




Southern Illinois Criminal Justice Training Program

Mobile Team Unit 15

Training Announcement

Name of Class		Class ID#	Course ID#
Laws Concerning Stops, Searches and Use of Force		124191	71825
Date of Training	Time	Hours	Location
March 14, 2022	08:30–14:30 hrs	6	MTU 15 Headquarters 1740 Innovation Drive, Room 151 Carbondale, IL
Course Description			
<p>The Illinois Safety, Accountability, Fairness & Equity – Today (SAFE-T) Act requires law enforcement officers to receive 6 hours of training every three years on <i>Laws Concerning Stops, Searches and Use of Force</i>. This training satisfies that requirement.</p>			
Course Objectives			
<p>This course includes a detailed presentation on the following Illinois Use of Force laws, 720/ILCS 5/7:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defense of Person • Defense of Dwelling • Defense of Other Property • Use of Force by an aggressor • Making Arrest • Prohibited Use of Force by a Police Officer • What is Deadly Force • Prevention of Escape • Duty to Render Aid • Duty to Intervene 			
Protections of the US Constitution (Specifically the 4 th & 8 th Amendments):			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reasonable Use of Force • Due Process • Investigative (Terry) Stops • Search Warrants 			
Ethical Issues:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excessive Use of Force • Qualified Immunity • Civil Liability • Police Officer certification/de-certification 			
Instructor			
<div style="display: flex; align-items: flex-start;">  <div> <p>Don Hays is an Attorney-at-Law, and former Macoupin County, Illinois State's Attorney. Don previously served with the Illinois Appellate Prosecutor's office for 30 years as a Staff Attorney and as Senior Staff Counsel. He oversaw the Continuing Legal Education Division that included continuing legal education for Illinois State's Attorneys and law enforcement officers. Don retired in 2008 and continues to instruct police officers throughout the state.</p> </div> </div>			
Mandates Met by This Training			
<p>Use of Force: Law concerning stops, searches, and the use of force</p>			
<p><i>This class is partially funded and certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board</i></p>			