

Pardoe Sportsmen's Association

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CONSTITUTION

Article I

NAME: The name of this organization shall be: Pardoe Sportsmen's Association

Article II

OBJECTS: The objects of this association shall be:

FIRST: To promote conservation and propagation of the wildlife and the fish life of our woods and streams, and to protect at all times, in a legal and just manner, the interests of all sportsmen.

SECOND: To create and foster a fraternal spirit among the sportsmen, coordinating their interests, and unifying their actions toward the general improvements of wildlife and fish life sports condition.

THIRD: To accomplish by percept and example the highest standards of sportsmanship and to respect the rights of landowners at all times.

FOURTH: To employ educational means of enlightening our members and our general public as to the conditions of wildlife and its habitat, fish life and its waters, and to teach safety rules in all activities.

FIFTH: To engage in exhibitions of skill with rod, gun, and dog.

SIXTH: To cooperate at all times with the State Fish and Game Commissions and their respective field officers.

ARTICLE III

MEMBERS: Members shall comprise law-abiding citizens who subscribe and are submissive to our Constitution and By-Laws, and pay annual dues.

A junior Chapter for youths under sixteen years of age may be established.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS: The officers shall be: President; Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer; and (3) Trustees.

## ARTICLE V

EXECUTIVE BOARD: A board to be recognized by the membership as the Executive Board of Directors, shall consist of the elected officers and with a quorum of five (5) present, shall have the power to execute any emergency business whatsoever, for, and on behalf of the membership when called in special session by the President.

## ARTICLE VI

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES: The President shall appoint all committees necessary for activities other than those under elected directorship.

DIRECTORS' COMMITTEES APPOINTMENTS: Each director may appoint his own committee, unlimited in number of members. He, or an assistant, shall report activities on his committee at each regular meeting of the chapter.

The Pardoe Practical Shooting League is recognized as a subsidiary of Pardoe Sportsmen's Association while retaining individual internal structure and financial integrity. The League exists to promote the competitive sport of Practical Shooting under Article II, Paragraph 5 of this constitution, said sport to be conducted according to the rules of the United States Practical Shooting Association.

## ARTICLE VII

ETHICS: This Chapter, as an organization, shall not promote, discuss, or take part in any political issue, except when such issue directly concerns the objects and ideals of this organization.

## ARTICLE VIII

MEETING PLACE: This Association shall meet the first Sunday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

A quorum shall consist of five (5) members in good standing in the club.

## ARTICLE IX

ORGANIZATION: The internal organization of the Association shall be graphically shown by the organization chart as a part of this Constitution.

ARTICLE X

AMENDMENTS: This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of all members present at any legal Association meeting, provided that said amendment shall have been submitted in petition form, signed by ten (10) members in good standing, and read at one legal Association meeting prior to the meeting at which it is being voted on for adoption.