

Subject Extending certain deadlines for action by the POST Board

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Overview

This bill amends several deadlines for the Peace Officer Standards and Training Board to take actions and require certain training, and amends the purposes for which an appropriation to the POST Board can be used.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Meetings. Extends the deadline for the first meeting of the Ensuring Police Excellence and Improving Community Relations Advisory Council from September 1, 2020, to October 15, 2020.
2	Report on alleged misconduct; database; report. Amends the deadline by which a chief law enforcement officer must submit certain data to the POST Board from January 15, 2021, to July 1, 2021.
3	In-service training required. Requires that in-service training in crisis intervention and mental illness crises; conflict management and mediation; and recognizing and valuing community diversity and cultural differences be provided by an approved entity beginning July 1, 2021. Provides that peace officers (1) with a license renewal date before June 30, 2022, and (2) who received the training mandated under paragraph (a) before July 1, 2021, are not required to receive this training by an approved entity until the officer's next full three-year licensing cycle. Requires officers with a license renewal date of June 30, 2022, or later receive minimum of six hours for crisis intervention and mental illness crisis training and four hours to ensure safer interactions between peace officers and persons with autism in compliance with section 626.8474. The legislation passed in the Second Special Session did not include dates establishing when compliance with the new training requirements would be required.

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4	<p>Preservice training required.</p> <p>Amends the deadline by which preservice training for potential officers on ensuring safer interactions between peace officers and persons with autism must be completed before the person can take the peace officer licensing examination from July 2021 to July 2022.</p>
5	<p>Appropriation; peace officer crisis intervention and mental illness crisis training.</p> <p>Amends the appropriation of \$145,000 to the POST Board by eliminating the requirement that the money be used to reimburse law enforcement agencies for intervention and mental illness crisis training expenses and permits the board to use the money to staff and meet the new requirements for the board in relation to training in crisis intervention and mental illness crises; conflict management and mediation; and recognizing and valuing community diversity and cultural differences.</p>



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