PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE PEACE OFFICERS' STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION

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REGULATION FOR NAC 289 SB 147

Minimum Standards of training of peace officer, requirement to be trained in effective responses to incidents involving dogs or where dogs are present;

- 1. Each law enforcement agency shall adopt policies setting forth when a peace officer who is employed by the agency is required to be trained in effective responses to incidents involving dogs or where dogs are present.
- 2. In adopting the policies required in subsection 1, each law enforcement agency must consider the job descriptions, work environments and duties of the peace officers employed by the agency.
- 3. Training for a peace officer who is required pursuant to subsection to be trained in effective responses to incidents involving dogs or where dogs are present must include, without limitation:
 - (a) Differentiating between aggressive and nonthreatening dog behaviors;
 - (b) Nonlethal methods of handling potentially dangerous dogs;
 - (c) The role and capabilities of local animal control agencies; and
 - (d) Any related subjects the Commission deems appropriate.