



**DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT  
REPORT TO THE 2026 LEGISLATURE**

**2025 ANNUAL REPORT ON THE USE AND DISCHARGE OF  
ELECTRIC GUNS**

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SECTION 134-16 (d), HRS  
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Chapter 134-16(d) of the Hawaii Revised Statutes states:

The county police departments of this State, the department of law enforcement, the department of land and natural resources, and the army and air national guard shall maintain records regarding every electric gun in their custody and control. The records shall report every instance of usage of the electric guns; in particular, records shall be maintained in a similar manner as for those of discharging of firearms. The county police departments, the department of public safety, the department of land and natural resources, and the army and air national guard shall annually report to the legislature regarding these records no later than twenty days before the beginning of each regular session of the legislature.

The Department of Law Enforcement (DLE) has 125 Axon Taser 7 conducted electric weapons in its operational inventory.

DLE's conducted electric weapons are currently being carried in the field in its Law Enforcement Division. Based on the safety provided by these weapons when they are carried, DLE recently acquired 200 Taser 10 weapons which are presently being planned for field use after training and policy development.

During 2025, DLE had one (1) incident of its conducted electric weapons being used in the field during confrontations with resistant subjects.

Date	Unit	Type of Call	Disposition	Discharge Type
02-17-25	Harbor	Stolen Vehicle	Suspect ran away and not identified	Probes discharged but missed target