Town of Truro – Bylaws

Subject: A Bylaw Respecting Firearms

Bylaw Number: B130-00 **Approval Date:** June 11, 2007 **Departments:** Police Service

Title

1. This Bylaw shall be known and may be cited as the "Firearms Bylaw".

Interpretation

2. In this Bylaw:

"Firearm" means any barreled weapon from which any shot, bullet, or other projectile can be discharged and that is capable of causing serious bodily injury or death to a person, but does not include an air or compressed gas gun or pistol.

Discharge of Firearm

3. No person shall discharge a firearm in the Town of Truro.

Approved Shooting Range

4. This Bylaw does not apply to the discharge of firearms at a shooting range approved pursuant to the *Firearms Act* (Canada) and regulations under the Act.

Penalties, Enforcement

5. Every person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of this Bylaw commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a penalty of not less than \$500 and not more than \$10,000 or, in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period of not less than 30 days.

Revocation/Amendment

6. The Public Safety – Firearms and Fireworks Bylaw is revoked.