

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 3041

By: West (Tammy) and Walke of
the House

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4 Weaver and David of the
5 Senate

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8 An Act relating to law enforcement; amending 70 O.S.
9 2011, Section 3311.5, as last amended by Section 1,
10 Chapter 334, O.S.L. 2019 (70 O.S. Supp. 2019, Section
11 3311.5), which relates to required courses for law
12 enforcement certification; authorizing the Council on
13 Law Enforcement Education and Training to include
14 developmental disability awareness training in its
15 required courses of study; allowing previously
16 certified full-time peace officers the option to
17 attend and complete developmental disability
18 awareness training; authorizing the promulgation of
19 rules; allowing the Council to establish a
20 comprehensive integrated curriculum; and providing an
21 effective date.

22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

23 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2011, Section 3311.5, as
24 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 334, O.S.L. 2019 (70 O.S. Supp.
2019, Section 3311.5), is amended to read as follows:

Section 3311.5 A. On and after November 1, 2007, the Council
on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET), pursuant to its
authority granted by Section 3311 of this title, shall include in

1 its required basic training courses for law enforcement
2 certification a minimum of four (4) hours of education and training
3 relating to recognizing and managing a person appearing to require
4 mental health treatment or services. The Council shall further
5 offer a minimum of four (4) hours of education and training on
6 specific mental health issues pursuant to Section 3311.4 of this
7 title to meet the annual requirement for continuing education in the
8 areas of mental health issues.

9 B. By January 1, 2008, CLEET, pursuant to its authority granted
10 by Sections 3311 and 3311.4 of this title, shall include in its
11 required courses of study for law enforcement certification a
12 minimum of six (6) hours of evidence-based sexual assault and sexual
13 violence training. A portion of the sexual assault and sexual
14 violence training shall include instruction presented by a certified
15 sexual assault service provider.

16 C. By January 1, 2012, every active full-time peace officer,
17 previously certified by CLEET pursuant to Section 3311 of this
18 title, shall be required to attend and complete the evidence-based
19 sexual assault and sexual violence training provided in subsection B
20 of this section.

21 D. CLEET shall promulgate rules to enforce the provisions of
22 subsections B and C of this section and shall, with the assistance
23 of certified sexual assault service providers, establish a
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1 comprehensive integrated curriculum for the teaching of evidence-
2 based sexual assault and sexual violence issues.

3 E. The Council is required to update that block of training or
4 course materials relating to legal issues, concepts, and state laws
5 annually, but not later than ninety (90) days following the
6 adjournment of any legislative session.

7 F. By January 1, 2009, CLEET, pursuant to its authority granted
8 by Sections 3311 and 3311.4 of this title, shall include in its
9 required courses of study for law enforcement certification oil
10 field equipment theft training.

11 G. By January 1, 2012, CLEET, pursuant to its authority granted
12 by Sections 3311 and 3311.4 of this title, shall establish and
13 include in its required courses of study for law enforcement
14 certification a minimum of eight (8) hours of evidence-based
15 domestic violence and stalking investigation training. The training
16 should include, at a minimum, the importance of reporting domestic
17 violence incidents, determining the predominant aggressor, evidence-
18 based investigation of domestic violence and stalking, lethality
19 assessment, and personal safety planning necessary at the pretrial
20 stages of a potential criminal case. A portion of the training
21 shall include instruction presented by an expert victim advocate
22 selected from recommendations provided by the Office of the Attorney
23 General or the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Board. The
24 training shall be developed in collaboration with the Domestic

1 Violence Fatality Review Board, and where applicable, shall replace
2 existing domestic violence and stalking courses currently required.

3 H. By January 1, 2012, the evidence-based domestic violence and
4 stalking investigation curriculum developed in collaboration with
5 the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Board shall be submitted to
6 the Council for approval.

7 I. CLEET shall establish the training provided in subsection G
8 of this section as a part of CLEET's peace officer continuing
9 education program and develop a plan to train full-time peace
10 officers previously certified by CLEET pursuant to Section 3311 of
11 this title where applicable. The Office of the Attorney General
12 shall provide a list of expert victim advocates that are available
13 to assist in the training.

14 J. The Council is authorized to pay for and send training staff
15 and employees to one or more training and education courses in
16 jurisdictions outside this state for the purpose of expanding
17 curriculum, training skill development, and general knowledge within
18 the field of law enforcement education and training.

19 K. On and after November 1, 2013, CLEET, pursuant to its
20 authority granted by Section 3311 of this title, shall include in
21 its required basic training courses for law enforcement
22 certification a minimum of two (2) hours of education and training
23 relating to recognizing and managing a person experiencing dementia
24 or Alzheimer's disease.

1 L. 1. Subject to the availability of funds, CLEET, pursuant to
2 its authority granted by Sections 3311 and 3311.4 of this title, may
3 include in its required courses of study for law enforcement
4 certification a minimum of eight (8) hours of developmental
5 disability awareness training.

6 2. Subject to the availability of funds, every active full-time
7 peace officer, previously certified by CLEET pursuant to Section
8 3311 of this title, may attend and complete the developmental
9 disability awareness training provided for in paragraph 1 of this
10 subsection.

11 3. CLEET may promulgate rules regarding the provisions of
12 paragraphs 1 and 2 of this subsection and, upon the availability of
13 funds, may establish a comprehensive integrated curriculum for the
14 teaching of developmental disability issues.

15 M. The Council shall promulgate rules to evaluate and approve
16 municipalities and counties that are deemed capable of conducting
17 separate basic law enforcement training academies in their
18 jurisdiction and to certify officers successfully completing such
19 academy training courses. Upon application to the Council, any
20 municipality with a population of sixty-five thousand (65,000) or
21 more or any county with a population of five hundred thousand
22 (500,000) or more shall be authorized to operate a basic law
23 enforcement academy. In addition, upon application and approval
24 from the Council, a municipality with a population under sixty-five

1 thousand (65,000) or a county with a population under five hundred
2 thousand (500,000) may be authorized to operate a basic law
3 enforcement academy; provided, however, the Council may approve no
4 more than two such applications per year. The Council shall approve
5 an application when the municipality or county making the
6 application meets the criteria for a separate training academy and
7 demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Council that the academy has
8 sufficient resources to conduct the training, the instructional
9 staff is appropriately trained and qualified to teach the course
10 materials, the curriculum is composed of comparable or higher
11 quality course segments to the CLEET academy curriculum, and the
12 facilities where the academy will be conducted are safe and
13 sufficient for law enforcement training purposes. Any municipality
14 or county authorized to operate a basic law enforcement academy
15 after November 1, 2007, shall not be eligible to receive funds
16 pursuant to subsection E of Section 1313.2 of Title 20 of the
17 Oklahoma Statutes. The Council shall not provide any funding for
18 the operation of any separate training academy authorized by this
19 subsection.

20 ~~M.~~ N. Any municipality or county that, prior to November 1,
21 2007, was authorized to conduct a basic law enforcement academy
22 shall continue to receive funding pursuant to subsection E of
23 Section 1313.2 of Title 20 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

24 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

1 Passed the House of Representatives the 10th day of March, 2020.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House
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5 Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2020.

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9 Presiding Officer of the Senate