

## CATEGORIES OF ITEMS DEFINED IN AB 481

Enumerated through Government Codes, AB 481 created the following 15 categories of items deemed as military equipment. Listed is a summary of all fifteen (15) categories, along with the categories of military equipment utilized by the Salinas Police Department or currently included in its inventory (as noted with an asterisk).

<b>*Category 1:</b>	Unmanned, remotely piloted, powered aerial or ground vehicles
<b>*Category 2:</b>	Mine-resistant ambush-protected (MRAP) vehicles or armored personnel carriers
<b>Category 3:</b>	High mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicles (HMMWV), two-and-one-half-ton trucks, five-ton trucks, or wheeled vehicles that have a breaching or entry apparatus attached
<b>Category 4:</b>	Tracked armored vehicles that provide ballistic protection to their occupants
<b>*Category 5:</b>	Command and Control vehicles that are either built or modified to facilitate the operational control and direction of public safety units
<b>Category 6:</b>	Weaponized aircraft, vessels, or vehicles of any kind
<b>*Category 7:</b>	Battering rams, slugs, and breaching apparatuses that are explosive in nature
<b>*Category 8:</b>	Firearms of .50 caliber or greater, excluding standard-issue shotguns
<b>Category 9:</b>	Ammunition of .50 caliber or greater, excluding standard-issue shotgun ammunition
<b>*Category 10:</b>	Specialized firearms and ammunition of less than .50 caliber, including assault weapons as defined in sections 30510 and 30515 of the penal code.
<b>*Category 11:</b>	Any firearm accessory that is designed to launch explosive projectiles
<b>*Category 12:</b>	“Flash-bang” grenades and explosive breaching tools, “tear gas,” and “pepper balls,” excluding standard, service-issued handheld pepper spray
<b>Category 13:</b>	TASER® Shockwave, microwave weapons, water cannons, and long-range acoustic devices
<b>*Category 14:</b>	The following projectile launch platforms and their associated munitions: 40mm projectile launchers, “bean bag,” rubber bullet, and specialty impact munition (SIM) weapons
<b>Category 15:</b>	Any other equipment as determined by a governing body or a state agency to require additional oversight

**\*Salinas Police Department has equipment in these categories.**