CLAIMS

1. A firearm repository (10) comprising:

a) a box like housing chamber; and

b) a storage box (26) insertable and removable from the box like housing chamber;

wherein the repository (10) includes two upstanding sidewalls (14, 14'), a base (16) and a top portion (18) and a front portion (20) and wherein the front portion (20) is further provided with a plurality of slots (24) into which the storage box (26) is inserted therein; and

wherein the storage box (26) is a square shaped or rectangular shape box with a storage compartment and a lid or cover and wherein the storage compartment further includes recessed foam portions identical in shape to a corresponding weapon, set of handcuffs, and a baton enabling these items to be securely placed into it.

2. A repository (10) as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the lid of the storage box (26) is either transparent or a solid lid.

3. A repository (10) as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the recess in the foam can be changed according to the corresponding weapon, set of handcuffs, and baton which will be securely held therein.

4. A repository (10) as claimed in Claim 1, wherein for added security, the storage box (26) is also embedded with a number of sensors, such as weight sensors, infra-red sensors, motion sensors, fingerprint sensors.

5. A repository (10) as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the entire repository (10) is provided with a plurality storage boxes (26) or only part of the repository (10) is provided with storage boxes (26) while the remainder is designed to store other weapons.

6. A repository (10) as claimed in Claim 1, wherein insertion and removal of the storage box (26) from the slots (24), is either done manually, or via an automatic system, the latter employing hydraulics, pneumatics or mechanical means to move the storage box (26) in and out of a particular slot (24).

7. A repository as claimed in Claim 1, wherein the baton is a side handle baton.