

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
WEST PALM BEACH DIVISION

CASE NO.: 07-80789 CIV-HURLEY/HOPKINS

LIDIA BOLANDER, Individually as the
surviving spouse of Timothy Bolander, and
as Personal Representative of THE
ESTATE OF TIMOTHY BOLANDER, et
al.

Plaintiffs,

vs.

TASER INTERNATIONAL, INC. et al.
Defendants.

**PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF FILING
SLIDES 200 AND 204 FROM TASER'S
M26 & X26 USER COURSE IN VERSION
14 OF ITS PRODUCT-TRAINING
MATERIALS**

Plaintiffs file the attached exhibits, Slides 200 and 200, with instructors notes, from
Taser's M26 & X26 User Course in Version 14 of its Product-training Materials.

The instructors notes to slide 200 state:

If only one probe strikes a subject, the drive-stun will act as a second probe by completing the cycle. In these incidents, the drive-stun should be applied at a location away from the probe to simulate a good probe spread and achieve incapacitation. This tactic works even if both probes strike the subject. If the probe spread is very minimal, due to a close shot or a drive-stun with a live cartridge, a drive-stun away from the probes will increase the spread and cause incapacitation.

(emphasis added)

The instructors notes to slide 204 state:

It is an acceptable technique to fire the cartridge from close range or in contact with the body of the subject. If needed the officer can then apply a drive-stun back-up with the cartridge still in place away from the deployed probes and cause a "three point" contact. This can cause NMI. Remember that a drive stun alone will usually not cause NMI.

(Emphasis added)

Respectfully Submitted,

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Drive Stun with Cartridge

A drive stun with a live cartridge can be an effective technique - the probes may fire into the subject

- Whenever practical avoid the head and throat
- Low risk of over penetration
- Cartridge may not deploy when in direct contact with subject, but will still have drive stun effect
- Probes can help maintain contact with a violent suspect
 - You can then apply a drive stun away from probes to achieve NMI

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Drive Stun Backup

- To use drive stun without firing probes, remove live cartridge
- The drive stun mode alone will not cause NMI. It generally acts as a pain compliance tool
- If not effective, evaluate location of drive stun, consider an additional cycle to a different pressure point, or consider alternative force options

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