Law Enforcement Training Advisory Commission



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BASIC PATROL RIFLE – END USER

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DATE: June 17-18, 2025 TIME: 8:00am – 4:00pm LOCATION: Devil's Hole Range, U.S Route #136 East, Havana, IL 62644 INSTRUCTIORS: Bruce Liebe & Sheriff Paul Gann NON-MEMBER FEE: \$0.00

Meets Illinois Mandates: De-escalation Techniques (1.50hr + 1.50senario), Law Concerning Stops, Searches, and the Use of Force (0.50hr) & Officer Safety Techniques, Including Cover, Concealment & Time (8.00hrs + 8.00scenario)

COURSE OVERVIEW: Upon completion of this training, the officer will understand all aspects of rifle function, including the cycle of function, operation, carrying and deployment of the patrol rifle. This will include proper carry orientation, i.e., loaded condition of the patrol rifle. Instruction will include proper handling of the patrol rifle, including loading, unloading, clearing malfunctions, and accurately firing the patrol rifle. Also included in this training will be techniques for transitioning to and from the duty handgun with the patrol rifle (transition drills). Additionally, students will be instructed in proper movement and bounding with the patrol rifle. Students will also be taught how to utilize proper cover and concealment when deploying the patrol rifle. Students will also be taught how to clean, inspect, and function check the patrol rifle, as part of the broader overall maintenance of the rifle.

COURSE GOALS: The goals of this course are to enhance the student's understanding of the nomenclature of the patrol rifle and enhance weapon familiarization and capabilities through live fire drills. By participating in decision-making drills and scenarios, students will have the opportunity to enhance their discretion and deescalation options.

To Register: Email registration to <u>register@letac.org</u>. You may also fill out and submit our online registration form through the website at <u>www.letac.org</u> or call 217-726-7014 to register by phone. **MTU #10 member** agencies will be given registration preference until seven days prior to the date of class. After that date, registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis, regardless of MTU status. We cannot accept registrations from individual officers. All registrations must go through your Chief, Sheriff, or department training office, even if you are attending class on your own time.

Cancellation: If a class must be canceled for any reason, every effort will be made to do so at least 2 weeks before the class is scheduled to begin.