#### The SERPC Inc. has an established Constitution.

The following motions relate to motions to change parts of that Constitution.

## **Bird Limits & Surplus.**

Currently our constitution states.

## 3. SURPLUS BASKETS & BIRD LIMITS

1. The SERPC Inc. will vote on a bird limit for the coming race season when life rings are ordered for that coming race season.

#### **Motion One:**

The bird limit for SERPC reverts to what existed in 2023 being.

The bird limit for any race conducted by the South East Racing Pigeon Combine shall be determined by.

- 1. The number of fliers
- 2. The period of confinement (overnight or longer)
- 3. The space available in the club's transport in accordance with the recommendations made by the Australian National Racing Pigeon Board for the transport of racing pigeons.

The bird limit for any racing participated in by the South East Racing Pigeon Combine when the transporting federation or combine is not the South East Racing Pigeon Combine will be whatever that transporting federation or combine determines.

## **Moved: Manny Byrne**

### Seconded:

Motion Two:

Should Motion One fail in its current form then motion 2 will be.

## **SURPLUS BASKETS & BIRD LIMITS**

- 1. The bird limit for any race conducted by the South East Racing Pigeon Combine Inc. shall be 45.
- 2. Surplus birds will be permitted. Surplus liberation will be at least 30 minutes before or after the race birds have been liberated. Before or after will be at the discretion of the Liberator on that day. There will be no costs incurred by members who send surplus birds.
- 3. Toss birds will be permitted from the second race point onwards. The location of that liberation will be the first race point of the schedule for that year. Toss birds will be liberated on the return trip after race and surplus birds have been liberated. There will be no costs for members who send toss birds.
- 4. Numbers of surplus and toss birds will be determined by space availability in accordance with the recommendations made by the Australian National Racing Pigeon Board for the transport of racing pigeons.

# **Moved: Manny Byrne**

#### Seconded:

#### **Motion Three**

The SERPC Inc. currently conducts two memorial races.

Motion:

All memorial races conducted by the SERPC Inc. will have a life span of 10 consecutive race seasons. Once the 10<sup>th</sup> race season has passed formal arrangements made to have the trophy for that memorial race presented to surviving family members of the flyer for whom the memorial race is conducted.

**Moved: Mario Magrin** 

Seconded: Manny Byrne

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#### **Motion Four:**

On race days the SERPC Inc currently has a rule in place which prevents any of its members, racing or not, releasing their birds on race day at any location, including the home loft or tossing, on the day the actual race is conducted and for the duration of the race to prevent straggling birds being strayed to other lofts.

Motion:

This rule updated to read.

No member of the SERPC Inc. is to release their birds after the race has commenced and until the race concludes.

Moved:

Seconded:

### Should Motion Four fail then Motion Five will be:

Motion:

The rule concerning the release of any birds by members of the SERPC Inc on race day and whilst the race is still current is abolished, instead relying on members common sense and a gentlemen's agreement not to release birds from any location where that release could impact the return of SERPC Inc race birds to their home lofts.

Moved:

Seconded: