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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

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RELATING TO FIREARMS.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1       SECTION 1. The legislature finds that carrying a lethal  
2 firearm as the only means of defense often increases danger to  
3 the public. Data demonstrates that lethal firearms intended to  
4 be wielded by a victim to defend themselves often end up being  
5 used against the victim or being used to kill another person,  
6 instead of being used successfully for self-defense. Other  
7 times, individuals using firearms in self-defense injure or kill  
8 innocent bystanders.

9       The legislature believes that carrying a lethal firearm for  
10 self-defense can often escalate a dangerous situation, rather  
11 than de-escalate it, and that requiring individuals carrying  
12 firearms to also carry non-lethal options for self-defense will  
13 improve safety for the carrier, the public, and law enforcement.

14       Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to:

- 15       (1) Prohibit persons with a license to carry a firearm  
16       from carrying a firearm on the licensee's person



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without also carrying an electric gun on the  
licensee's person; and

(2) Require a person's license to carry a firearm be  
revoked if the licensee carries a firearm without also  
carrying an electric gun.

SECTION 2. Chapter 134, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately  
designated and to read as follows:

**"§134- Carrying a firearm; requirement to carry an  
electric gun.** (a) A person with a license issued under section  
134-9 shall not carry a firearm on the licensee's person within  
the State without also carrying an electric gun on the  
licensee's person.

(b) A person's license issued under section 134-9 shall be  
subject to revocation under section 134-13 if the licensee  
violates subsection (a).

(c) For the purposes of this section, "electric gun" has  
the same meaning as defined in section 134-81."

SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
begun before its effective date.



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1 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

2 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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**Report Title:**

Firearms; Electric Guns; License to Carry; Revocation

**Description:**

Prohibits persons with a license to carry a firearm from carrying a firearm on the licensee's person without also carrying an electric gun on the licensee's person. Requires a person's license to carry a firearm be revoked if the licensee carries a firearm without also carrying an electric gun.

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