Use of air weapons at recreational shooting facilities

- 12 (1) It is not an offence under section 2(1) for an individual ("A") to borrow, hire, use or possess an air weapon without holding an air weapon certificate at a recreational shooting facility, if—
 - (a) A reasonably believes that an individual who is responsible for the management and operation of the facility holds an air weapon certificate, and
 - (b) A's use or possession occurs only while A is at the facility.
 - (2) It is not an offence under section 2(1) for an individual ("B") to use or possess an air weapon without holding an air weapon certificate at a recreational shooting facility, if—
 - (a) B reasonably believes that an individual who is responsible for the management and operation of the recreational shooting facility holds an air weapon certificate, and
 - (b) B is an employee of the operator of the facility and is acting in the ordinary course of the employer's business as such an operator.
 - (3) In this paragraph, "recreational shooting facility" means—
 - (a) a miniature rifle range or a shooting gallery at which air weapons are used, or
 - (b) a facility for combat games which involve an air weapon,

which is operated with a view to making a profit.