

Firearms & Ammunition

Australia Post / Startrack Solutions & Sender
Service Overview



Firearms & Ammunition Delivery - Overview

Sender Obligations

It is the responsibility of the Sender to ensure that they comply with all relevant state and territory legislation in relation to sending firearms and ammunition.
For example, ACT legislation prohibits the use of Australia Post's mail service (e.g. Parcel Post and Express Post) to send firearms to ACT delivery addresses.

The following are the General Requirements across All States and Territories for Firearms (and parts):

- Signature on Delivery (to ensure they are accepted by a 'person' and not left behind unattended)
- Plain Packaging
- Unloaded plus Bolt Removed / Made inoperable, as per Dealer Licensing requirements

Carrier Service Terms

Goods will be carried in accordance with the relevant terms and conditions of our respective service offers (e.g. Parcel Post, Express Post, ST Express, Special Services etc.). These are made available to all senders.

FIREARMS

SINGLES / MULTIPLES

1. Parcel Post / Express Post (via Retail outlets and/or our My Post Business channel)

- Maximum length 105cm
- Pricing (as per standard Parcel Post / Express Post rate schedules including volume based discounts via MPB)
- Tracking included (recommended that senders provide tracking details to receivers so they can track items).
- Signature on Delivery would be mandatory on all Parcel Post items (additional paid feature)

2. Startrack Road Express

- Maximum length 117 over sorters. Longer accepted and manual handling / oversize charges may apply (Refer Road Express Rate Card.)
- Pricing varies according to the Sender's volume/spend. Requires minimum \$2K per month spend as per standard T&Cs
- Signature on Delivery option is currently included in the standard offer
- Loose quantities making up a skid / pallet to individual receivers must be consigned as bulk & sent Special Services.
- Firearms shipments only to occur on days of the week which do not require travel/storage over a weekend or public holiday. (Sales to provide transit guides on setting up.)
- WA – **EXCLUDED** until ST gains Warehouseman approval with WA Firearms Licensing Services

3. WA Secure Accept and Collect Trial

- Delivery within WA only
- Maximum length 140cm
- Pricing: \$55 within WA plus \$15 surcharge for items over 105cm
- Items must be sent by Registered senders from/to nominated Australia Post outlets
- Items must be delivered to Registered receivers (must be a Dealer to be registered sender or receiver)
- Signature on Delivery and Extra Cover (insurance) up to \$500 is included in the offer. Additional Cover up to \$5k per item available for loss or damage while being carried by AP.
- One firearm per parcel; and a maximum of 6 parcels per day (unless granted exemption)

4. Parcel Post / Express Post (Contract) also known as eParcel

- Maximum length 113cm (note a surcharge applies for all items between 106-113cm)
- Pricing varies according to the Sender's volume/spend with Australia Post (with standard zone/weight structures to ensure pricing reflects the weight/size and distance for each item).
- To qualify for contract, requires minimum \$20K spend per year (standard T&Cs)
- Signature on Delivery option is currently included in the standard offer

AMMUNITION

Star Track Road Express

- As per 2&5 +
- + DG Surcharge applies.
- + No restrictions operationally on quantity of ammunition. (However Skid/Pallet size and over consigned as Special Services.)

Star Track Special Services

- As per 6. Star Track Special Services

Additional ST Requirements:

- Ops Staff & PUD Toolbox training for awareness on 1.4s in the DGs network to ensure clarity of the actual risk vs perceived risk.
- Engagement with Unions to cover off education and awareness where applicable.
- ***Nil Ammunition will be able to be carried until, QLD, WA, NSW & TAS complete investigations into & obtain required licences if practical to comply with the conditions.***

BULK

5. Star Track Road Express

- As per 2. Startrack Road Express
- + Larger customers with multiple cartons including firearms for multiple locations.

6. Star Track Special Services

- Skid / pallet must be consigned as Special Services – Black shrink-wrap.
- Maximum length N/A however manual handling and oversize charges may apply (Refer Special Services Rate Card)
- Pricing varies according to the Sender's volume/spend. Requires minimum \$2K per month spend as per standard T&Cs
- Signature on Delivery option is currently included in the standard offer
- Firearms shipments only to occur on days of the week that don't require travel/storage over a weekend or public holiday. (Sales to provide transit guides on set up.)
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