## **INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION COURSE OUTLINE**

- A. **OVERVIEW:** This class will cover the techniques for proper deployment of and certification of end users in the use of the TASER<sup>®</sup> device(s).
- B. **TERMINAL LEARNING OBJECTIVES:** Given person(s) to be trained and a lesson plan, instruct person(s) in the proper deployment and safety of the TASER X/M26.
- C. **ENABLING LEARNING OBJECTIVES:** Without the aid of references, in accordance with the detailed lesson plan and manual, a certified trained user will accomplish the following:
  - 1. Pass the written test and demonstrate sufficient proficiency in the function and use of the TASER device(s).
  - 2. Understand how the TASER device(s) overrides and controls the sensory and motor functions of the nervous systems of a combative subject.
  - 3. Know proper finger position for aiming and firing.
  - 4. Be able to reload in a safe and proper manner.
  - 5. Control unit adequately when commanded "Arm Spark Safe" at random (understands safety switch and trigger fully).
  - 6. Know when the TASER device is armed and ready to deploy.
  - 7. Know how to properly check battery pulse rate, remove and reinstall batteries correctly.
  - 8. Know how to utilize the laser and fixed sights.
  - 9. Understanding of probe placement and ballistics.
  - 10. For TASER certification.
    - a. Draw TASER device and hit target at 8 feet, reload, and hit 2<sup>nd</sup> target at 12 feet with laser sight (time limit 10 seconds).
  - 11. Learn procedures to properly and safely remove probes from subject.
- D. **METHOD / MEDIA:** This class will be taught by the lecture / demonstration / scenario method.
- E. **EVALUATION:** Topics from this class will be evaluated via written tests, and via performance checklist during the practical applications conducted during the class.

**COURSE TIME**: Instructor Certification Course: 16 hours. User Certification Course: 6 hours minimum.

**CERTIFICATION:** Instructor certification is valid for two years. User certification is one year.