



# Northwest Illinois Criminal Justice Commission

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## Illegal Substance Law Update- De-Criminalization of Cannabis

*-Distant Learning Only-*

**DATE:** November 18, 2020

**Registration Ends:** November 10, 2020

**TIME:** 10:30 AM—12:30 PM      2 Hours

**LOCATION:**    **Distant Learning Only: All Locations-Must Have Camera-Contact MTU1 Office**

**INSTRUCTOR:** Don Hays, Illinois Prosecutors Services, LLC

### **COURSE CONTENT: ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES LAW UPDATE – DE-CRIMINALIZATION OF CANNABIS**

The Illinois Illegal Substances Law Update will contain a complete update of all of the legislative changes to the laws concerning illegal substances over the past five years. Included will be an analysis of the recently enacted Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act (the de-criminalization of cannabis), the modification of the Medical Cannabis Pilot Program Act (including the now authorized “grow your own” authority and recent caselaw concerning the Conceal Carry Act (including possession near or in parks, public housing and carrying concealed Tasers) as well as current statutes involving Controlled Substances, Methamphetamine, Cannabis, Alcohol for purposes of DUI, and Tobacco with respect to minors (including the de-criminalization of possession of tobacco for minors). A case law analysis will be provided illustrating each of these substances. Specific topics to be “the bath salts control act”, synthetic cannabinoids, and cathinones; along with discussions of “hot topic” areas that have been dealt with by the Illinois legislature and the courts.

Partial funding provided by Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board and MTU#1’s request for certification of this course has been approved by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

### **REGISTRATION:**

All registrations are received on the [MTU#1 website](http://www.mtu1.com).

If you are registering for a distant learning class, you must access the registration via the [training calendar](#). The calendar view will allow you to first select which classroom the officer(s) are attending. Find Registration instructions [here](#)

THIS IS NOT A PUBLIC MEETING



***This class has been submitted to ILETSB for approval in meeting mandatory training for:***

***Mandated Annually***

☒ **Law Updates**    ☐ Use of Force (must include scenario based or similar approved)

**Mandated once every 3 years (begin 1/1/16)**

☐ **Civil Rights**                      ☐ **Constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority**

☐ Cultural competency              ☐ Procedural Justice              ☐ Human Rights

**Mandated once every 3 years (begin 1/1/17 all/ within 2 yrs. for investigators)**

☐ Trauma Informed Response & Investigation of Sexual Assault & Abuse

**Mandated once every 3 years (begin?)**

☐ Mental Health Awareness

**Mandated 32 hours every four years after initial training**

☐ **Lead Homicide Investigator training**