

POST Legislative Committee Meeting

Action Summary

Wyndham Anaheim/Garden Grove
12021 Harbor Boulevard
Garden Grove, CA 92840

Wednesday, February 19, 2015



EDMUND G. BROWN JR.
GOVERNOR

KAMALA D. HARRIS
ATTORNEY GENERAL

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jeff Moore called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Commissioner Members Present

Lai Lai Bui
Joyce Dudley
Sandra Hutchens
Peter Kurylowicz
Jeff Moore, Chair
Larry Wallace

A. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

MOTION – Dudley, **SECOND** – Hutchens carried unanimously to approve the action summary and minutes of the October 23, 2014, Pacific Palms Resort, City of Industry, California.

B. BILL ANALYSIS – REPORT ON SB 11 (BEALL) – AN ACT RELATING TO PEACE OFFICER TRAINING STANDARDS

Legislative Advocate Alexis Blaylock gave a report on SB 11 (Beall). The intent of this bill is to enact legislation to increase the minimum mental health training standards for California peace officers to address officer and community safety and to achieve improved outcomes when interacting with persons with mental illness.

Blaylock informed the Legislative Committee that a companion bill (SB 29 (Beall)) to SB 11 is seeking to: 1) increase the hours of mental health training in the Field Training Program by adding 40 hours of evidence-based behavioral health training for all field officer trainers; 2) mandate an additional 20 hours of evidence based behavioral health training for trainees in Field Training Program; and 3) address issues related to the stigma, and instruct officers on culturally appropriate procedures.

As written both bills would affect the law enforcement community by imposing these mandates. If pass the proposed mandates and the uncalculated training hours will become problematic and a burden on all law enforcement community and to POST.

MOTION – Hutchens, **SECOND** – Wallace, carried unanimously to take a position of **OPPOSED UNLESS AMENDED** on Senate Bill 11 (Beall).

C. BILL ANALYSIS – SB 128 (WOLK AND MONNING) – END OF LIFE

Blaylock reported that this bill would enact the End of Life Option Act authorizing terminally ill adults who meet certain qualifications to make a request for prescribed medication for the purpose of ending their life. The bill would establish procedures for making such requests, and provide that the cause of death will be recorded as the patient’s terminal illness. New crimes are created in relation to this bill.

This analysis was provided for information only.

D. BILLS OF INTEREST (ORAL REPORT)

Blaylock gave a report on AB 334 (Cooley)—Peace officers: training: profiling of motorcycle riders. This bill would require POST to: 1) ensure that the profiling of motorcycle riders is addressed in the course of basic law enforcement training; and 2) require all local law enforcement agencies to adopt a written policy designed to condemn and prevent profiling of motorcycle riders and to review and audit any existing policies to ensure that those policies do not enable or foster the practices of profiling motorcycle riders.

MOTION – Bui, **SECOND** – Hutchens carried unanimously to take a position of **OPPOSED** on AB 334 (Cooley).

Due to time constraint, Executive Director Bob Stresak asked Chair Moore to bring the Legislative meeting to a close. Executive Director Stresak said that all other bills of interest listed for an oral report were provided for information only.

E. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION – Kurylowicz, **SECOND** – Bui carried unanimously to accepted and forward the staff Legislative Report to the Commission.

Chair Jeff Moore adjourns the meet at 9:12 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

MARIE BOUVIA
Executive Assistant

Attachment – Transcript