

## Health and Safety at Work Act 1974

## Manufacture and Storage of Explosives Regulations 2005

## Certificate of Exemption no 1 of 2012

1. In pursuance of the powers conferred on it by paragraph (1) of regulation 26 of the Manufacture and Storage of Explosives Regulations 2005 ("the 2005 Regulations") and being satisfied as required by paragraph (2) of that regulation, the Health and Safety Executive exempts any person who stores shooters' powder from the requirements of regulation 10(1) of the 2005 Regulations in relation to that storage, subject to the conditions referred to in paragraph 3.

## 2. In this certificate :-

- (a) "explosive", "percussion caps", "shooters' powder" and "small arms ammunition" have the same meanings as they are given in regulation 2(1) of the 2005 Regulations; and
- (b) "quantity" has the same meaning as it is given by regulation 2(4) of the 2005 Regulations.
- 3. The conditions referred to in paragraph 1 are that :-
  - (a) the total quantity of shooters' powder stored at a site must not exceed 15 kilograms, including any which may be stored there under the exemption in regulation 10(2)(b)(i) or (ii) of the 2005 Regulations;
  - (b) no other explosive may be stored at the site at the same time apart from no more than 15 kilograms of percussion caps or small arms ammunition or a mixture of them; and
  - (c) the shooters' powder and any percussion caps or small arms ammunition must be stored in a safe and suitable place at the site with all due precautions for safety.
- 4. This certificate shall continue in force until its revocation by the Health and Safety Executive by a certificate in writing.

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January 2012

Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Explosives:

a person authorised by the Health and Safety Executive to act on their behalf.