

It has been confirmed by the Department of Justice and the PSNI that with the enactment of the Justice Bill on Friday 13th May, visitors to Northern Ireland from GB are no longer required to apply for a certificate of approval (form 30/15/2016).

Members travelling to this year's DTL Home International and British Open do not need to make an application to PSNI.

This means your Shotgun certificate/licence allows you to travel through Northern Ireland and the use of your shotgun whilst in Northern Ireland (at recognised shooting grounds).

Visitors should be aware this does not cover Republic of Ireland, so those travelling onward to Europeans and Worlds in Esker still require a visitor's permit.

Also please be aware the age restriction on shotgun for clay target is 16 years of age except in the case of an Authorised Clay Target Club where ages from 12 - 16 can shoot under supervision.

As the selection process is well under way for this year's DTL team there will be no under 16's shooting the Home International's as part of the England team, but as the British Open DTL is an open competition, under 16 England members can now book onto this event.

Please note - any 12-15 year old will need to have a supervisor present who will need to be in attendance at the back of the layouts and take the shotgun as soon as the shooter has finished each round.