

Ammunition Issue Point (AIP)

Commanders and units using ranges and training areas that issue and turn in

- a. Commanders will certify OICs/RSOs in the set up and execution of the AIP and all personnel responsible for ammunition handling.
- b. OICs/RSOs are responsible to have NCO inspect firers to ensure no blank or live ammunition is mixed during training
- c. Surround the AIP with concertina wire, or engineer tape at a minimum in order to prevent uncontrolled access. If AIP has a fixed Ammo issue building with controlled access and issue, no concertina is required.
- d. Units must separate the live and blank ammunition in different physical locations within the AIP.
- e. Concertina must separate the live (ball) from blank ammunition inside the AIP
- f. Signs must be present to define the different location for each type of ammunition and Pyro.
- g. White lights must be present for each issue location within the AIP to illuminate the issue and turn in of the ammunition.

AIP will only operate when a certified "Ammunition Handler" is present. AIPs may be augmented by additional personnel that receive a formal brief by the OIC/RSO and certified Ammo Handler prior to each shift, however, augmenting personnel will cease all issuing and turn in of

Ammo handler is not present at the AIP. Non-standard established AIPs may result in the unit being placed on "check fire" until the unit is in compliance.

