



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION

RIFLE RANGE PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

Appendix Chapter 1, section 105.6.39.1 of the Los Angeles County Fire Code states that a operational permit shall be obtained from the Fire Prevention Division prior to engaging in the following: ... to establish, maintain or operate a rifle range. Additional requirements may be applicable. See Appendix L

Supervision by Range Officer Rifle ranges shall not be operated or maintained without the supervision of a qualified range officer.

Qualifications of Range Officer To qualify as a range officer, individuals shall demonstrate to the chief and the chief law enforcement officer their knowledge of firearms and ammunition, including the general rules of safety and the provisions of this code relative thereto. Qualified range officers shall be issued a certificate of fitness upon completion of such qualification examination.

Inspection and Disposal of Ammunition Ammunition shall be inspected and approved by the range officer before permission to fire or discharge the same is granted. Ammunition that will not fire or discharge or which is otherwise defective shall be surrendered to the range officer for safe disposal.

Portable Fire Extinguishers Rifle ranges shall be equipped with portable fire appliances and other equipment required by the chief. Additional fire-prevention measures required by the chief shall be provided.

Removal of Vegetation Rifle ranges, including striking grounds, shall be completely clear of vegetation within a safe distance from the firing range.

Warnings Rifle ranges that are not fenced shall be posted with approved warning posters or signs to notify and protect the public from danger.

Additional
Requirements

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