Breaching/ Forcible Entry for Patrol- 4 Hours

Course Materials

I. Student Equipment
   A. Eye Protection
      1. Googles or Wrap-Around Eye Protection
   B. Hearing Protection
   C. Gloves
   D. Long Sleeve Shirts
   E. Pants
   F. Boots

II. Instructor Equipment
   A. Classroom
      1. Chairs and Tables for Students
      2. Computer Capable of Displaying a PowerPoint Presentation and Internet Access
   F. Wood Façade or Training Door Frame
   G. 1” Square Aluminum Tubing cut
   H. Wood Screws for attaching Aluminum Tubing
   I. Consumables Used by Specific Forcible Entry Door

Course Outline

III. Introduction (.5 hours)
A. Safety Brief
   1. Safety Equipment
   2. Pre-Existing Issues
   3. Avoiding Injuries
   4. Firearms Safety during Training

B. Goals of the training
   1. Problem Solving
   2. Ability to “Read” Doors
   3. How to Properly and Safely Use Breaching Tools

C. Legal Considerations
   1. When to Make Forcible Entry
      a) Exigency
   2. Do You Need to Make Forcible Entry?

IV. Target Evaluation and Forcible Entry Tools (1 Hour)

A. **Common Barricades**

B. **Reading a Door**
C. Proper Choice and Use of Breaching Tools

V. Practical Exercises with Breaching Tools (2 Hours)