



CITY OF KEY WEST  
Citizen Review Board  
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August 3, 2010

Chief Donie Lee  
Key West Police Department  
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RE: CRB Request for Taser Information

Dear Chief Lee:

On Monday July 26, 2010, during the Citizen Review Board (CRB) meeting, a number of questions came up regarding the KWPD's taser usage policies, procedures and usage in the field. A request was made to Inspector Randy Smith, who was in attendance, if there was any objection by the KWPD for the CRB to acquire statistics involving the use of the tasers in the field. Inspector Smith was unable to respond and deferred the request to you.

The CRB is interested in receiving data to track the amount of occasions the tasers are drawn, versus the number of times the tasers are discharged. Before any further discussions could unfold on this issue, the CRB requested I contact you via a letter to ask for your input on the matter.

The CRB intends to discuss this issue of taser data by the KWPD during the next CRB meeting on August 23, 2010 and your timely response would be appreciated so that a workable CRB policy of collecting taser data from the KWPD, agreeable to both the KWPD and the CRB, can be crafted and put into effect.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan C. Srch".

Susan Srch  
Chairperson

cc: Jim Scholl, City Manger  
CRB Members