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Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Subcommittee

Tuesday, June 8, 2017 1:30 pm Blatt Room 108

Archived Video Available

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Attendance

I. The Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Subcommittee meeting was called to order by Chairman Edward R. Tallon, Sr., on Thursday, June 8, 2017, in Room 108 of the Blatt Building. The following members of the Subcommittee were present for either all or a portion of the meeting: Chairman Tallon and Representative William M. Hixon.

Minutes

I. House Rule 4.5 requires standing committees to prepare and make available to the public the minutes of committee meetings, but the minutes do not

- have to be verbatim accounts of meetings. It is the practice of the Legislative Oversight Committee to provide minutes for its subcommittee meetings.
- II. Chairman Tallon explains there is not a quorum physically present, so there will be no motions or votes during this meeting. Chairman Tallon further explains Representative Arrington is watching the meeting as it streams live and will text members any questions she has for the agency.

Discussion of the Law Enforcement Training Council and Criminal Justice Academy

- I. Chairman Tallon reminds agency personnel who were sworn in during prior meetings that they remain under oath anytime they are with the Subcommittee or Committee.
- II. Chairman Tallon explains the purpose of the meeting is to further the discuss officer separation and decertification process.
- III. Mr. Jimmy Fennell, Chief General Counsel, presents information on routine separations and separations due to misconduct. Subcommittee members ask questions, which Mr. Fennell answers.
- IV. Director Swindler presents further information on misconduct and officer separation. Subcommittee members ask questions, which Director Swindler answers.
- V. The meeting is adjourned.