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Executive Director Position

The search for the next Executive Director of POST is well underway. We have been informed that several applications have been received by the State Human Resources Department; which are currently being analyzed to determine the applicants that best meet the qualifications. As you can well imagine, this may be a lengthy process and we will keep you updated with any significant happenings in our upcoming Newsletters.

Registration for the Academy

The next academy runs from February 2 to April 2 for CAT II and to May 7 for CAT I officers. If you have officers planning to attend this session, their registration forms must be completed and submitted to Rick Radecki (<u>rradecki@post.state.nv.us</u>) **before January 23, 2015**. All necessary forms for Academy registration are now available on the POST website FORMS page.

2014 Training Compliance

All reporting of annual compliance for 2014 should have been submitted to POST by **December 31, 2014**. The compliance reports have been run and letters of non-compliance will be going out soon. Starting this year, these letters will be sent via email to each agency for distribution to their non-compliant officers.

NOTICE to SPOCs: When submitting training for 2014 Compliance, MAKE SURE to change the Credit Year to 2014 on the Formatta form.

Training for Dog-Related Incidents and Encounters

New Training documents are now available on the POST website that discuss the tools, practices, and procedures that contribute to effective responses to dog-related incidents and encounters. The primary goal of this training includes ensuring public and officer safety as well as considering community needs and demands where dogs happen to be present.

This new training is the last topic on the Training Materials webpage.

Remember to check our <u>Training Calendar</u> often for information on all available training.

Update to Management Certificate Requirements

In the last Commission Meeting, the requirement for an officer to complete a minimum of 6 college credits for a Management Certificate was removed. The other requirements remain the same. Please refer to the <u>Professional Certificate requirements matrix</u> on the post website; which has been updated to reflect this change.

NOTICE to SPOCs: Be sure to use the updated Formatta Professional Certificate Application. It has also been revised to reflect this change.

POST Forms on the POST Website

Make sure to use the updated forms available on the POST website <u>POST FORMS Webpage</u>. Be sure to use the correct new forms with any submission to POST. This includes all forms that are required for Basic Certification.

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