

COMMISSION ON PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

The mission of the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training is to continually enhance the professionalism of California law enforcement in serving its communities.



July 31, 2007

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The Honorable Mark Ridley-Thomas
California State Senate
Sacramento, CA 95814

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Arnold Schwarzenegger
Governor

Re: SB 756

Jerry Brown
Attorney General

Dear Senator Ridley-Thomas:

At the July 19, 2007, Commission Meeting, the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) voted to reject the proposed amendments to SB 756 and continue to OPPOSE this legislation.

It was the conclusion of the Commission that a comprehensive training curriculum on the topic of eyewitness identification is already mandated in the academy by POST for every California peace officer. This curriculum is further complemented with in-service training content on relevant case law, technology, and local law enforcement agency policies as conditions change.

Should you have any questions, please contact Bureau Chief Bob Stresak, Executive Office, at (916) 227-2085.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hal Snow". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

HAL SNOW
Interim Executive Director

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