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Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

STATE OF ILLINOIS

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Mobile Team Units

FROM:

John Janssen

Manager of Training and Field Services

DATE:

September 21, 1998

RE:

4-Hour Mandatory Firearms Training (PA90-626) Waiver

A copy of Public Act 90-646 is included for your reference and file. Only those individuals pre-approved by Board staff are eligible to attend this special course. Mobile Team Units, as directed by Board staff, (as a condition of Board waiver), will conduct the written MFT exam and MFT range fire qualification to the Board approved officer and will send in the required Board paperwork. For purposes of completing the Board's D-1 form, the course title will be called 4-Hour Mandatory Firearms Training (PA 90-646) Waiver. Record the exam score and qualification scores on the Board's MFT course roster, From D-1, and send information to the attention of Howard Rogers.

Officers will be given one opportunity to pass the MFT written exam and three chances to qualify with their service weapon, if they fail to pass the written exam and/or the qualification, record the results and send to Howard Rogers, they may have to complete the entire 40-Hour MFT course.

If you have questions or need additional discussion, please telephone me at 217/782-4540.

JFJ/kr Attachment

Joint Committee on Administrative Rules

ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

TITLE 20: CORRECTIONS, CRIMINAL JUSTICE, AND LAW ENFORCEMENT CHAPTER V: ILLINOIS LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING AND STANDARDS BOARD PART 1720 ILLINOIS POLICE TRAINING ACT SECTION 1720.APPENDIX C FIREARM QUALIFICATION COURSE-OF-FIRE

Section 1720.APPENDIX C Firearm Qualification Course-of-Fire

- Target Scoring Area: 8½ x 14 inch overlay/center mass of target. The defined firearm types are: Semi-auto/Revolver handgun; minimum capacity 5 rounds
- For Duty Handgun Qualification, all stages of fire will commence from a secured holster. For Off Duty/Retired Officer Qualification, all stages of fire will commence with the handgun in hand from the "low ready" position. A passing score is 70% = 21 hits on center mass.
- Where indicated below, the word "DRAW" requires the shooter to withdraw the handgun from a secured holster on the command to fire. The word "PRESENT" means that the shooter has the handgun in the shooting hand in low ready (depressed muzzle) position and stands ready for the command to fire under the following conditions:

5 Yard line – Total of 12 rounds

Stage 1 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Stage 2 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Stage 3 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Stage 4 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Stage 5 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Stage 6 Draw/Present and fire 2 rounds in 6 seconds

Shooters will reload without command as needed between stages of fire.

7 Yard line – Total of 12 rounds

Stage 7 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 7 seconds

Stage 8 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 7 seconds

Stage 9 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 7 seconds

Stage 10 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 7 seconds

Stage 11 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 10 seconds
Stage 12 Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 10 seconds
Stage 12 OPTIONAL> 25 Yard line-: Draw/Present and fire 3 rounds in 15 seconds
(in lieu of the second 10 second /three round string at 15 yards)

4) The above course-of-fire is the minimum standard required. Any agency may include any modification that increases the level of difficulty such as reloading, alternate hands, movement, time restriction, or other job related skills.

(Source: Added at 30 Ill. Reg. 7925, effective April 11, 2006)