

**DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE
POLICE TRAINING COMMISSION**

Police Training Commission Meeting #334

Wednesday, June 24, 2020

AGENDA

Location: Virtual Meeting

Please note: Due to COVID-19 this meeting will be held virtually. Please contact Tykeria T. Lockhart via email at LockhartT@njdcj.org for the meeting login information if you wish to attend.

- Call to Order
- Salute to the Flag
- Announcement Concerning the "Open Public Meetings Law"

SECTION 1

None

Report by the Chairperson of the Appeals and Legislative Committee

SECTION 2 Appeals Received by the Police Training Commission

2A Appeals Received by the Police Training Commission – Recruit Dismissals

Connor Conway v. Passaic County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on the results of a drug screen. Because he is an Alternate Route candidate, he does not have standing to appeal his dismissal to the Police Training Commission (“PTC”). Letter sent indicating same on 3/13/2020. No further action is required.

David Araujo v. Mercer County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on the results of a drug screen.

Karil Vella v. Essex County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on failing to complete the physical fitness requirement. Due to the recruit resigning from the Academy, and not being dismissed from the Academy, their appeal is considered moot. A letter sent indicating same on 3/11/2020. No further action is required.

Marcal Parker v. Mercer County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on his attendance. As he did not dispute the Academy's finding that he failed to attend 90% of his classes, a letter was sent to him on 4/24/2020 advising him of same and giving him the opportunity to present any additional factual disputes to the Commission. No further action is required at this time.

Jennifer Schelmetty v. Essex County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on failing her firearms qualifications.

Lashea Graham v. Essex County Police Academy

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on failing her firearms qualifications.

Amani Davis v. New Jersey Department of Corrections

Recruit appeals from a dismissal based on the results of a drug screen.

2B Appeals Referred to the Office of Administrative Law

None

2C Appeals Closed

Jazmine Morales v. Passaic County Police Academy

Desiree Cuadra v. Passaic County Police Academy

Rowan Mahgoub v. Passaic County Police Academy

2D Initial Decisions Received from the Office of Administrative Law

Ruth Y. Henriquez v. Monmouth County Police Academy

2E Final Decisions Issued

James Delre v. Mercer County Police Academy

Emily Bennett v. Camden County Police Academy

SECTION 3 Proposed Legislation/Academy Certification/Re-Certification

None

SECTION 4 Consideration of Extensions of Training Time for County Corrections Officers, Humane Law Enforcement Officers and Juvenile Detention Officers

- 4A Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for Three County Corrections Officers (Burlington County Department of Corrections).
- 4B Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for Three County Corrections Officers (Monmouth County Sheriff's Office)
- 4C Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for Two County Corrections Officers (Somerset County Jail).
- 4D Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for County Park Ranger, Edward J. Cummings (Burlington County Park System).
- 4E Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for Juvenile Detention Officer, Karina Sanchez (Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center).
- 4F Consideration of a Request for an Extension of Training Time for Two Juvenile Detention Officers (Sussex County Juvenile Detention Center).

Conclusion of the Report of the Appeals and Legislative Committee

Report by the Chairperson of the Standards Committee

SECTION 5 Curriculum Issues

None

SECTION 6 Academy Issues

- 6A Consideration of a **Request** from Chief Kevin Pell, Bergen County Sheriff's Department, to appeal the Waiver Denials, SLEO II to BCPO, for David Longo and Kley Peralta Jr.
- 6B Consideration of a **Request** for Rule Change of N.J.A.C. 13: I -8.4- Waivers
- 6C Consideration of a **Request** from The Sheriff's Association of New Jersey to reconsider the PTC regulation on domestic violence complaints involving academy recruits.

SECTION 7 Instructor Issues

- 7A Consideration of a **Request** to revoke the PTC Instructor Certification for Mohmaed Lostan, Passaic County Police Academy

Conclusion of the Report of the Standards Committee

SECTION 8 Reports/LEOTEF

- 8A Status Report of the Law Enforcement Officers Training and Equipment Fund (LEOTEF)
- 8B Licensing Committee Report
- 8C Training Committee Report

SECTION 9 Committees & Special Reports

- 9A PTC Computer System Update

SECTION 10 Miscellaneous

- 10A Good and Welfare
- 10B Public Comments

Next Commission Meeting is Wednesday, August 5, 2020