

A Bill for an Act Relating to Electric Guns.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. Section 134-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding new definitions to be appropriately inserted and to read as follows:

““Electric gun” means any portable device which is electrically operated to project a missile or electromotive force. It does not mean to include any electric livestock prod used in animal husbandry.

“Chief of police” means the chief of police of the counties of Hawaii, Maui, Kauai and the City and County of Honolulu.”

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

“Sec. 134- Restriction on possession, sale, gift or delivery. It shall be unlawful for any person, including a licensed manufacturer, licensed importer or licensed dealer, to possess, offer for sale, hold for sale, sell, give, loan, or deliver to another any electric gun.

Any person violating this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sec. 134- Confiscation and disposal. Any electric gun in violation of this section shall be confiscated and disposed of by the chief of police.”

SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the underscoring.*

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 10, 1976.)

*Edited accordingly.