

## DOUBLE TAPP RANGE FIRING LINE RULES

The following rules apply, where applicable.

Red Line - The RED line is the actual firing line. Shooters will line up on the RED firing line while actually shooting. During this time, the range is considered "HOT". During a"HOT"range, NO ONE shall pass the RED firing line. NOT AT ALL! NOT EVEN AN INCH! If anyone is seen passing the RED firing line while the range is hot, the command "CEASE FIRE" should be yelled, multiple times, in a loud, clear voice. Upon hearing the command "CEASE FIRE", all shooters should immediately holster and/or make safe any weapons and step back, behind the YELLOW line until the situation is made safe.

Yellow Line: The YELLOW LINE (when present) is used during a "COLD Range". A "COLD Range" is the condition that should exist when anyone needs to go out onto the range surface for any reason (usuallyto putup/ change targets). During a "COLD Range" all firearms are holstered or cased, unloaded, bolts are to the rear, and **no one on the range has a firearm in their hands.** When members mutually agree that it is time to declare a "COLD Range," all shooters will holster their weapons, or place unloaded weapons on a table or bench on the firing line - bolts back, chambers open, and step back behind theyellow line. Once everyone is behind the yellow line, shooters who need to go down-range to make target adjustments may do so. While shooters are downrange, NO ONE shall be between the RED and YELLOW lines, near the firearms. During this time, NO ONE shall handle a firearm in any manner or fashion. It is IMPERATIVE for safety, that no one handles a firearm while members are down range. Once all members return from down-range, and are behind the yellow line, a "HOT Range" can be called, and all members can approach the firing line and once again begin shooting, keeping in mind all of the aforementioned safety rules at all times.

Double Tapp Range has members who are Law Enforcement or Military firearm instructors, or have other, credible firearm instruction credentials. Many of these people conduct their personal training sessions at Double Tapp Range. These Instructors are issued a RED and WHITE Double Tapp "Pro-Pass" (member badge) and they have all been authorized by Double Tapp Range management to act on behalf of the range on any issue of safety. If approached by a "Pro-Pass" holder, please listen to any advice and follow any direction given. These people have been authorized to give safety tips, correct unsafe conditions, and even require someone to leave the property if that is reasonable under the circumstances. An order coming from a "Pro-Pass" member is as valid as one coming from the owners of the property.

Please contact the range owners immediately, should you have any questions, concerns or need additional information. Double Tapp will provide free safety training for all members if needed. If you have questions about these, or any firearm safety rules, or just feel as though you need additional safety training, contact the range owners to arrange a block of time, and that training will be provided at no additional charge.

Thank you,

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