

724.8A Limitation on authority — nonprojectile high-voltage pulse weapons designed to immobilize — public universities and community colleges.

1. The governing board of a university under the control of the state board of regents as provided in [chapter 262](#) or a community college under the jurisdiction of a board of directors for a merged area as provided in [chapter 260C](#) shall not adopt or enforce any policy or rule that prohibits the carrying, transportation, or possession of a dangerous weapon that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person in the buildings or on the grounds of such a college or university, as long as such a dangerous weapon does not generate a projectile that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person, and such a dangerous weapon is not used in the commission of a public offense.

2. [This section](#) shall not apply to any policy or rule adopted or enforced by the governing board of a university under the control of the state board of regents as provided in [chapter 262](#) or a community college under the jurisdiction of a board of directors for a merged area as provided in [chapter 260C](#) that prohibits persons who have been convicted of a felony from carrying, transporting, or possessing a dangerous weapon that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person in the buildings or on the grounds of such a university or community college.

3. [This section](#) shall not apply to any policy or rule adopted or enforced by the governing board of a university under the control of the state board of regents as provided in [chapter 262](#) that prohibits the carrying, transportation, or possession of a dangerous weapon that directs an electric current, impulse, wave, or beam that produces a high-voltage pulse designed to immobilize a person inside the buildings or physical structures of any stadium or hospital associated with an institution governed by the state board of regents.

[2019 Acts, ch 94, §3](#); [2020 Acts, ch 1063, §376](#)

Referred to in [§80A.13](#), [260C.14A](#), [262.9D](#), [724.11](#)