NOTICE FROM JUDGES

There appears to be some ongoing confusion amongst archers as to whether camo coloured bows can be used in State or National events which are recognised by World Archery.

World Archery rules introduced in 2014, state that neither camo bows nor camo clothing/ accessories (such as quivers, armguards) are accepted at World Archery Championships, Cups and other major World Archery tournaments. This is important to know if you are successful in selection to an international team and will therefore be attending World Archery <u>International</u> events.

HOWEVER **Archery Australia** differs from this position with regard to camo bows used at events held in Australia. In recognition of the number of shooters who use camo bows and the costs that would be incurred in purchasing replacement equipment, Archery Australia **DOES** allow <u>Camo bows</u> to be used in Australian Events.

Archery Australia does **not** permit <u>Camo clothing</u>.

So to be quite clear an event in Australia may be registered as an Archery Australia and/ or World Archery event, but this does NOT prohibit archers from shooting with camouflage bows or using camouflage equipment, as long as this does **not** include camouflage clothing.