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December 14, 2009

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President State Senate State Capitol Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Senator Hanabusa:

Subject: Report to the Legislature Concerning Electric Guns in the Custody and Control of the Honolulu Police Department (HPD)

In accordance with Section 134-16(d), Hawaii Revised Statutes, this letter will serve as the HPD's report to the legislature concerning electric guns and their use during the past year.

As of December 7, 2009, the HPD had 582 electric guns in its inventory.

During calendar year 2009 (up to December 7, 2009), HPD officers used electric guns to overcome resisting persons on 49 occasions.

Should you have any further questions or concerns, Major Janna Mizuo of the HPD's Internal Affairs may be contacted at 529-3286.

Sincerely,

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cc: The Honorable Brian T. Taniguchi

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For the year 2009, 26 officers were disciplined for 29 incidents.

Should there be any questions, Major Janna L. Mizuo of Internal Affairs may be contacted at 529-3286.

Sincerely,

LOUIS M. KEALOHA Chief of Police

Enclosure