

The Firearm Safety/ Hunter Education Regulations

Repealed

by Chapter W-13.12 Reg 2 (effective January 15, 2009).

Formerly

Chapter W-13.1 Reg 27 (effective July 13, 1984)
as amended by Saskatchewan Regulations 92/86.

NOTE:

This consolidation is not official. Amendments have been incorporated for convenience of reference and the original statutes and regulations should be consulted for all purposes of interpretation and application of the law. In order to preserve the integrity of the original statutes and regulations, errors that may have appeared are reproduced in this consolidation.

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CHAPTER W-13.1 REG 27

The Wildlife Act

Title

1 These regulations may be cited as *The Firearm Safety/Hunter Education Regulations*.

Interpretation

2 In these regulations:

- (a) “**Act**” means *The Wildlife Act*;
- (b) “**certificate**” means a firearm safety/hunter education certificate issued pursuant to section 7;
- (c) “**course**” means the firearm safety/hunter education course authorized by the department under the firearm safety/hunter education program;
- (d) “**instructor’s course**” means an instructor’s course designed and conducted by the department.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s2.

Program

3 The department shall administer a firearm safety/hunter education program in Saskatchewan to provide instruction in firearm safety, hunter responsibilities and any other subject that may improve the quality of hunting and shooting in Saskatchewan.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s3.

Instructors

4(1) The minister may authorize any person to instruct a course who:

- (a) has completed an instructor’s course; or
- (b) in the opinion of a person designated by the minister, has sufficient knowledge of and training in firearms and wildlife conservation to conduct a course.

(2) Where the minister considers it to be in the public interest, he may by written notice revoke an authorization pursuant to subsection (1), and the person named in the notice shall immediately stop conducting any course.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s4.

Length of course

5(1) Subject to subsection (2), the minimum period of instruction for a course is 16 hours.

(2) Where the minister is satisfied that special circumstances exist, he may authorize an instructor to conduct a course of less than 16 hours in length.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s5.

W-13.1 REG 27 FIREARM SAFETY/HUNTER EDUCATION**Passing mark**

6(1) Subject to subsection (2), a person who takes the examination prescribed by the department and obtains a mark of at least 80% has successfully completed a course.

(2) Where the minister is satisfied that special circumstances exist preventing a person from taking the examination mentioned in subsection (1), he may authorize an instructor to conduct an oral examination of that person and where the person demonstrates, to the satisfaction of the instructor, a proficiency in firearm safety and hunter education, he is deemed to have successfully completed a course.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s6.

Certificate

7 The minister may issue a certificate to any person who successfully completes a course.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s7.

Maximum fee

8 No person shall charge more than \$10 per person for enrollment in a course.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s8.

Course required

9 No person who:

- (a) is 17 years of age or younger; or
- (b) is obtaining a game or fur licence for the first time;

shall apply for, obtain or be granted a game or fur licence unless he holds a certificate or a similar certificate issued by another jurisdiction and recognized by the department and meets any qualifications prescribed in any other Act or regulation with respect to a game or fur licence, as the case may be.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s9; 29 Aug 86 SR 92/86 s2.

Minimum age

10 No person who is under the age of 11 years shall enroll in a course.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s10.

Instructors to be authorized

11 No person shall conduct a course unless he is authorized to do so pursuant to these regulations.

20 Jly 84 cW-13.1 Reg 27 s11.