



Rep. Sara Feigenholtz

Filed: 5/3/2019

10100SB1778ham001

LRB101 09333 KTG 60180 a

1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1778

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1778 on page 1,
3 line 4, before "Section 5.", by inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. The Illinois Police Training Act is amended by
5 changing Section 7 as follows:

6 (50 ILCS 705/7) (from Ch. 85, par. 507)

7 Sec. 7. Rules and standards for schools. The Board shall
8 adopt rules and minimum standards for such schools which shall
9 include, but not be limited to, the following:

10 a. The curriculum for probationary police officers
11 which shall be offered by all certified schools shall
12 include, but not be limited to, courses of procedural
13 justice, arrest and use and control tactics, search and
14 seizure, including temporary questioning, civil rights,
15 human rights, human relations, cultural competency,
16 including implicit bias and racial and ethnic sensitivity,

1 criminal law, law of criminal procedure, constitutional
2 and proper use of law enforcement authority, vehicle and
3 traffic law including uniform and non-discriminatory
4 enforcement of the Illinois Vehicle Code, traffic control
5 and accident investigation, techniques of obtaining
6 physical evidence, court testimonies, statements, reports,
7 firearms training, training in the use of electronic
8 control devices, including the psychological and
9 physiological effects of the use of those devices on
10 humans, first-aid (including cardiopulmonary
11 resuscitation), training in the administration of opioid
12 antagonists as defined in paragraph (1) of subsection (e)
13 of Section 5-23 of the Substance Use Disorder Act, handling
14 of juvenile offenders, recognition of mental conditions
15 and crises, including, but not limited to, the disease of
16 addiction, which require immediate assistance and response
17 and methods to safeguard and provide assistance to a person
18 in need of mental treatment, recognition of abuse, neglect,
19 financial exploitation, and self-neglect of adults with
20 disabilities and older adults, as defined in Section 2 of
21 the Adult Protective Services Act, crimes against the
22 elderly, law of evidence, the hazards of high-speed police
23 vehicle chases with an emphasis on alternatives to the
24 high-speed chase, and physical training. The curriculum
25 shall include specific training in techniques for
26 immediate response to and investigation of cases of

1 domestic violence and of sexual assault of adults and
2 children, including cultural perceptions and common myths
3 of sexual assault and sexual abuse as well as interview
4 techniques that are age sensitive and are trauma informed,
5 victim centered, and victim sensitive. The curriculum
6 shall include training in techniques designed to promote
7 effective communication at the initial contact with crime
8 victims and ways to comprehensively explain to victims and
9 witnesses their rights under the Rights of Crime Victims
10 and Witnesses Act and the Crime Victims Compensation Act.
11 The curriculum shall also include training in effective
12 recognition of and responses to stress, trauma, and
13 post-traumatic stress experienced by police officers. The
14 curriculum shall include a block of instruction addressing
15 the mandatory reporting requirements under the Abused and
16 Neglected Child Reporting Act. The curriculum shall also
17 include a block of instruction aimed at identifying and
18 interacting with persons with autism and other
19 developmental or physical disabilities, reducing barriers
20 to reporting crimes against persons with autism, and
21 addressing the unique challenges presented by cases
22 involving victims or witnesses with autism and other
23 developmental disabilities. The curriculum for permanent
24 police officers shall include, but not be limited to: (1)
25 refresher and in-service training in any of the courses
26 listed above in this subparagraph, (2) advanced courses in

1 any of the subjects listed above in this subparagraph, (3)
2 training for supervisory personnel, and (4) specialized
3 training in subjects and fields to be selected by the
4 board. The training in the use of electronic control
5 devices shall be conducted for probationary police
6 officers, including University police officers.

7 b. Minimum courses of study, attendance requirements
8 and equipment requirements.

9 c. Minimum requirements for instructors.

10 d. Minimum basic training requirements, which a
11 probationary police officer must satisfactorily complete
12 before being eligible for permanent employment as a local
13 law enforcement officer for a participating local
14 governmental agency. Those requirements shall include
15 training in first aid (including cardiopulmonary
16 resuscitation).

17 e. Minimum basic training requirements, which a
18 probationary county corrections officer must
19 satisfactorily complete before being eligible for
20 permanent employment as a county corrections officer for a
21 participating local governmental agency.

22 f. Minimum basic training requirements which a
23 probationary court security officer must satisfactorily
24 complete before being eligible for permanent employment as
25 a court security officer for a participating local
26 governmental agency. The Board shall establish those

1 training requirements which it considers appropriate for
2 court security officers and shall certify schools to
3 conduct that training.

4 A person hired to serve as a court security officer
5 must obtain from the Board a certificate (i) attesting to
6 his or her successful completion of the training course;
7 (ii) attesting to his or her satisfactory completion of a
8 training program of similar content and number of hours
9 that has been found acceptable by the Board under the
10 provisions of this Act; or (iii) attesting to the Board's
11 determination that the training course is unnecessary
12 because of the person's extensive prior law enforcement
13 experience.

14 Individuals who currently serve as court security
15 officers shall be deemed qualified to continue to serve in
16 that capacity so long as they are certified as provided by
17 this Act within 24 months of June 1, 1997 (the effective
18 date of Public Act 89-685). Failure to be so certified,
19 absent a waiver from the Board, shall cause the officer to
20 forfeit his or her position.

21 All individuals hired as court security officers on or
22 after June 1, 1997 (the effective date of Public Act
23 89-685) shall be certified within 12 months of the date of
24 their hire, unless a waiver has been obtained by the Board,
25 or they shall forfeit their positions.

26 The Sheriff's Merit Commission, if one exists, or the

1 Sheriff's Office if there is no Sheriff's Merit Commission,
2 shall maintain a list of all individuals who have filed
3 applications to become court security officers and who meet
4 the eligibility requirements established under this Act.
5 Either the Sheriff's Merit Commission, or the Sheriff's
6 Office if no Sheriff's Merit Commission exists, shall
7 establish a schedule of reasonable intervals for
8 verification of the applicants' qualifications under this
9 Act and as established by the Board.

10 g. Minimum in-service training requirements, which a
11 police officer must satisfactorily complete every 3 years.
12 Those requirements shall include constitutional and proper
13 use of law enforcement authority, procedural justice,
14 civil rights, human rights, mental health awareness and
15 response, reporting child abuse and neglect, and cultural
16 competency.

17 h. Minimum in-service training requirements, which a
18 police officer must satisfactorily complete at least
19 annually. Those requirements shall include law updates and
20 use of force training which shall include scenario based
21 training, or similar training approved by the Board.

22 (Source: P.A. 99-352, eff. 1-1-16; 99-480, eff. 9-9-15; 99-642,
23 eff. 7-28-16; 99-801, eff. 1-1-17; 100-121, eff. 1-1-18;
24 100-247, eff. 1-1-18; 100-759, eff. 1-1-19; 100-863, eff.
25 8-14-18; 100-910, eff. 1-1-19; revised 9-28-19.)"; and

1 on page 11, line 22, after "complete", by inserting "an
2 initial"; and

3 on page 11, line 24, after "reporter,", by inserting "or within
4 the time frame of any other applicable State law that governs
5 training requirements for a specific profession,"; and

6 on page 11, line 25, by deleting "3-month"; and

7 on page 12, by replacing lines 1 through 3 with "capacity. In
8 lieu of training every 3 years, medical".