Eligibility Requirements

- 1. You come from a reciprocity state or approved federal program as an equivalent to a Nevada Category I peace officer (jail and prisons generally don't qualify unless there is no difference in the certification)
- 2. Your Basic certification or license has never been suspended or revoked
- 3. Less than 60 months has lapsed since leaving the reciprocity state as a peace officer and being hired as a Nevada peace officer (Category I or II)
- 4. Pass the state physical fitness test battery within 16 weeks of your date of hire as a Nevada peace officer.
- 5. You successfully complete the 80 hour In-Lieu/On-Line Reciprocity certification training program.
- 6. Pass the written state certification examination within 24 months of completion of the online reciprocity training program.

Even if you qualify for reciprocity, your employing agency may require you to attend a full 16 week Basic Academy instead of the Reciprocity Training. Once all these requirements are fulfilled, your employing Nevada criminal justice agency can apply for your Basic Certificate.