitgevoer word nie.

Deel IV.

Geweers, Patrone en Skietbane.

18. (1) Die voorwaardes waarop geweers aan lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings onder artiekel *neën-en-sestig* (2) van die Wet kan uitgereik word, is soos volg:—

(*a*) Vir sover die voorraad dit van tyd tot tyd toelaat, kan lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings militêre geweers koop teen pryse wat die Minister, met goedkeuring van die Tesourie, van tyd tot tyd mag vasstel.

(*b*) Vir sover die voorraad dit toelaat kan die Minister, op aanbeveling van die H.G.S., magtiging gee om geweers in leen aan Verdedigings-skietverenigings uit te reik op voorwaarde dat die vereniging 'n waarborg gee vir die volle waarde van die geweers en dat die borgakte onderteken word deur minstens twee goedgekeurde borge.

Die vorm van die borgakte is soos omskryf in Aanhangsel D.

In elke militêre distrik moet die aantal geweers wat onder hierdie klousule in leen gegee is nie meer as tien persent wees nie van die totale aantal vrywillige lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings, wat in daardie distrik ingeskryf is.

(*c*) In distrikte en gedeeltes van distrikte waar die Minister, op aanbeveling van die H.G.S., dit om blote militêre redes raadsaam ag dat soveel burgers moontlik met militêre geweers gewapen moet wees, kan aan enige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging 'n geweer in leen uitgereik word onder die voorwaarde dat so 'n geweer—

(i) in goeie orde en toestand gehou word;

(ii) aan enige gemagtigde persoon vir inspeksie vertoon word;

(iii) nie sonder magtiging van die betrokke distrikstafoffisier, uit die distrik waarin dit uitgereik is, verwyder word nie;

(iv) nie buite die Unie van Suidafrika verwyder word nie;

(v) aan enige persoon deur die Minister gemagtig om dit te ontvang, op aanvraag afgelewer word in dieselfde goeie orde en toestand (behalwe redelike slytasie) as wat dit ontvang is.

(2) As geweers aan 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging onder klousule (*b*) van hierdie regulasie in leen uitgereik is dan is die senior offisier van die vereniging verantwoordelik vir de vertoon van die geweers vir inspeksie wanneer dit verlang word.

19. (1) Elke verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan voorsien word van 'n goewermentsgeweer (met oliefles, deurtrekker en korrelbeskermer) 'n bandelier en 'n geweerband.

(2) By afloop van die tydperk van 'n burger sê verpligte diens moet by die gemelde artiekels in goeie orde en toestand aflewer.

(3) Die distrikstafoffisier, of 'n lid van die S.A. Stafkorps of S.A. Instruksiediens, wat deur eersgenoemde daartoe gemagtig is, kan 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging gelas om sy geweer en uitrusting by afloop van elke oefenparade by die magasyn in te lewer en kan sodanige lid gelas om op 'n vasgestelde plek en tyd te verskyn sodat daar weer 'n geweer en uitrusting aan hom kan uitgereik word vir gebruik by die volgende oefenparade.

20. The provisions of Part II, Arms and Accoutrements (paragraphs 9 to 12) of the Regulations for the Active Citizen Force, published under Government Notice No. 1535 of 1912 shall *mutatis mutandis* apply to all rifles and accoutrements issued under these regulations.

21. (1) Every voluntary member of a Defence Rifle Association, other than a cadet member, will be entitled to receive annually a free issue of fifty rounds of ball ammunition to be expended in target practices as laid down by the C.G.S.

(2) A member of a Defence Rifle Association may obtain on repayment ammunition at such rates as may be prescribed by the Minister from time to time. This ammunition may only be expended on target practices.

(3) The annual free issue of ammunition to compulsory members of a Defence Rifle Association shall be as follows:—

For the first year, 85 rounds of ball;

For the second and subsequent years, 50 rounds of ball;

all of which shall be expended in rifle practice under conditions laid down by the C.G.S.

(4) The annual free issue of ammunition to cadet members of a Defence Rifle Association shall be on the same scale as prescribed for cadets of the same age.

(5) Defence Rifle Associations may obtain, when required, 25 rounds of tracer ammunition per annum on payment, at such rates as may be prescribed by the Minister from time to time.

(6) The Minister may authorize the issue of S.A. ammunition, including tracer ammunition, for instructional demonstrations carried out by members of the Permanent Force, provided that the amount shall not exceed 2,000 rounds for any one demonstration.

22. (1) There may be issued to members (other than cadet members) of Defence Rifle Associations established in such special districts as are approved by the Minister, a sealed packet of fifty rounds of ammunition to be retained by each member as an emergency reserve, to be used under instructions issued by the district staff officer and in case of military emergency.

(2) A member of a Defence Rifle Association shall on no account use this emergency reserve for rifle practice, and shall be responsible for retaining it intact and producing it at the annual muster or any training muster or at any time on the demand of the district staff officer or any member of his staff or of any officer of the commando. Any citizen who makes away with, loses, or fails to produce when required the emergency reserve ammunition issued to him shall be guilty of an offence.

23. (1) Officers of Defence Rifle Associations who hold permanent commissions in the Reserve of Officers may be granted an allowance not exceeding £10. 10s. towards the cost of providing themselves with the undermentioned articles of uniform:—

1 Helmet.
1 Jacket.
1 Pair breeches.
1 Pair leggings.
1 Pair boots.
1 Pair spurs (complete).
1 Shirt.
1 Tie.
1 Collar.

The grant of this allowance, which shall cover charges in respect of cutting, making, and trimming, is subject to an undertaking by the officer that he will—

(*a*) serve for a period of four years from the date of payment of such allowance; and

(*b*) provide himself, within three months from the date of payment of such allowance, with all the articles of uniform of authorized pattern above set forth.

20. Die bepalinge van Deel II, Wapens en Montering (paragrawe 9 tot 12) van die Regulasies vir die Aktiewe Burgermag, gepubliseer deur Goewerments Kennisgewing No. 1533 van 1912, sal met die nodige veranderinge van toepassing wees op alle geweers en montering wat ooreenkomstig hierdie regulasies uitgereik word.

21. (1) Elke vrywillige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging, behalwe 'n kadetlid, is geregtig om jaarliks 'n kostelose uitgifte te ontvang van vyftig koeëlpatrone wat vir skyfskietoefening, soos deur die H.G.S. voorgeskryf, gebruik moet word.

(2) 'n Lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan teen betaling patrone verkry volgens 'n tarief wat van tyd tot tyd deur die Minister vasgestel word. Hierdie patrone mag net vir skyfskietoefening gebruik word.

(3) Die jaarlikse kostelose uitreiking van patrone aan verpligte lede van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging is soos volg:—

Vir die eerste jaar, 85 koeëlpatrone;
Vir die twede en volgende jaar, 50 koeëlpatrone;

wat almal by skietoefening gebruik moet word onder bepalinge deur die H.G.S. vasgestel.

(4) Die jaarlikse kostelose uitreiking van patrone aan kadetlede van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging sal wees volgens die skaal voorgeskrywe vir kadette van dieselfde ouderdom.

(5) Verdedigings-skietverenigings kan as dit nodig is, jaarliks 25 brandkoeëls verkry teen betaling volgens 'n tarief wat van tyd tot tyd deur die Minister vasgestel word.

(6) Die Minister kan magtiging gee vir die uitreiking van klein vuurwapen ammuniesie, met inbegrip van brandkoeëls, vir instruksiedemonstrasies wat deur lede van die Staande Mag uitgevoer word. Die aantal patrone vir enige demonstrasie mag egter nie 2,000 te bo gaan nie.

22. (1) Aan lede (uitgesonderd kadetlede) van Verdedigingsskietverenigings wat in besondere deur die Minister goedgekeurde distrikte opgerig is, kan 'n verseëlde pak van 50 patrone uitgereik word wat deur elke lid as 'n noodreserwe gehou en op instruksies van die distrikstafoffisier, en ook in geval van dringende militêre omstandighede, gebruik moet word.

(2) 'n Lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging mag hierdie noodreserwe onder geen omstandighede vir skietoefenig gebruik nie. Hy moet dit in 'n onbeskadigde toestand hou en dit vertoon by die jaarlikse wapenskouing of by enige oefen-parade, of te enige tyd op las van die distrikstafoffisier of enige lid van sy staf of van enige offisier van die kommando. 'n Burger wat hierdie noodreserwe wegmaak of verloor, of wat dit nie op las vertoon nie, is skuldig aan 'n oortreding.

23. (1) Aan offisiere van Verdedigings-skietvereniging wat permanente offisiersrang by die Reserwe van Offisiere beklee, kan 'n toelae van hoogstens £10. 10s. toegeken word om die koste in verband met die aanskaffing van die volgende uniformstukke te help bestry, t.w.:—

1 Helm.
1 Baadjie
1 Rybroek.
1 Paar kamaste.
1 Paar skoene.
1 Paar spore (kompleet).
1 Hemp.
1 Das.
1 Boordjie.

Hierdie toelae wat die koste van die sny, maak en opmaak moet dek word toegeken op die voorwaarde dat die offisier hom verbind om—

(*a*) diens te doen vir 'n tydperk van vier jaar vanaf die datum van die betaling van die toelae; en
(*b*) alle uniformartiekels van die voorgeskrywe model, soos hierbo vermeld, aan te skaf binne drie maande vanaf die datum van betaling van die toelae.

(2) Officers not in possession of uniform as provided for in the preceding sub-paragraph may receive the allowance as laid down in paragraphs 23 (1) and (4) when called out for service.

(3) Officers may be granted a full refit allowance of £10. 10s. after a period of six years' continuous service payable from the date of payment of the first allowance and under the conditions laid down for the grant of that allowance.

(4) A further allowance not exceeding £7 may be granted to officers when called out for service, for the purchase of such of the following articles as may become necessary:—

1 Pistol.
1 Haversack.
1 Water-bottle and carrier.
1 Whistle and lanyard.
1 Greatcoat.
1 Sam Browne belt (no frog).

Officers who are already in possession of or have received an allowance for any of the above articles in respect of any previous period of service, will not be entitled to draw any further allowance for such articles.

(5) An officer who has served for a period of four months in the field or six months at a base under service conditions may be granted an allowance at the discretion of the Minister for the replacement of articles of clothing and equipment worn out under fair service conditions.

24. (1) Rifle ranges for voluntary members of Defence Rifle Associations will not be provided or maintained at Government expense, nor will the cost of providing targets and markers for the rifle practice of voluntary members of Defence Rifle Associations form a charge against public funds, but, so far as circumstances permit, and with due regard to the requirements of other portions of the Union Defence Forces, Government rifle ranges may be placed at the disposal of the voluntary sections of Defence Rifle Associations under arrangements to be made by the district staff officer.

(2) So far as possible, targets and other appliances of standard pattern and dimensions for rifle practice will be supplied to Defence Rifle Associations from Union ordnance stores on repayment.

(3) "There may be paid to Defence Rifle Asso Defence Rifle grant." as not exceeding 1s. 6d. for each enrolled member of a rifle association using a private rifle range, and 1s. in the case of an association using a Government rifle range, towards the provision, maintenance, and upkeep of ranges of approved type, and for the provision of targets and other necessary appliances, subject to the submission of a certificate by the District Staff Officer concerned that the strength of the association as at 1st July in each year is in accordance with the amount claimed and that he is satisfied that the unit has maintained a satisfactory state of efficiency in musketry and organization during the training year. Such grant shall be paid on the condition that the range shall be available when required for rifle practice by compulsory members of the Defence Rifle Association and for other members of the Union Defence Forces carrying out the musketry practices required of them under the Act.

(4) Provided that in cases where the annual amount payable to a Defence Rifle Association under this regulation does not meet the actual and necessary expense for the maintenance of such association's private range, the Minister may, if he is satisfied that a reasonable proportion of the members of the association have taken part in the prescribed annual rifle practice and earned the grant, authorize the total amount of the grant earned under this regulation being made up to a sum not exceeding £7. 10s. a year.

(2) Offisiere wat nie in besit is nie van die voorgeskrywe uniform soos in die voorgaande subparagraaf bepaal, kan die voorgeskrywe toelae ontvang as hulle vir diens opgeroep word.

(3) 'n Toelae van £10. 10s. vir vernuwing van uitrusting kan aan offisiere, na 'n tydperk van ses jaar onafgebroke diens gereken vanaf die datum van betaling van die eerste toelae, toegeken word onder die voorwaardes vasgestel vir die toekenning van die eerste toelae.

(4) Aan offisiere wat vir diens opgeroep word, kan 'n verder toelae, nie te bo gaande £7, toegeken word vir die aankoop van sodanige van die volgende artiekels as wat nodig mag wees:—

1 Rewolwer.
1 Knapsak.
1 Waterfles met houer.
1 Fluit met koord.
1 Warmjas.
1 Sam Browne lyfband (sonder lus).

Offisiere wat reeds in besit is van bogemelde artiekels of wat 'n toelae daarvoor ontvang het ten opsigte van enige vroeëre diens, is nie geregtig om enige verdere toelae vir sulke artiekels te ontvang nie.

(5) Aan 'n offisier wat 'n tydperk van vier maande in die veld of ses maande by die basis onder dienstoestande gedien het kan, na goeddunke van die Minister, 'n toelae toegeken word vir die vervanging van kledingstukke en uitrusting wat onder redelike dienstoestande verslyt het.

24. (1) Skietbane vir vrywillige lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings word nie op staatskoste gemaak of onderhou nie; ook kan die koste vir skywe en merkers by skietoefeninge van vrywillige lede van Verdedigings-skietverenigings nie teen die Staat in rekening gebring word nie. Vir sover omstandighede dit egter toelaat en met behoorlike inagneming van die vereistes van ander gedeeltes van die Unie Verdedigingsmagte kan goewerments-skietbane, onder reëlings deur die distrikstafoffisier getref, beskikbaar gestel word vir vrywilligerafdelings van Verdedigings-skietverenigings.

(2) Skywe en ander toebehoorsels van standaardmodel en grootte sal, vir sover dit moontlik is, uit Unie krygsbehoeftevoorraad, vir skietoefening, aan Verdedigings-skietverenigings teen betaling verskaf word.

(3) Die Minister kan die betaling magtig van 'n jaarlikse toekenning aan Verdedigings-skietverenigings van hoogstens 1s. 6d. vir elke ingeskrywe lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging wat 'n private skietbaan gebruik, en van 1s. in die geval van 'n vereniging wat 'n goewerments-skietbaan gebruik. Hierdie toekenning is om te help in die bestryding van die onkoste in verband met die verskaffing, onderhoud en instandhouding van skietbane wat volgens goedgekeurde model aangelê is, en om skywe en ander nodige toebehoorsels aan te skaf, en word net uitbetaal by inlewering van 'n sertifikaat van die betrokke distrikstafoffisier dat die sterkte van die vereniging op 1 Julie van elke jaar in ooreenstemming is met die gevraagde bedrag en dat hy van oordeel is dat die eenheid 'n bevredigende standaard van bekwaamheid in skietoefening en organisasie gedurende die jaar gehandhaaf het. Die toekenning word uitbetaal op voorwaarde dat die skietbaan, wanneer vereis, beskikbaar sal wees vir skietoefening van verpligte lede van die Verdedigings-skietvereniging en vir ander lede van die Unie Verdedigingsmagte as hulle die deur die Wet voorgeskrywe skietoefeninge uitvoer.

(4) In gevalle egter waar die bedrag jaarliks aan 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging onder hierdie regulasie betaalbaar, nie die werkelike en nodige onkoste in verband met die onderhoud van die vereniging se private skietbaan dek nie, kan die Minister, as hy oortuig is dat 'n redelike gedeelte van die vereniging se lede aan die voorgeskrywe jaarlikse skietoefening deelgeneem het en die toekenning verdien het, magtiging gee om die bedrag van die toekenning onder hierdie regulasie verdien tot 'n totale bedrag van hoogstens £7. 10s. 'n jaar aan te vul.

25. Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph 18 of these regulations, individual citizens to whom, at any date prior to the 1st July, 1913, Government rifles, accoutrements, and equipment have been issued on loan under proper authority, and for approved purposes, may, subject to the Minister's approval, be allowed to retain the rifles, accoutrements, and equipments so issued if they become and so long as they remain members of Defence Rifle Associations; provided that the Minister may at any time require such citizens to hand in and account for any rifles, accoutrements, and equipment so held; provided also that this regulation shall not apply to or in any manner affect the responsibility and liability of persons to whom Government rifles have been issued on loan or invalidate or affect in any degree whatsoever any security, promissory note, bond, agreement, or other document held by or on behalf of the Government in respect of such rifles, accoutrements, or equipment; provided further that a citizen who is permitted under this regulation to retain his rifle, accoutrements, and equipment shall not be entitled to receive another rifle or other accoutrements or equipment in exchange therefor, except under the general provisions of the regulations at the time being in force for Defence Rifle Associations.

26. The war and peace establishments of a commando and Defence Rifle Association shall be as laid down by the Chief of the General Staff from time to time.

SOUTH AFRICA DEFENCE ACT, 1912.

APPENDIX A.

FORM OF ENROLMENT AS MEMBERS OF DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

I (full name),.., being a citizen of the Union of South Africa and resident at (full permanent address)..., am (or will be)...............years of age this year.

I hereby undertake to serve as a Voluntary Member of a Defence Rifle Association from...................., in accordance with the conditions of the South Africa Defence Act, 1912, and in terms of the Regulations for Defence Rifle Associations published in *Government Gazette* No. 1398 of 13th June, 1924, and subsequent amendments or additions thereto.

....
Signature.

Place..
Date..
Posted to (name of association)..
Magisterial District..
Military District No..................

The attesting officer will forward this form by post to the District Staff Officer.

25. Nieteenstaande die bepalinge van paragraaf 18 van hierdie regulasies kan, met goedkeuring van die Minister, afsonderlike burgers wat goewermentsgeweers, montering en uitrusting voor die 1ste Julie 1913 op behoorlike gesag en vir 'n goedgekeurde doel in leen ontvang het toegelaat word om in besit daarvan te bly as hulle lede word van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging en solank as hulle lede daarvan bly; met die voorwaarde dat die Minister sulke burgers te enige tyd kan gelas om enige geweers, montering en uitrusting wat hulle aldus in besit het in te lewer of daarvan rekenskap te gee; ook met die voorwaarde dat hierdie regulasie nie op persone aan wie goewermentsgeweers in leen uitgereik is van toepassing sal wees nie en nie die verantwoordelikheid of verpligting van sulke persone sal verminder nie of enige sekuriteit, promesse, borgakte, ooreenkoms of ander dokument deur of namens die Goewerment in hierdie verband gehou, ongeldig sal maak nie; en met die verdere voorwaarde dat 'n burger wat kragtens hierdie regulasie toegelaat word om sy geweer, montering en uitrusting te behou nie geregtig sal wees om 'n ander geweer of ander montering of uitrusting in ruil daarvoor te ontvang nie behalwe onder die algemene bepalinge van die dan bestaande regulasies vir Verdedigings-skietverenigings.

26. Die sterktes op voet van oorlog en van vrede van 'n kommando en 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging is die sterktes wat van tyd tot tyd deur die Hoof van die Generale Staf voorgeskryf word.

SUIDAFRIKA VERDEDIGINGSWET, 1912.

AANHANGSEL "A."

VORM VAN INSKRYWING AS LID VAN 'N VERDEDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGING.

Ek (volle naam),..., 'n burger van die Unie van Suidafrika en woonagtig te (volle permanente adres)...

....,
het (of sal) hierdie jaar die ouderdom van.......................jaar bereik.

Ek beloof om as vrywillige lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging te dien vanaf..................................., ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van die Suidafrika Verdedigingswet, 1912, en die Regulasies vir Verdedigings-skietverenigings, soos gepubliseer in die *Unie Staatskoerant* No. 1398 van 13 Junie 1924 en latere wysiginge daarvan.

....
Handtekening.

Plek.....................................
Datum...................................
Ingedeel by (naam van vereniging)..
Magistraatsdistrik...
Militêre Distrik...............................

Die inskryf-offisier moet hierdie vorm deur die pos aan die distrikstafoffisier stuur.

SOUTH AFRICA DEFENCE ACT, 1912.

APPENDIX B.

FORM OF ENROLMENT OF A COMPULSORY MEMBER OF A DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

To (name of citizen)..
Registered No...............
Address..

You are hereby notified that you are enrolled for service as a Compulsory Member of a Defence Rifle Association, in terms of sub-section (1) of section *sixty-eight* of the South Africa Defence Act and the regulations made thereunder, and are posted as a member of the compulsory section of the.................................... Defence Rifle Association.

You are required to attend the first training muster, which will be held at..

If you desire to claim exemption from service in terms of Regulation No. 16, copy of which is attached to this notice, you must notify me immediately in terms of that regulation.

....
District Staff Officer,
No.......... Military District.

Place.................................
Date..................................

SOUTH AFRICA DEFENCE ACT, 1912.

APPENDIX C.

FORM OF EXEMPTION FROM SERVICE AS A COMPULSORY MEMBER OF A DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

To (name of citizen)..
Registered No............
Address..
....
....

You are hereby notified that your application for exemption from service as a Compulsory Member of a Defence Rifle Association has been granted on the grounds—

(*a*)* of a certificate of medical unfitness for military service;

(*b*)* of bona fide religious belief;

(*c*)* that the Chief of the General Staff is satisfied that your circumstances are such that you are unable to carry out the conditions of service as a Compulsory Member of a Defence Rifle Association.

....
District Staff Officer,
No.......... Military District.

Place.................................
Date..................................

* Delete the two clauses which are inapplicable.

SUIDAFRIKA VERDEDIGINGSWET, 1912.

AANHANGSEL "B."

VORM VAN INSKRYWING VAN 'N VERPLIGTE LID VAN 'N VERDEDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGING.

Aan (naam van burger)..
Geregistreerde nommer......................
Adres..

Hiermee word aan u bekendgemaak dat u vir diens ingeskryf is as 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging, ooreenkomstig subartiekel (1) van artiekel *ag-en-sestig* van die Suidafrika Verdedigingswet en die regulasies wat daaronder gemaak is en dat u as lid ingedeel is by die afdeling van verpligte lede van die ....Verdedigings-skietvereniging.

Die eerste oefenparade wat u verplig is om by te woon vind plaas te..

As u wil aansoek doen vir vrystelling van diens ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van Regulasie 16, waarvan 'n afskrif hieraan geheg is, moet u my onmiddellik daarvan kennis gee ooreenkomstig die bepalinge van daardie regulasie.

....
Distrikstafoffisier,
Militêre Distrik No...............

Plek....................................
Datum..................................

SUIDAFRIKA VERDEDIGINGSWET, 1912.

AANHANGSEL "C."

VORM VAN VRYSTELLING VAN DIENS AS VERPLIGTE LID VAN 'N VERDEDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGING.

Aan (naam van burger)..
Geregistreerde nommer....................
Adres..
....

Hiermee word aan u bekendgemaak dat u aansoek vir vrystelling van diens as 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging toegestaan is op grond van—

(*a*)* 'n sertifikaat dat u geneeskundig ongeskik is vir militêre diens;

(*b*)* bona fide godsdienstige oortuiging;

(*c*)* u omstandighede, wat na oordeel van die Hoof van die Generale Staf sodanig is dat u nie die diensvoorwaardes van 'n verpligte lid van 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging kan nakom nie.

....
Distrikstafoffisier,
Militêre Distrik No...............

Plek....................................
Datum..................................

* Skrap die twee klousules wat nie van toepassing is nie.

APPENDIX D.

FORM OF BOND FOR LOAN OF RIFLES TO DEFENCE RIFLE ASSOCIATIONS.

Rifle Association..
Magisterial District of..
Military District No...............

Know all men by these presents that we (surety),..................... ...., of......................................, and (surety) ...., of......................................, are held and firmly bound unto the Minister of Defence for the time being, as representing the Government, in the sum of................. ....sterling, to be paid to the said Minister of Defence or the person for the time being acting as such, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and each of us, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally *in solidum* by these presents.

Whereas the..................................Rifle Association has been duly registered as a Defence Rifle Association and as the senior officer of the said Rifle Association, and in such capacity hath received from and has been placed in temporary possession by Government of.......................military rifles, which said arms are in good order and condition.

Now, the condition of the above bond is that if the said senior officer of the..................................Rifle Asssoeiation shall keep the said arms in a safe place, maintain them in good order and clean condition, and shall at all times when required by the Minister of Defence produce to the said officer, or any other person nominated by him on that behalf, the said arms, and shall, when required, deliver up to the said Minister of Defence, or any other person authorized by him to receive the same, the said arms in like good condition and repair (reasonable wear and tear excepted), and shall not remove or permit to be removed outside the Union of South Africa any of the said arms then this bond to be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Signed......................................, this.........................day of ...., 192......

....
(Surety.)

....
(Surety.)

As witness—

....

....

Date....................................192......

SUIDAFRIKA VERDEDIGINGSWET, 1912.

AANHANGSEL "D."

VORM VAN BORGAKTE VIR GEWEERS WAT AAN VERDEDIGINGS-SKIETVERENIGINGS GELEEN IS.

Skietvereniging...
Magistraatsdistrik..
Militêre Distrik No..................

Aan almal wat dit mag aangaan:—

Hiermee verklaar ons (borg),..., van......................................., en (borg)..................................., van..., dat ons aan die Minister van Verdediging, as verteenwoordiger van die Regering, die som van £...........:........:........sterling verskuldig is en dat ons, gesamenlik en afsonderlik vir die geheel, ons en ook ons erfgename, eksekuteurs en administrateurs, hierby verbind om hierdie som te betaal aan die gemelde Minister van Verdediging of sy plaasvervanger.

Aangesien die...................................Skietvereniging behoorlik as 'n Verdedigings-skietvereniging geregistreer is, en aangesien die senior offisier van gemelde Skietvereniging in daardie hoedanigheid..........................militêre geweers in 'n goeie toestand van die Regering ontvang het om tydelik in besit te hou, so is die voorwaarde van hierdie borgakte dit, namelik, dat as die senior offisier van die...Skietvereniging die gemelde geweers op 'n veilige plek bewaar en hulle skoon en in 'n goeie toestand hou en hulle te enige tyd, op verlange van die Minister van Verdediging, aan hom of aan die persoon deur hom vir daardie doel aangewys, vertoon, en die gemelde geweers aan die Minister van Verdediging of aan 'n ander persoon deur hom gemagtig om hulle te ontvang, op aansoek teruggee in dieselfde goeie toestand as wat dit ontvang is (behalwe redelike slytasie), en geen van die gemelde geweers buite die Unie van Suidafrika verwyder nie of laat verwyder nie, dan sal hierdie borgakte nietig en van geen waarde wees, maar anders bly dit van volle krag.

Geteken te...........................op hierdie.............................dag van............................19......

....
(Borg.)

As getuie—

....

....

....
(Borg.)

As getuie—

....

....

Datum...............................19......

VERBETERING.

Paragraaf 7.

In die twede reël moet die syfers " 13 of 14 " wees " 5 of 6."

Paragraaf 10.

In die twede reël moet die syfers " 6 of 7 " wees " 8 of 9."