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Commission Meeting

The next Commission meeting will be July 17, 2025, starting at 2:00 p.m. and held at the Reno Police Department in the Public Safety Center Community Room, 911 Kuenzli Street, Reno, NV 89502.

CAT I POST Academy 2025-03

POST Basic Academy Class 2025-03 starts July 16th, 2025. The deadline to submit enrollment packets is <u>July 7, 2025</u>. For questions about enrollment you can contact Bre Gatlin at <u>bgatlin@post.state.nv.us</u>

CAT II/III POST Academy

Over the past several academy cycles, the population of CAT II/III basic trainees has decreased while the number of CAT I cadets has increased. It is no longer feasible for POST to provide an in-seat, stand-alone CAT II/III academy. Those agencies who send their CAT II personnel to POST for basic training may either enroll their cadets in the 18-week CAT I academy or enroll them in the new POST CAT II/III hybrid academy.

The CAT II/III POST Hybrid Academy is a basic training program wherein cadets will complete academic learning blocks online via the POST Training Portal, and attend skills training at POST over three separate weeks. Cadets will have one full year to complete the program. This academy will be available to new cadets beginning July 1^{st,} 2025. Please see our website for enrollment forms under the CATII/III Hybrid Academy page (<u>https://post.nv.gov/</u><u>Training/POST_Academy/CAT_II/III_Hybrid_Academy/</u>). If you have any questions, please contact Training Division Chief Mike Hayhurst at <u>mhayhurst@post.state.nv.us</u>.

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POST 2025 Advanced Officer Training Calendar

NRS/NAC & POST

Regulations

Certification from POST requirements.

NRS 289.550

Reciprocity Eligibility

Requirements

Nevada Reciprocity

Training Course

Peace Officer Defini-

tions by Category.

Minimum standards for

appointment

NAC 289.110

July 7-11: Wellness Coordinator Training

July 16-18: Basic Rifle Instructor Course

August 18-29: First-Line Supervisor Course (Laptop with PowerPoint required)

October 20-31: First-Line Supervisor Course (Laptop with PowerPoint required) This course is being held in Elko.

To register please see our Advanced Officer Registration form on our website or click the link below.

Advanced Officer Registration Form

Reporting of Investigations Pursuant to NRS 289.585

Pursuant to NRS 289.585, a law enforcement agency shall:

1. Immediately notify the Commission if a peace officer employed by the agency

(a) is charged with a crime for which the regulations adopted by the Commission authorize the Commission to revoke or suspend the certificate of the peace officer; or

(b) Resigns from employment or otherwise separates from employment with the agency while an investigation concerning alleged misconduct is pending; and

2. If a peace officer resigns or otherwise separates from employment while an investigation concerning alleged misconduct is pending, provide to the Commission a written summary of the outcome of the investigation as soon as practicable after completing the investigation.

In order to assist agencies with compliance with this new statute, POST has created a form that the employing agency can fill out and submit to Chief Kathy Floyd at <u>kfloyd@post.state.nv.us</u>. The form can be found under the FORMS tab on the POST website.

If you have any questions regarding this statute or the reporting process, contact Chief Kathy Floyd.

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Reserve Program

The Reserve program has been updated! For enrollment packets, please see the Training Tab on the POST website.

If you have any questions or need assistance with this program, please call (775) 687-3310

NATIONAL DECERTIFICATION INDEX (NDI)

An additional resource for all agencies to utilize during the background process is the National Decertification Index (NDI).IADLEST created this index as a national database for revoked or suspended peace officers.

A recent change to POST statutes includes NRS 289.555(2) which states "a person Is not qualified to serve as a category I, II or III peace officer, regardless of whether the person has had his or her civil rights restored, if the person has been: (2) Reported to the National Decertification Index of the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training or an equivalent database maintained for the purpose of serving as a national registry of certificate or license revocation actions relating to peace officer misconduct." Therefore, as part of the background process, BEFORE an individual is hired, the agency should be checking NDI to confirm their candidate has not been entered by Nevada, or any other state. If any individual has been reported to NDI by any state, for any reason, they are not eligible for hiring in Nevada.

NV POST is required, by statute, to enter all revoked peace officers into NDI, as are several other states in the country. If your agency does not have anyone with access to this system, please go to the IADLEST website: https:// www.iadlest.org/, click in the NDI box and request access to the NDI. If your agency has enrolled in NDI, but you would like an updated list of contacts with access to the system, please contact Chief Kathy Floyd at kfloyd@post.state.nv.us. It is recommended your list of contacts be reviewed annually, and a list of contacts that need to be deleted can be sent to Chief Floyd.

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