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DEMONSTRATE KNOWLEDGE OF THE FIREARMS CONTROL ACT 2000 (ACT NO 60 OF 2000) APPLICABLE TO POSSESSING A FIREARM

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NQF Level: 03

Credits: 3

COURSE OVERVIEW











Demonstrate Knowledge Of The Firearms Control Act 2000 (Act No 60 of 2000) Applicable to Possessing A Firearm



PURPOSE OF THE UNIT STANDARD

This unit standard is for persons who need to demonstrate knowledge of the Firearms Control Act 2000 (Act No 60 of 2000), herein after the Act that is applicable to legally possess a firearm. Persons credited with this unit standard are able to:

- Demonstrate understanding of the statutory duties and obligations of firearm ownership as contained in the Act;
- Demonstrate understanding of the statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession, handling, carrying, storage and use of firearms as prescribed by the Act; and
- Demonstrate understanding of the statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession and storage of ammunition as prescribed by the Act.

Specific Outcomes and Assessment Criteria:

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 1

Demonstrate understanding of the statutory duties and obligations applicable to the firearm ownership as contained in the Act.

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- 1. The term "presumptions relating to failure to report" as detailed in Section 118 of the Act is explained in terms of its implication for the firearm owner.
- 2. The term "presumption of failure to take reasonable steps" as detailed in Section 119 of the Act is explained in terms of its implication for the firearm owner.
- 3. The term "presumptions relating to" the possession of firearms and ammunition as detailed in section 117 of the Act is explained in terms of its implication for the firearm owner.
- 4. The term "offences" is explained as detailed in Section 120 of the Act.
- 5. The general circumstances under which the registrar may declare a person unfit to possess a firearm are explained as outlined in Section 102 of the Act.
- 6. The general circumstances under which the court may declare a person unfit to possess a firearm are explained as outlined in Section 103 of the Act.
- 7. The effect of a declaration of a person as unfit to possess a firearm is explained in terms of Section 104 of the Act.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 2

Demonstrate understanding of the statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession, handling, carrying, storage and use of firearms as prescribed by the Act.

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- 1. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession of firearms and firearm parts are explained as prescribed by the Act.
- 2. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the use and handling of firearms are explained as prescribed by the Act.
- 3. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the carrying of firearms are explained as prescribed by the Act.

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- 4. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the storage of firearms are explained as prescribed by the Act.
- 5. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the disposal of firearms and firearm parts are explained as prescribed by the Act.

SPECIFIC OUTCOME 3

Demonstrate understanding of the statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession and storage of ammunition as prescribed by the Act.

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- 1. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the possession of ammunition are explained as prescribed by the Act.
- 2. The statutory prescriptions applicable to the storage of ammunition are explained as prescribed by the Act.