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Sub Section 1.3 – Conducted Energy Weapons (CEW)	Effective: January 30, 2012
Subject 1.3.2 – Approved CEW Models	Revised effective: February 1, 2015

## Definitions

**“Conducted energy weapon” or “CEW”** – a weapon that when discharged uses a conducted electrical current in order to incapacitate a person, or to generate compliance through pain.

**“Officer”** – a constable appointed under the *Police Act* or an enforcement officer appointed under s. 18.1 of the *Police Act*.

## Standards

The chief constable, chief officer, or commissioner must ensure that:

### Approved CEW models

- (1) Only the CEW models approved by the director of police services are used. The approved models are: TASER® X26 and TASER® X26P.

### Policies and procedures

- (2) Policies and procedures are developed governing CEWs prior to CEWs being used.
- (3) Policies and procedures are consistent with these *BC Provincial Policing Standards*.