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DIVISION OF BUSINESS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
University Police Department

To: Melinda Latas, Chief Compliance Officer

From: Britta Steinbrenner, Interim Chief of Police

Date: September 23, 2026

Subject: CREW RESPONSE UNIT (CRU) Annual Regulated Tools and Equipment Report for Fiscal Year July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026

The University Police Department at California State University Channel Islands (CSUCI) is committed to transparency, communication, and engagement with members of the campus community. In July 2022, the Board of Trustees approved the system-wide Regulated Tools and Equipment policy, as recommended by the Chiefs of Police representing the twenty-two University Police Departments. The policy, adopted and published under Assembly Bill 481, requires every law enforcement agency in the State of California to publish certain information annually about specified equipment.

This fiscal year, CSUCI PD served as the central campus housing the CRU response equipment, which is deployed for training or for actual response requests involving any of our 22 campuses. CSUCI PD also hosts the logistics team that transports the required equipment to any training or call-out request.

Information on use, policy compliance, funding, and inventory for CRU's equipment for the fiscal year (July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026) is provided below:

Summary of how regulated tools and equipment were used, and the purpose of their use:

Current inventory of regulated tools and equipment: assigned to the Critical Response Unit and secured at the CSU Channel Islands Police Department.

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BRAND	Dept #	Status
40mm Launcher	**CSU SAC: 40524-01**	
40mm Launcher	CSU STAN: 24038	
40mm Launcher	**CSU SAC: 40523-01**	
40mm Launcher	CSU STAN: 24040	
40mm Launcher	CSU STAN: N/A	
40mm Launcher	**CSU SAC: 40525-01**	
40mm Launcher	CSU STAN: 24039	
40mm Launcher	**CSU SAC: 40522-01**	

CRU Less Lethal Shotgun		**1/26**
Less Lethal Shotgun	N/A	
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CRU Pepper ball		**Status**
Pepper ball Gun	CSUCRU P3	Unserviceable

CRU 37MM		
Def-Tec 37MM Launcher	CSULA: 0025712	Unserviceable
Def-Tec 37MM Launcher	CSULA: 0025711	
Def-Tec 37MM Launcher	CSULA: 0025713	
Def-Tec 37MM Launcher	CSULA: 0025710	

CRU FN303		
FN303 Launcher	CRU1	Unserviceable
FN303 Launcher	CRU3	
FN303 Launcher	CRU SOUTH	
FN303 Launcher	CRU NORTH	

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	Ammunition			
			Mfg Year	**Quantity**
1 Full Case Pepper Ball				None
40mm Rounds				
Extend Range Signal			MFG 2018	17
Green Maker Rounds			MFG 2023	154
Yellow Training Rounds			No MFG	15
Blue CS Gas Rounds			MFG Year 2018	28
Orange OC Rounds			MFG Year 2018	39

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CRU did not have any cases involving the use of the Def-Tec/LMT 40mm sponge-tip launchers or any of the above-listed equipment.

- CRU deployed the command-and-control vehicle to serve as the logistics and incident command post during their two training sessions on August13-15, 2025, and March 11-13,2026.
- CRU deployed to assist with a Cal Poly Campus event (Concert on the Green) on March 14 to 15, 2026, with no incidents to report.

Summary of any complaints or concerns received concerning regulated tools and equipment:

- CRU received no complaints or concerns regarding the use of the equipment and tools outlined in Assembly Bill 481.

Results of any internal audits, any information about violations of the regulated tools and equipment policy, and any actions taken in response:

- CRU received no audit findings or information about violations of the regulated tools and equipment policy.

Annual cost and source of funds for regulated tools and equipment:

- Total expenditures in 2026 to support training and readiness for the Def-Tec/LMT 40mm sponge-tip launchers were zero. CRU – CO would fund any expenses incurred from their general fund.
- CRU had no equipment expenditures in 2026 to support training and readiness for the command-and-control trailer.

Planned purchases of additional regulated tools and equipment:

- None.

To further our efforts toward transparency and open communication, UPD will host a community engagement event on October 16, 2026 at 1600 hours, at the John Spoor Broome Library to discuss the information listed in this CRU report along with CSUCI's annual regulated tools and equipment report. The event will be open to all CSUCI students, faculty, and staff and will offer in-person and Zoom attendance options.

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