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Section 102 of the Weapons Act 1991 provides that the Executive may make regulations for the purposes of the Act. Section 5(1) (nc) of the Act enables the Minister to prescribe sporting organisations which have an approved reason for the use of a starting pistol.

This regulation prescribes the following approved organisations for the purposes of section 5(1)(nc) of the Act;

- ACT Athletics Inc.
- ACT Cross Country Inc.
- ACT Little Athletics Association Inc.
- ACT Veterans Athletics Club Inc.
- Canberra Yacht Club; and
- Yachting Association of NSW (ACT Zone Committee).

This regulation has no financial implications and will commence on gazettal.