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PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

# POST COMMISSION MEETING

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**A P P E A R A N C E S**

**COMMISSION ON POST**
**COMMISSIONERS PRESENT**

LAREN LEICHLITER
*(Commission Chair)*
Deputy Sheriff
San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department

JOYCE DUDLEY
*(Vice Chair of the Commission)*
Santa Barbara District Attorney
Santa Barbara County

RICK BRAZIEL
Educator
Humboldt State University

RICHARD DELAROSA
Mayor
City of Colton

ROBERT DOYLE
Sheriff
Marin County

SANDRA HUTCHENS
Sheriff-Coroner
Orange County

JETHROE MOORE II
Public Member

BATINE RAMIREZ
Deputy Sheriff
Placer County Sheriff's Department

LAURIE SMITH
Sheriff
Santa Clara County Sheriff's Department

LARRY J. WALLACE
for KAMALA D. HARRIS, Attorney General
Department of Justice

## A P P E A R A N C E S

**COMMISSION ON POST STAFF PRESENT**
*(participating staff)*

STEPHANIE SCOFIELD
Interim Executive Director
Executive Office

DAVID CORNEJO
Assistant Executive Director
*(Administrative Services Division)*
Executive Office

WILLIAM "TOBY" DARDEN
POST Commission Counsel
Department of Justice
Office of the Attorney General

CONNIE PAOLI
Administrative Assistant II
Executive Office

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**Wednesday, July 13, 2016, 10:06 a.m.**

**West Sacramento, California**

CHAIR LEICHLITER: It's 10:06, and I'll call the meeting to order.

Good morning, everybody.

*(Chorus of "good mornings.")*

CHAIR LEICHLITER: I know you guys are surprised to see me here. Sorry.

We don't have a Color Guard today, but we will do the Pledge of Allegiance.

If I can get everybody to stand.

*(The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.)*

CHAIR LEICHLITER: If I can ask you all to remain standing for a moment of silence for all the officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty since the last meeting.

*(Moment of silence.)*

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Thank you.

And roll call of the Commission members.

MS. PAOLI: Braziel?

COMMISSIONER BRAZIEL: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Bui?

*(No response)*

MS. PAOLI: Chaplin?

*(No response)*

MS. PAOLI: DeLaRosa?

COMMISSIONER DeLaROSA: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Doyle?

COMMISSIONER DOYLE: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Dudley?

VICE CHAIR DUDLEY: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Hutchens?

COMMISSIONER HUTCHENS: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Kurylowicz?

*(No response)*

MS. PAOLI: Leichliter?

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Long?

*(No response)*

MS. PAOLI: McDonnell?

*(No response)*

MS. PAOLI: Moore?

COMMISSIONER MOORE: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Ramirez?

COMMISSIONER RAMIREZ: Here.

MS. PAOLI: Smith.

COMMISSIONER SMITH: Yes.

MS. PAOLI: Wallace?

COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Here.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: We're all good?

All right, normally, we have the introduction of POST Advisory Committee and Legal Counsel; but we don't have the Advisory Committee chair here. But we do have Legal Counsel Toby is here.

Correct?

MR. DARDEN: Good morning.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: All right, as well as the Executive Director.

I'm not sure what title we're going to give you today; but the Executive Director of POST, Stephanie Scofield.

INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SCOFIELD: Good morning.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Good morning.

Thanks for joining us.

Moving on. Oh, I get all this.

I get the welcoming address. Sorry, it's been a while since I've had to give one.

I just want to thank everybody that showed up, including myself, for participating, so we can get through this.

Sorry I missed the last meeting. I may have to step out of this one today for the same reasons I missed the last one. I have negotiations going on for two units currently. Even though I told them not to schedule

today's appointments for that day, they did it, anyway.

So if that's the case, Joyce…

VICE CHAIR DUDLEY: I'm in.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Thank you.

All right, this is also the time for public comment.

Do we have anybody in the audience who would like to make any public comment?

*(No response)*

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Seeing none, we'll move to the next item, which is approval of action summary; but we have no minutes to approve this meeting, no consent calendar items, no Finance Committee items, no other committee reports, no correspondence, no old business, and no new business.

I can give you guys the future commission dates, if you want them.

October 26th and 27th will be the next one in Sacramento. I'll just leave it at that one.

And then we have closed session.

All right, before we go into closed session, I'll read the following.

Pursuant to Government Code section 11126(a)(1), the Commission hereby provides public notice that we'll meet in closed session to conduct interviews of candidates and possible selection of an interim executive

director.

Before we begin our closed session meeting -- five minutes, huh? -- in five minutes, I'm going to ask that the conference room be cleared.

Apparently, I'm taking a five-minute recess.

Thanks, everybody, for showing up.

*(Recess from 10:10 a.m. to 10:16 a.m.)*

*(The Commission met in closed executive session from 10:16 a.m. to 3:29 p.m.)*

*(The Commission returned to open session at 3:29 p.m)*

CHAIR LEICHLITER: We're back in open.

The Commission has interviewed the candidates for interim executive director and took action to authorize the chair to reach out and provide an offer to one of the candidates interviewed.

Once the candidate has accepted, the chair will send out an official notification.

MR. CORNEJO: And to extend the --

CHAIR LEICHLITER: And to extend the current interim until the applicant that was offered the job accepts and takes over the position.

MR. DARDEN: And the votes on both motions were by roll-call vote and were unanimous.

That's it.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: Got it.

VICE CHAIR DUDLEY: Thank you.

CHAIR LEICHLITER: We are now adjourned.

VICE CHAIR DUDLEY: Nice job, Laren.

*(The Commission meeting concluded at 3:30 p.m.)*

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