



Equity in Shooting Sports

OBJECTIVE

1. The National Governing Bodies that form the Shooting Sports Association of Ireland have joined together under that banner to produce a statement of their commitment to provide equal opportunities for all, in the shooting disciplines under their jurisdiction.

It is hoped that in doing so it will make access to the shooting sports even easier, and provide opportunities for all members of the community to become involved in target shooting.

2. The SSAI wants to help all who become involved in their activities to fully realise their potential, whether as shooters, range officials, coaches or administrators.

3. It is already known that shooting is truly a sport for all but, to further its development as such, the SSAI reiterates its commitment to the following policies:

Policy Statement 1

The SSAI will work to increase the number of participants of both sexes taking part in shooting and to make it easier for all to gain access to all disciplines of shooting sports.

Policy Statement 2

The SSAI will work to increase the number of participants in the shooting sports from all ethnic groups, without distinction.

Policy Statement 3

The SSAI will work to help more disabled people become actively involved in shooting, and to increase the opportunities for their participation.

Policy Statement 4

The SSAI will work to ensure that all people involved in shooting may do so without discrimination from any quarter, the only restrictions on their participation being that the people concerned should act lawfully, safely and with due respect for others.

Policy Statement 5

The SSAI will work to ensure that age will not be a barrier to participation in shooting, and that people will be encouraged to take part throughout their life while it is safe for them to do so.