DESCRIPTION

A NOVEL ELECTROSHOCK WEAPON

Related Technical Field of the Invention:

5 This invention relates to a new electroshock weapon which can be used both in contacted and contactless manner, by which a projectile is fired towards the target by a mechanical ejection system and the ejection process is performed silently.

10 State of the Art:

The movements performed by human body are controlled via electrical signals transmitted to the muscles by the brain. Accordingly, when electricity above a certain amount is applied to human body, motion signal is sent to muscles continuously and the muscles are kept in

- 15 contracture and the body becomes cannot function for a while. Said nonfunctional period not only depends on sensitivity of muscle system of the person but also on amount and duration of electrical current applied.
- 20 Electroshock devices which operate to utilize said nonfunctional state of body have been developed. The main operating principle of electroshock devices is to take down aimed living by applying a certain amount and a certain period of time electricity. Electroshock devices are particularly ideal apparatus in order to overcome the situations
 25 such as for security forces to catch dangerous persons, defenseless
- persons to protect themselves from attackers and wild animals to be temporarily taken down.

There are many different types of electroshock devices in the present art. Said electroshock devices are separated into different groups, particularly depending on their use. Said forms of utilization are divided into three categories as contact, wired and wireless.

Contact electroshock devices used in the state of the art are the 35 devices with many models and the ones used most commonly in the sector. These devices are used by direct contact with the target living. Two ends, one positive and other negative located on front section of the

device are contacted to the targeted living thereby shocking said living. Contact electroshock devices needed to be used at close range show very effective results. However, these devices are extremely ineffective for targets at long distance. It is a significant disadvantage that they can only be used on targets at distance of contacting. Particularly, if targeted living is dangerously aggressive and/or armed, use contact electroshock devices required to be

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10 Wired electroshock devices which are another electroshock device model used in the present art have generally the form of a handgun. These devices can simultaneously eject two end structures, one positive and other negative, to be ejected to targeted living from a certain distance. The positive and negative ends ejected towards the targeted 15 living also stay in connection with the wired electroshock device via

physically contacted becomes particularly difficult.

- 15 living also stay in connection with the wired electroshock device via single wires. Hence, the ends ejected to target have a range that can reach to targets at distances not to be farther than lengths of said wires.
- 20 Many problems are encountered in the present art regarding the said wired electroshock devices. The main one of these problems is the way that the positive and negative ends are ejected to the target. Conductive arrows carrying high voltage on wired electroshock devices are ejected at the same time to target by firing wired electroshock
- 25 device. Said two arrow structures, which form the positive and negative ends, are ejected to the target at high speed by a flammable gas explosion. This makes the flammable gas explosion obligatory for the ejection process, thus causing the system to be dangerous for the users. The ends consisting of arrows ejected by the explosion of
- 30 flammable gas may be deformed over time due to the explosion. Furthermore, the range that the arrows can be effective varies depending on the degree of the flammable gas explosion. Therefore, a dangerous ejection form is obtained.
- 35 Another problem related to the wired electroshock devices is the moving of the positively and negatively charged arrows ejected to the target away from each other until they reach the target. The arrows having a

few centimeter distance therebetween are separated from each other for tens of centimeter away until they reach the target depending on several factors such as distance to target, firing angle and wind after being fired. This prevents the device to operate at desired efficacy and leads to miss fire of the aimed target. Else, because of scattering, the target may be hit from undesired vital points (eye, throat, face, chest, etc.) after shooting thereby leading to serious injuries. Hence, it is not always possible that positive and negative charged arrows reach the target as desired while shooting via wired 10 electroshock devices. This is an essential problem frequently encountered in the present art.

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Another important problem encountered with the wired electroshock devices used in the state of the art is the presence of the wire 15 structure. The speed of the arrows are reduced, due to the fact that the positive and negative charged arrows sent to the target are constantly connected to the wired electroshock weapon via single cables. This requires said arrows to be fired at higher speeds. Thus, more energy is consumed during the firing of arrows. In addition, high 20 speed crashes may occur when the arrows are ejected at high speeds to targets at close distances, and this may lead to various injuries.

With the wired electroshock devices, electroshock device can be inactivated from time to time due to presence of the wire structure constantly connected to the arrows. The main reason of this situation 25 is that when the positive and negative charged arrows ejected towards the target did not yet reach the target, the wires to which the arrows are connected come into contact with each other. While the basic principle of electroshock devices is to ensure that an electric current 30 is passed on the target by the simultaneous contact of the positive and negative charged ends with the target living, the efficacy of the electroshock device is lost by the contact of the wires of the arrows with each other in the air before being in contact with the target. Because of aid wires, livings around and being not a target may be 35 subjected to electricity current when they accidently contact with the wire structures. Thereby, the presence of said wire structures both negatively affect the effective use of wired electroshock devices and

also create problems for the living around and being not a target. This requires a high level of attention during use of wired electroshock devices.

- 5 Another problem encountered with wired electroshock devices is that they have only one shock level. While no changes can be made on the shock level wanted be transmitted to the target, all targets are subjected to same amount of shock level although they have different sizes. This issue not only causes high shock level for some targeted
- 10 livings but also create the problem of inadequate shock level for some targeted livings. Therefore, it is problem in the present art since the wired electroshock devices have one non-adjustable shock level.

Another problem encountered regarding the wired electroshock devices used in the state of the art is that they have a structure not allowing burst firing. In said wired electroshock devices, the wires connected to the arrows are housed in a cartridge structure. When a target is fired, the wires in the cartridge go out of the wired electroshock device. This prevents the second shot with said wired electroshock device. For a second firing, a new cartridge ready for firing must be used and the wired electroshock device must be disconnected with the first fired wires. Therefore, said electroshock devices have a

25 Another structure used in the present art is wireless electroshock device. There is no wire connection between the arrows ejected towards living and the wireless electroshock device in said wireless structures. Thus, the problems arising due to presence of wire structure in wired electroshock devices are eliminated by the wireless 30 electroshock devices. However, based on properties of the wireless

structure not suitable for burst firing.

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electroshock devices, different problems are encountered in the state of the art.

Electroshock projectiles fired to living targets by wireless electroshock devices have structure having one positive and one negative end thereon. Both the positive end and negative end must be contacted with the target at the same time in order for said

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electroshock projectiles to be able to shock target. This requires the

shooting to be performed meticulously. It may be difficult to hit the target as desired, especially if the positive end and the negative end on the electroshock shocking projectile are positioned irregularly. If both ends do not come into contact with the target, the desired shock cannot be transmitted to the target and the target cannot be taken down.

The electroshock projectile ejected towards the target is fired by gas explosion or gunpowder explosion in the state of the art electroshock devices. This makes it obligatory for the wireless electroshock devices to cooperate with a chemical agent. Since the chemical substances always present a danger, extra measures are taken during the use of wireless electroshock devices. Therefore, the wireless electroshock devices with gas explosion or gunpowder explosion are structures which both present a danger for users and also use of which requires extra attention. Furthermore, the sound arising during ejecting process with gas explosion or gunpowder explosion in said wireless electroshock devices causes a serious noise problem.

- 20 Another problem encountered with the present art wireless electroshock devices is that the amount and duration of shock applied to the target living cannot be adjusted. Shock volume and applying duration exerted by electroshock projectiles to be fired to target in said electroshock devices are predetermined. Thus, shock volume and duration cannot be
- 25 changed after electroshock projectiles are ejected towards the target. This causes application of same shock volume each time for different type of targets and leads to problems of excessive shock for targets for which less shock is sufficient and of inadequate shock for targets for which more shock volume is needed. Therefore, not being able to adjust shock volumes and durations of electroshock projectiles on said
- wireless electroshock devices may cause serious problems.

Object of the Invention:

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The object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device 35 which operates wirelessly and has a structure capable of hitting targets within a certain range.

A further object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device capable of safely firing electroshock projectiles without comprising any chemicals therein.

Another object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock
5 device wherein the electroshock projectiles ejected towards the target living are capable of reaching the target such that it functions without having any scattering problems.

A further object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device generating low level of noise during the ejection process.

A further object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device wherein shock level and duration to be applied can be adjusted according to target living.

Another object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock
15 device which can control the ejected electroshock projectiles by wirelessly connecting them without any physical connection.

Another object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device which allows the electroshock projectiles ejected towards the target to re-shock said target when required.

A further object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device allowing for burst firing.

25 A further object of the invention is to provide a novel electroshock device which allows consecutive shocks in series to be fired to multiple targets without making any intervention on it.

Description of the Figures:

- 30 Figure 1. Electroshock Projectile Figure 2. Electronic Internal Structure of Electroshock Projectile Figure 3. Magazine Structure Figure 4. Electroshock Device The parts shown in the figures are enumerated individually and names 35 of the parts corresponding to these numbers are as follows:
 - 1. Upper Body

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2. Lower Body

	3.	Wing
	4.	Positive Needle
	5.	Negative Needle
	6.	Magazine
5	7.	Battery
	8.	Power Unit
	9.	Micro Switch
	10.	Receiving Antenna
	11.	Frequency Receiver
10	12.	Microprocessor
	13.	High Voltage Generator
	14.	Voltage Storage Means
	15.	Electronic Switch
	16.	Level Switcher
15	17.	Lid Safety
	18.	Ejection Conduit
	19.	Magazine Guide
	20.	Identification Tag
	21.	Electronic Connection Port
20	22	Igniter
	23.	Projectile Holder
	24.	Projectile Safety
	25.	Electronic Ignition Safety
	26.	Spring Holder
25	27.	Ejection Spring
	28.	Magazine Notch
	29.	Magazine Lid
	30.	Weapon Body
	31.	Audible Warning Unit
30	32.	Transmitting Antenna
	33.	Frequency Transmitter
	34.	Display Panel
	35.	Main Control Unit
	36.	Operation Mode Switcher
35	37.	Shooting Mode Switcher
	38.	High Voltage Source
	39.	Tag Reader
	40.	Power Unit
	41.	Main Battery
40	42.	Charging Connector
	43.	Charging Unit
	44.	Identification Antenna
	45.	Trigger
	46.	Apparatus Module
45	47.	Negative End
	48.	Positive End
	49.	Projectile Selection Button
	50.	Projectile Detector

- 51. Electroshock Projectiles
- 52. Electroshock Device

Description of the Invention:

- 5 The present invention relates to a novel electroshock device (52) which can operate both in contact also contactless, which has no wired connection, and by which shock volume and duration to be applied to target living can be adjusted as desired by the user. The subject matter electroshock device (52) consists of three basic
- 10 components as can be seen in Figures 1, 3 and 4. Said components are weapon body (30), magazine (6) and electroshock projectiles (51). Electroshock projectiles (51) are used by being positioned inside the magazine (6). And the magazine (6) is positioned into the weapon body (30). The subject matter electroshock device (52) is constituted by 15 the combination of these three components.
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The subject matter electroshock device (52) can be both used in contact manner and in also contactless manner owing to structure it has. The factor enabling in contact usage is the structure of the weapon body (30). And the contactless usage is ensured by electroshock projectiles (51) ejected towards the target. After said electroshock projectiles are ejected, they do not have any physical connection with the weapon body (30) and the magazine (6).

25 The structure of electroshock projectiles (51) can be seen in Fig. 1. Body portion of said electroshock projectiles (51) is formed by combination of an upper body (1) and a lower body (2) parts. At the rear end of the electroshock projectile (51), there is a wing (3) structure positioned at the connection point of the lower body (2) and 30 the upper body (1). Said wing (3) structure assists the ejected electroshock projectile (51) to travel in a straight direction in the air. There is one positive needle (4) and one negative needle (5) at the front end of the electroshock projectile (51). The main function of the positive needle (4) and the negative needle (5) is to ensure 35 that electroshock can be applied to the target living. To realize that, both the positive needle (4) and negative needle (5) must be contacted with the target. Since the positive needle (4) and the negative needle (5) are positioned at the front end of the electroshock

projectiles (51), said needles come into contact with target when the electroshock projectiles (51) are ejected towards the target. Thereby, desired shock can be applied to target living. Owing to the fact that the positive needle (4) and the negative needle (5) are manufactured of sterile materials, there is no risk of infection for the target living.

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target living.

The electroshock projectiles (51) located inside the subject matter electroshock device (52) has a special electronic internal structure 10 in order to apply desired electricity shock on target living. There are various units inside said electronic internal structure and all the controls regarding the shock to be applied on target are managed through these units.

- 15 The units inside the electronic internal structure of the electroshock projectiles (51) can be seen in Fig. 2. Said electronic internal structure has one battery (7). The battery (7) stores the energy needed for the electroshock projectile (51) to shock target living. It has a rechargeable structure. Thus, the battery (7) structure energy of which is reduced or finished after use of electroshock projectile (51) is recharged and the electroshock projectile (51) can be reused. The battery (7) structure is connected to one power unit (8). The power unit (8) generates the voltage levels required for units in the electronic internal structure by the energy it receives from the
- 25 battery (7) and supplies these units. Thereby, said units can obtain the energy they need to perform the functions they have.

The micro switch (9) structure is the leading unit in the electronic internal structures of the electroshock projectiles (51). The micro switch (9) ensures that the electroshock projectile (51) is electronically in inactive state when it is in the magazine (6) structure. By this measure, the electroshock projectiles (51) cannot be activated until they ejected out of the magazine (6). After the ejected electroshock projectiles (51) leave the magazine (6), they are activated by the micro switch (9) and are made ready to shock the

The micro switch (9) unit in the electronic internal structures of the electroshock projectiles (51) is in connection with the microprocessor (12). The microprocessor (12) is a control unit which ensures that the units within the electronic internal structure perform their duties. high voltage generator (13) connected to There is one the microprocessor (12). The high voltage needed for the shock to be applied by the electroshock projectile (51) to the target living is obtained by the fact that the high voltage generator (13) generates through the battery voltage. The high voltage generator (13) is controlled by the microprocessor (12). The high voltage generated by the high voltage generator (13) is stored in the voltage storage means (14).

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The voltage storage means (14) is connected to negative needle (5) from one side and to electronic switch (15) unit from other side. When 15 the electroshock projectile (51) is activated by being ejected towards the target, the voltage storage device (14) directly transmits the predetermined voltage to the negative needle (5). The voltage level to be transmitted to the positive needle (4) is transmitted through 20 the electronic switch (15) unit located between the voltage storage means (14) and the positive needle (4). Thus, the voltage to be transmitted to the positive needle (4) is transferred under control of electronic switch (15). And the electronic switch (15) is controlled by the microprocessor (12). In cases where the electroshock projectile (51) should be activated by reaching the target, the microprocessor 25 (12) allows the positive needle (4) to be loaded with voltage by signaling command to the electronic switch (15). In accordance with the command from the microprocessor (12), the electronic switch (15) ensures that the high voltage in the voltage storage means (14) is

30 transmitted to the positive needle (4) and that the high voltage stored in the electroshock projectile (51) is applied to the target in a controlled manner.

The electronic internal structure of the electroshock projectile (51) 35 has a level switch (16). Said level switch (16) is directly connected to the microprocessor (12). The level switch (16) is the unit that determines that how much and how long the electroshock projectile (51)

applies shock to the target. According to the preference of the users, the level switch (16) transmits the respective values to the microprocessor (12) and ensures that the electroshock projectile (51) operates according to said values. Further, there is a receiving 5 antenna (10) structure within the electronic internal structure. Said receiving antenna (10) has a structure detecting the command signals that the weapon body (30) sends to the electroshock projectile (51) after the electroshock projectile (51) is ejected. The receiving antenna (10) has a structure capable of detecting commands transmitted 10 by radio frequencies. It transmits the commands that are detected to a frequency receiver (11) connected to itself. The frequency receiver (11) transmits the commands sent in the form of radio signals to the microprocessor (12) by making them detectable by the microprocessor (12). By this means, it is possible to control the electroshock 15 projectiles (51) wirelessly even after ejection.

The electroshock projectiles (51) within the subject matter electroshock device (52) are used by being positioned inside the magazine (6) structure. The structure of said magazine (6) can be seen 20 in Fig. 3. The electroshock projectiles (51) are positioned within the ejection conduits (18) within the magazine (6). The number of the electroshock projectiles (51) correspond to the number of ejection conduit (18) in the magazine (6) structure. The maximum number electroshock projectile (51) loaded at one time varies according to the structure of the magazine (6) of the electroshock device (52). The 25 number of ejection conduits (18) of the magazine (6) may preferably be at desired number being at least one. Accordingly, electroshock projectiles (51) as many as existing ejection conduits (18) can be ejected rapidly by electroshock device (52). An exemplary electroshock 30 device (52) having three ejection conduits (18) can be seen in Fig. 4.

There is a magazine guide (19) structure on outer lower part of bottom portion of the magazine (6). The magazine guide (19) is the structure 35 that allows the magazine (6) to fit into the weapon body (30). There is a magazine notch (28) on outer part of upper portion of the magazine (6). The magazine notch (28) ensures that the magazine (6) is secured

after being positioned inside the weapon body (30). There is one identification tag (20) positioned at any location on the magazine (6). The identification tag (20) is an identifying unit that allows the weapon body (30) to recognize the magazine (6) structure and to determine the identities of the electroshock projectiles (51) inside the magazine (6). Also, there is an electronic connection port (21) positioned at any location on the magazine (6). The electronic connection port (21) is responsible for providing the electronic connection between the magazine (6) and the weapon body (30).

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There is a spring holder (26) positioned to be at the closed end and behind the electroshock projectile (51) inside of each ejection conduit (18) located in the magazine (6). The spring holder (26) is responsible for securing ejection spring (27) positioned right on it. And the ejection spring (27) positioned on the spring holder (26) is responsible for sending the electroshock projectile (51) located right in front of it with high speed towards the target when the firing structure which is activated. The ensures process that the electroshock projectile (51) is fixedly retained ready for firing is the projectile holder (23). The projectile holder (23) is a structure located in an individual manner in each ejection conduit (18), connected right onto center point of closed end of ejection conduit (18) and connected to the electroshock projectile (51) from the center of its rear end by passing through the spring holder (26) and the ejection spring (27). When the electroshock projectile (51) is to be fired, the projectile holder (23) separate thus allowing the shooting of the electroshock projectile (51).

At the end portion of the projectile holder (23) connected to ejection conduit (18), there are igniters (22) positioned such that they are respectively in each projectile holder (23). The igniters (22) positioned in closed ends of each ejection conduit (18) such that they are behind the spring holder (26) as well are the main components ensuring the firing of electroshock projectiles (51). The igniters (22) electronically activate the electroshock projectile (51). The igniters (22) activated by the firing command ensure that the projectile holder (23) on which the igniters are located is separated

by dissipating high heat. As soon as the projectile holder (23) is separated, the electroshock projectile (51) is released and is ejected from the ejection conduit (18) by the pushing force of the ejection spring (27) behind it. Furthermore, there is an electronic ignition safety (25) positioned at any location on the magazine (6). The electronic ignition safety (25) prevents the ejection of the electroshock projectile (51) by blocking the activation of the igniter (22) in cases when the magazine (6) is not inserted into the weapon body (30). By this means, an electronic protection is ensured.

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Inside the magazine (6), in each ejection conduit (18), there are projectile safety (24) structures positioned right in front of electroshock projectile (51) secured into the magazine (6). The projectile safety (24) ensures that the electroshock projectile (51) 15 remains fixed in the ejection conduit (18) in cases when the magazine (6) is not inserted into the weapon body (30). Moreover, there is a magazine lid (29) at the open end of each ejection conduit (18) within the magazine structure (6). Said magazine lids (29) can be opened manually by the users and also can be opened as a result of the rapid 20 impact of the electroshock projectiles (51) fired when in closed position. Therefore, it is possible to perform shooting with the subject matter electroshock device (52) even if the magazine lids (29) are in closed position. Right in front of the magazine lids (29), there is a lid safety (17) which is positioned so as to be inside of the ejection conduits (18). In cases when the magazine (6) structure 25 is not inserted into the weapon body (30), the lid safety (17) avoids the ejection of electroshock projectile (51) out of the magazine (6) by preventing the magazine lid (29) from opening if the projectile safety (24) is released.

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There is a main control unit (35) located at any point within the weapon body (30), which constitutes the largest part of the subject matter electroshock device (52). The main control unit (35) is the control unit which manages the entire control of the electroshock device (52). Furthermore, it also ensures the communication control between the units. The main control unit (35) is capable of applying electricity to the target after the shot by remotely controlling the

electroshock projectiles (51) ejected towards the target. There are one transmitting antenna (32) structure and frequency transmitter (33) structures positioned on any point on the weapon body (30). Said structures are those which help the main control unit (35) to control the ejected electroshock projectiles. The main control unit (35)

- transmits commands that are to be sent to the ejected electroshock projectiles (51) to the frequency transmitter (33). The frequency transmitter (33) transmits the commands coming from the main control unit (35) to the transmitting antenna (32) by transforming them to
- 10 radio frequencies. The commands made to be transmittable for the transmitting antenna (32) are signaled to receiver antenna (10) within the electroshock projectile (51) by the transmitting antenna (32). Thereby, the main control unit (35) is able to send commands to ejected electroshock projectiles, and the target living can be subjected to
- 15 additional shock effect in case of need.

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The subject matter electroshock device (52) has a structure that is capable of also applying contacted shock to target livings. In this context, the weapon body (30) has one positive end (48) and one 20 negative end (47) structures. The positive end (48) and the negative end (47) structures are positioned on any two points on the edge portion of the space in which the magazine 6 is positioned in the weapon body (30) in a manner that they do not to contact each other. The outwardly facing end portions of the positive end (48) and the negative end (47) structures are slightly protruding with respect to 25 the weapon body (30). When a targeted living is desired to be subjected to contacted electroshock by the subject matter electroshock device (52), desired shocking process can be performed when the electroshock device (52) is contacted with the target such that both positive end 30 (48) and the negative end (47) contact with the target at the same time. Therefore said electroshock device (52) can be preferably used in contacted manner.

There is one main battery (41) structure positioned on any point within 35 the weapon body (30). The main battery (41) is responsible for storing energy to meet the energy requirement of all the units within the weapon body (30). There is one power unit (40) connected to the

structure of the main battery (41) and positioned on any point on the weapon body. The power unit (40) converts the energy it receives from the main battery (41) to proper voltage levels so that the units within the electroshock device (52) can use them. Thereby, the voltage levels 5 needed by the units within the weapon body (30) are provided. When the electroshock device (52) is desired to be used in contacted manner, the shock voltage that the positive end (48) and the negative end (47) transmit to the target living is supplied by the high voltage source (38) positioned at any point within the weapon body (30). The high 10 voltage source (38) controlled by the main control unit (35) generates the high voltage to be used by the electroshock device (52) that operates in contacted shocking mode, and generates shock voltage applied to the target as long as the user continues pulling the trigger (45) when in contacted shock mode.

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There is a display panel (34) at any location within the weapon body (30). The display panel (34) is a module showing detailed information about the electroshock device (52), such as the number of present electroshock projectile (51) in the magazine (6), and the present 20 battery level of the electroshock device (52). By this means, the users can instantly check the details about the current state of the electroshock device (52) whenever desired. Also, there is an audible warning unit (31) located at any point within the weapon body (30). The users are audibly informed about the status of the electroshock device (52) via said audible warning unit (31). Information such as 25 whether the electroshock device (52) is ready for firing or in the safety position, burst firing status, the number of electroshock projectiles (51) in the magazine (6), and the charging status of the electroshock device (52) can be instantly showed to the user.

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There is an operation mode switcher (36) and a shooting mode switcher (37) positioned at any point on the weapon body (30). Said operating mode switcher (36) functions to adjust the current state of the electroshock device (52). With the operating mode switcher (36), the electroshock device (52) can be switched between three different modes. The first of those modes is "safety" mode. In the safety mode, the electroshock device (52) is prevented from firing. So that, the

electroshock device (52) is kept in safety mode when not in use. The second mode of the operating mode switcher (36) is the "semi-automatic firing" mode. In the semi-automatic mode, the electroshock projectiles (51) within the electroshock device (52) are fired one by one to the target respectively. The third mode of the operating mode switcher (36) is the "burst firing" mode. In the burst firing mode, the electroshock projectiles (51) within the electroshock device (52) are fired consecutively in serial manner. Therefore, when all the electroshock projectiles (51) are desired to be fired rapidly, then the burst firing mode is used.

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- The shooting mode switcher (37) in the electroshock device (52) is a unit used when the "burst firing" mode is selected in the operation mode switcher (36). The shooting mode switcher (37) ensures that the way of burst firing mode to be performed is adjusted. The burst firings to be performed with the shooting mode switcher (37) can be done in two different ways. The first mode of the shooting mode switcher (37) is the "classic burst" mode. When firing in classic burst mode, the electroshock projectiles (51) within the electroshock device (52) are
- pulls the trigger (45). The electroshock projectiles (51) in the electroshock device (52) remain in the magazine (6) as soon as the user removes his/her finger from the trigger (45) and are not fired. The "explosion" mode, which is the second mode of the shooting mode
- 25 switcher (37) operates differently. When firing in explosion mode, all the electroshock projectiles (51) within the electroshock device (52) are consecutively fired to the target living when the user pulls the trigger (45) once. Thus, there is no need to pull the trigger (45) for a some time in order to fire electroshock projectiles (51), and all
- 30 the electroshock projectiles (51) are successively fired with only one pulling movement.

The weapon body (30) has an identification antenna (44). The identification antenna (44) receives information about the magazine (6) by reading the identification tag (20) included in the magazine (6) structure. It transmits the information it received to the tag reader (39) again which is located at any point within the weapon body (30). The tag reader (39) identifies the electroshock projectiles (51)

contained in the magazine (6) by detecting the data from the identification antenna (44). Thus, the weapon body (30) can identify the types of electroshock projectiles (51) included in the magazine (6). By this means, the information of the existing electroshock projectiles (51) can be displayed on the display panel (34).

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There is a charging connector (42) positioned at any point within said weapon body (30). The subject matter electroshock device (52) can be charged via the charging connector (42). Any charging adapter 10 structure capable of charging said electroshock device (52) is connected to the electroshock device (52) through the charging connector (42). The charging adapter connected to the charging connector (42) charges the battery (41) structure through the charging unit (43) positioned at any point within the weapon body (30). The charging unit (43) is the unit performing the charging process of the battery (41).

There is a projectile selection button (49) located at any point on the weapon body (30) of the subject matter electroshock device (52). 20 By means of the projectile selection button (49), it is possible to make selection between the electroshock projectiles (51) fired to the target. Thereby, it is possible to apply additional shock to target living on which the electroshock projectile (51) chosen is located. The existence of the electroshock projectiles (51) present within the magazine (6) can be detected instantly by means of a projectile 25 detector (50) located at any point on the weapon body (30). The projectile detector (50) detects the information which of the electroshock projectiles (51) within the magazine (6) are ejected and which are not ejected and transmits these data to the main control 30 unit (35). By this means, the main control unit (35) can be instantly informed about the status of the electroshock projectiles (51) contained in the magazine (6).

There is an apparatus module (46) integral with the weapon body (30), 35 at lower side of end portion of the weapon body (30) wherein it has the magazine (6) cavity. The apparatus module (46) in question can be seen in Fig. 4. The main duty of the apparatus module (46) is to form

a portion on which accessory components such as laser, camera, and flashlight can be attached. Said accessory components which may be needed during the use of the electroshock device (52) are positioned into the apparatus module (46). Said accessory components may preferably be used individually by being positioned on the apparatus module (46) and also they may be used by being positioned on the apparatus module (46) to be together with different combinations.

The subject matter electroshock device (52) can be used both in 10 contacted manner and also remotely depending completely on the preferences of the users. Hence, applying different ways of use in different cases is possible. By means of the fact that the electroshock projectiles (51) used with the electroshock device (52) are wireless, there is no possibility to encounter any problem due to wires during 15 use.

By means of the structure of said electroshock device (52), the electroshock projectiles (51) can be controlled wirelessly even after being fired to the target. By means of internal structures of the electroshock projectiles, it possible that (51) the electroshock projectiles (51) fired to the target can apply additional shocks to the target. The duration and volume of said additional shocks can completely vary depending on the user preferences, and can be readily adjusted from the weapon body (30). The status of the electroshock projectiles (51) can be constantly controlled by said electroshock device (52).

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CLAIMS

1. Novel electroshock device (52) comprising at least one **electroshock projectile (51)** which is used by being positioned into a magazine (6) 5 and ensures that a target is subjected to shock by being fired to the target, and which has no physical connection with the magazine (6) or with a weapon body (30) after being fired to the target; body part of which consists of a combination of an upper body (1) and a lower body (2) part, and which has a wing (3) structure on its rear end that 10 helps for traveling in a straight line in the air, and which has a positive needle (4) and a negative needle (5) positioned so as to contact with the target on its front end, and

which has **an electronic internal structure** comprising; a **battery** (7) storing energy required for the electroshock projectile (51) 15 to shock the target living in order to apply desired electrical shock to the target living and being in a rechargeable structure; a **power unit (8)** generating voltage levels needed for units in the electronic internal structure by the energy it receives from the battery (7) and supplying those units; a micro switch 20 structure (9) ensuring that the electroshock projectile (51) is electronically in inactive state when it is in the magazine (6) structure; a **microprocessor** (12) being a control unit which ensures that the units within the electronic internal structure perform their duties; a high voltage generator (13) generating the high voltage needed for the shock to be applied by the electroshock projectile (51) to the target living through the battery voltage and being controlled by the microprocessor (12); a voltage storage means (14) storing the high voltage generated by the high voltage generator (13), being connected to negative 30 needle (5) from one side and to an electronic switch (15) unit from other side, and controlling the voltage to be transmitted to the negative needle (5); an *electronic switch* (15) located between the voltage storage means (14) and the positive needle (4) and controlling the voltage to be transmitted to the positive needle (4); a **receiver antenna (10)** having a structure capable of detecting commands transmitted by radio frequencies and detecting the command signals that the weapon body (30) sends to

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the electroshock projectile (51) after the electroshock projectile (51) is fired; a **frequency receiver (11)** transmitting commands received in the form of radio signals detected by the receiver antenna (10) to the microprocessor (12) by making them detectable by the microprocessor (12) and thus, ensuring that the electroshock projectiles (51) can be wirelessly controlled even after being fired; and a **level switch (16)** directly connected to the microprocessor (12), transmitting the respective values to the microprocessor (12) and ensuring that the electroshock projectile (51) operates according to said values, determining that how much and how long the electroshock projectile (51) would apply shock to the target;

a magazine (6) used by being positioned inside the weapon body (30), being responsible for housing the electroshock projectiles (51) to be 15 fired to the target, having at least one ejection conduit (18) in each of which an electroshock projectile (51) is placed, having an ejection spring (27) responsible for launching the electroshock projectiles (51) inside of each ejection conduit (18) towards the target and having an identification tag (20) ensuring that the weapon body (30) recognize 20 the magazine (6) structure and identify the electroshock projectiles

- (51) contained in the magazine (6) by being positioned on any point; a **weapon body (30)** comprising a main control unit (35) responsible for housing the magazine (6) structure containing the electroshock projectiles (51) in it, having a structure in which the magazine (6)
- 25 structure can be fitted, both managing all the controls of the electroshock device (52) by being positioned on any point and making it possible to apply electroshock on the target also after the firing by remotely controlling fired electroshock projectiles (51), a *positive end (48)* and a *negative end (47)* structures positioned on any
- 30 two point on the edge part of the cavity in which the magazine (6) is positioned on the weapon body (30) so as not to contact each other, and which can operate both in contacted manner and also contactless, which has no wired connection, and by which shock volume and duration to be applied to target living can be adjusted as desired by the user.
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2. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a **projectile holder (23)** positioned in each

ejection conduit (18) of the **magazine (6)** it has, connected to center of closed end of the ejection conduit (18) and engaged from the wing (3) of the electroshock projectile (51) by passing through spring holder (26) and ejection spring (27) and ensuring that the electroshock projectile (51) is held ready for being fired.

3. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; *it comprises igniters (22)* included by each projectile holder (23) of the **magazine (6)** it has and being positioned to be at the rear part of the spring holder (26), ensuring that the projectile holder (23) on which it is located is separated by means of dissipating high heat when activated and that the electroshock projectiles (51) are

- 15 4. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *spring holder (26)* positioned to be at the closed end inside of each ejection conduit (18) and behind the electroshock projectile (51) of the magazine (6) it has, beisng responsible for securing the ejection spring (27).
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5. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an *electronic connection port (21)* positioned on any point of the **magazine (6)** it has and ensuring the electronic connection between the magazine (6) and the weapon body (30).

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6. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an **electronic ignition safety (25)** positioned on any point of the **magazine (6)** it has and preventing the ejection of the electroshock projectile (51) by blocking the activation of the igniter (22) in cases when the magazine (6) is not inserted into the weapon body (30).

7. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *magazine notch (28)* positioned on the outer 35 surface of the upper portion of the magazine (6) it has and ensuring that the magazine (6) is secured after being positioned inside the weapon body (30).

8. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *magazine guide (19)* positioned on the outer lower part of the bottom portion of the *magazine (6)* it has and ensuring that the magazine (6) is fitted into the weapon body (30).

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9. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises *magazine lids (29)* positioned to be one in open end portion of each ejection conduit (18) of the **magazine (6)** it has, and opened manually by the users and also being opened as a result of the rapid impact of the electroshock projectiles (51) fired when in closed position, thus allowing the electroshock device (52) to perform shooting.

15 10. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a projectile safety (24) contained in each ejection conduit (18), positioned right in front of the electroshock projectile (51) secured into the magazine (6) it has, and ensuring that the electroshock projectile (51) remains fixed in the ejection 20 conduit (18) in cases when the magazine (6) is not inserted into the weapon body (30).

11. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a lid safety (17) positioned inner portion of the ejection conduits (18) so as to be right in front of the magazine lids (29) of the magazine (6) it has, and avoiding the ejection of electroshock projectile (51) out of the magazine (6) by preventing the magazine lid (29) from opening if the projectile safety (24) is released in cases when the magazine (6) structure is not inserted into the weapon body (30).

12. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an **audible warning unit (31)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, and providing voice information 35 to the users about the status of the electroshock device (52).

13. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a **display panel (34)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, and showing information about the electroshock device (52), such as the number of present electroshock projectile (51) in the magazine (6), and the present battery level of the electroshock device (52).

14. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *frequency transmitter (33)* positioned at any
10 point on the weapon body (30) it has, and transmitting the commands coming from the main control unit (35) to the transmitting antenna (32) by transforming them to radio frequencies in order to send to ejected electroshock projectiles (51).

- 15 15. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a transmitting antenna (32) positioned at any point on the weapon body (30) it has, and transmitting the radio frequency commands from the frequency transmitter (33) to the receiver antenna (10) inside the electroshock projection (51).
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16. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an **operating mode switch (36)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, enabling the electroshock device (52) to be able to adjust its current state, allowing it to operate in either "safety" mode, "semi-automatic" mode or "burst fire" mode.

17. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *shooting mode switcher (37)* positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has and allowing the burst firing to 30 be performed either in "classic burst" mode or in "explosion" mode in cases when the "burst fire" mode on the operating mode switcher (36) is chosen.

18. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized
35 in that; it comprises a *main battery (41)* positioned at any point on the weapon body (30) it has, being responsible for storing energy to

meet the energy requirement of all the units requiring energy within the weapon body (30).

19. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized 5 in that; it comprises a power unit (40) positioned at any point on the weapon body (30) it has, connected to the main battery (41), and being responsible for transforming the energy it receives from the main battery (41) into suitable voltage levels in order that the units contained in the electroshock device (52) can utilize.

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20. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a **high voltage source (38)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, controlled by the main control unit (35), generating the shock voltage applied to the target as long as the user pulls the trigger (45) for the electroshock device (52) operating in contacted shock mode.

21. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *charging unit (43)* positioned at any point on the weapon body (30) it has, and enabling the electroshock device (52) to be charged via the charging connector (42) of the electroshock device (52).

22. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an *identification antenna (44)* positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, reading the identification tag (20) of the magazine (6) and receiving information about the magazine (6) and transmitting the these information to a tag reader (39) on the weapon body (30).

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23. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a **tag reader (39)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, and ensuring the identification of the electroshock projectiles (51) in the magazine (6) by detecting the data coming from the identification antenna (44).

24. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a **projectile detector (50)** positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, and instantly determining the presence of electroshock projectiles (51) in the magazine (6) and transmitting to the main control unit (35) the information of which electroshock projectiles (51) in the magazine (6) are ejected out and which are not.

25. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises a *projectile selection button (49)* positioned at any point on the **weapon body (30)** it has, allowing to make selection between fired electroshock projectiles (51) in order to apply additional shock to the target living on which it is contacted.

15 26. The electroshock device (52) according to Claim 1, characterized in that; it comprises an *apparatus module (46)* positioned at any point on the weapon body (30) it has, forming a portion integral with the weapon body (30); wherein accessory components such as laser, camera, flashlight can be attached.

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ABSTRACT

A NOVEL ELECTROSHOCK WEAPON

- 5 This invention relates to a new electroshock weapon which can be used both in contacted and contactless manner, by which a projectile is fired towards the target by a mechanical ejection system without any wire connection, and by which the shock volume and shock duration to be applied to target living can be adjusted as desired and the ejection
- 10 process is performed silently.