Effective immediately, the color of the Inert Resettable Simulation Smart Cartridges has changed from clear to red. The color was changed to red to provide a visual indicator that non-firing cartridges are being used in the training environment. The Red Blast Doors should also assist in ensuring that these cartridges do not get inadvertently placed in the field.

The clear inert cartridges may continue to be utilized in the training environment. However, please continue to ensure that inert cartridges do not enter the field.

Please note: The Inert Resettable Simulation Smart Cartridges were developed as a training tool that allow students to safely learn all the cartridge icons on the TASER X2 CEW’s CID and to become familiar with semi-automatic mode without the expense of firing additional live cartridges.

When initially loaded, inert cartridges appear on the CID as a live 25-foot (7.6 m) cartridge. The student can practice selecting cartridges with the ARC switch. If the trigger is pulled, the selected inert cartridge will appear as an expended cartridge after the cycle has ended. The next inert cartridge will then be selected if the CEW is in semi-automatic mode. If the weapon is set to manual mode, the student will need to manually advance to “fire” the next cartridge.

To reset the cartridges, shift the safety switch to the down (SAFE) position for 3–10 seconds. The cartridges should then reappear on the CID as unexpended live cartridges when the safety switch is placed in the up (ARMED) position.

The inert cartridges run on a battery that should last for around 4,000 activation’s. The inert cartridges do not have shipping covers.

Old version with Clear Blast Doors (RETIRED AS OF 9/1/2019):
New Version with Red Blast Doors: