Sales Tax on Admissions and Membership Fees
Imposed by Gun Clubs

Florida law generally requires dealers to collect sales tax on charges for admissions that allow entry to any place of amusement, sport, or recreation. Membership fees paid to organizations that provide physical fitness facilities or recreational facilities are also taxable admissions. Examples of taxable admissions and membership fees include charges for entry to golf courses, tennis courts, swimming pools, yachting, boating, athletic, exercise, and fitness facilities. The organization selling such an admission must collect sales tax on the fee charged.

Beginning July 1, 2015, admission charges or membership fees collected by organizations whose primary purpose is to provide shooting ranges for target or skeet shooting are not subject to sales tax.

References: Section 12, Chapter 2015-221, Laws of Florida; Section 212.04(2)(a)10., Florida Statutes

For More Information:

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