



# BLUE BATON INSTRUCTION SHEET

**Important: Read instructions before use**

## **Congratulations on purchasing Blue Baton\*!**

Now your officers/soldiers can train with a realistic tool to prepare them for using an expandable/collapsible baton in the field.

Visit [www.bluebaton.ca](http://www.bluebaton.ca) for details and other training tips or call toll free 888-946-8079

To order additional Blue Batons please contact Setcan Corporation toll free at 866-353-5055 or [info@setcan.com](mailto:info@setcan.com). Visit [www.setcan.com](http://www.setcan.com) to see their complete selection of Reality Based Training Products and Instructor Level Certifications.

For more information and to order the Hindi baton cap please visit [www.batoncap.com](http://www.batoncap.com)

### **Caution:**

Although Blue Baton only weighs approximately 90 grams (3.5 oz) it can still cause injury (stinging/bruising) if struck against unpadding areas on a role player. The best protection for the hands is boxing-type gloves (as opposed to open fingered gloves) as well as inner and outer forearm/upper arm protection. The same type of padding should be worn for the legs. Use only certified quality padded training gear. Headgear and eyewear must also be worn in conjunction with RBT. Please check with your agency subject matter experts (certified reality based instructors) before using Blue Baton to strike role players.

### **Warning:**

Do not strike any deadly force area (head, neck, spine, clavicle, throat, groin etc.) with Blue Baton. It is best used on a striking dummy to simulate head/throat/neck, etc. targets.

### **Important:**

Prior to every session, simply unscrew and inspect all parts for dirt, other obstructions or damage. Please contact Blue Training Systems if there are any questions or concerns. Do not strike against hard surfaces such as walls, doors, frames, etc.

### **Baton Practice**

When practicing against a striking bag, the holder should wear gloves and eye protection in case of errant hits.

### **Closing the baton:**

- > Do not bang the tip against the floor (as sometimes performed to close a real baton).
- > Simply firmly grasp the striking section and the middle section. Twist the wrists in opposite directions and press down. Then perform the same action with the middle section and the handgrip section. Blue Baton will then be in the closed position and can be placed in the holster/scabbard either end up.

### **Switching end caps:**

- > Simply unscrew the end cap and tighten on the preferred shape cap. Do not over tighten.