



# Info Sheet – Transportation



## Information sheet for the transport of paintball markers in Germany.

(see also Anlage 2, Abschnitt 2, Unterabschnitt 2 Nr. 1.1 WaffG – Druckluft-, Federdruckwaffen und Waffen < 7,5 Joule). (German Weapon Law)

### The paintball marker has the following firing mechanism (check appropriate boxes):

- Compressed air** (currently unpressurized, pressure bottle empty on marker or filled and disconnected from marker)
- CO<sub>2</sub>** (currently unpressurized, gas cylinder empty on the marker or filled and disconnected from the marker)

This paintball marker is marked with an **“F-in-a-pentagon”** (see also Anlage II Abb. 10 BeschussV). This proof mark, assigned by the PTB in Braunschweig, indicates that this paintball marker has a kinetic energy of less than 7.5 joules and may therefore be possessed without a permit by individuals aged 18 and older (see also Anlage 2, Abschnitt 2, Unterabschnitt 2 Nr. 1.1 WaffG). The proof mark is only valid in conjunction with the registered mark at the PTB (§ 24 Abs. 6 WaffG).



**This paintball marker cannot fire in fully automatic mode.**

### Transport & Carrying:

The carrying of paintball markers with the F-proof mark is subject to a licensing requirement under § 10 Abs. 4 WaffG, which is generally not granted. For replica markers under 0.5 joules, a carrying ban under § 42a WaffG applies.

Transport is: Permitted in a locked container (e.g. tape, combination lock, cable ties, in a box, case, gun case, tied garbage bag, or a similar container is sufficient).

The marker must be stored in such a way that it takes more than three steps and more than three seconds to bring it to a ready position: **No. 12.3.3.2 WaffVwV** (German General Administrative Regulation on the Weapons Law)

**IMPORTANT** – If the paintball marker has a removable magazine, it may be loaded and stored in the same container as the marker, but the loaded magazine must not be inserted into the marker. If the magazine is empty, it may remain inserted in the marker.

- There is no round in the chamber (dry fire).

This information sheet is provided for clarity during a traffic stop and can also be downloaded from our association's homepage at [https://www.vdb-waffen.de/fachausschuss\\_info\\_sheet\\_transportation\\_paintball](https://www.vdb-waffen.de/fachausschuss_info_sheet_transportation_paintball)