



New South Wales

# Firearms Amendment (Miscellaneous) Regulation 2007

under the

Firearms Act 1996

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Firearms Act 1996*.

DAVID CAMPBELL, M.P.,  
Minister for Police

## Explanatory note

The objects of this Regulation are as follows:

- (a) to enable the Game Council to give permission to shoot on rural land for the genuine reason of recreational hunting/vermin control, and
- (b) to extend, for a period of 1 year, the operation of an amnesty provision that allows the possession, without a licence under the *Firearms Act 1996*, of certain percussion lock pistols manufactured before 1900 that use black powder.

This Regulation is made under the *Firearms Act 1996*, including sections 12 and 88 (2) (f).

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### **1 Name of Regulation**

This Regulation is the *Firearms Amendment (Miscellaneous) Regulation 2007*.

### **2 Amendment of Firearms Regulation 2006**

The *Firearms Regulation 2006* is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

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## Schedule 1 Amendments

(Clause 2)

[1] **Clause 31A**

Insert after clause 31:

**31A Recreational hunting/vermin control—prescribed authority**

The Game Council is prescribed as an authority for the purposes of the genuine reason of recreational hunting/vermin control.

[2] **Clause 117 Temporary licensing and registration amnesty for certain percussion lock pistols manufactured before 1900**

Omit “31 December 2007” from the definition of *amnesty period* in clause 117 (1).

Insert instead “31 December 2008”.