



SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING PROGRAM

Mobile Team Unit 15

Training Announcement

Name of Training		Class ID#	Course ID#
Tavern Inspection & Liquor License Enforcement		92591	66972
Date(s) of Training	Time	Hours	Location
April 23, 2019	0830 – 1630 Hours	8	Mt. Vernon Outland Airport 100 Aviation Drive Mt. Vernon, IL

Course Description

This class is intended for police officers who have been assigned to enforce liquor law enforcement and age compliance enforcement for tobacco and liquor sales. It is an advanced-level class that goes beyond the uniformed patrol officer "bar check walk-through" and focuses on specific liquor license inspection regulations and procedures. It will focus on the inspection of by-the-drink liquor establishments (taverns) for compliance with state and local regulations governing licensing, signage, restricted sales, advertising, sanitation, and prohibited practices. Special license inspections for seasonal festivals and one-time/special liquor events will also be discussed. Standardized documentation of violations that comply with state commission standards will accompany a legal review. The 2015 revised Illinois Happy Hour Law will be presented along with a detailed review of the ILETSB guidelines on conducting age compliance enforcement operations.

Course Objectives

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Understand the top liquor violations found during inspections in Illinois taverns ✓ Compare & contrast enforcement powers of a local law enforcement officer to an Illinois Liquor Control Commission agent during liquor enforcement operations ✓ List the required licenses that must be on display at Illinois taverns ✓ Define who is required to be BASSET-certified at a local tavern | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Discuss the changes to the Illinois "Happy Hour" law ✓ Describe the guidelines for selecting police special agents employed in liquor & tobacco age compliance enforcement operations ✓ Discuss the key elements described by the Supreme Court regarding the legal concept of "police entrapment" in police liquor enforcement operations ✓ Relate the recommended procedures to defuse a confrontation that may occur during a police liquor enforcement operation |
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Instructor

Sergeant Bruce Talbot retired in 2003, after 23 years of service with the Woodridge Police Department in Du Page County. Considered a national expert on the topic of controlling youth access to tobacco, Sergeant Talbot has appeared as a source expert before two congressional committees and is a known lecturer on youth access enforcement. Sergeant Talbot is an Illinois-certified law enforcement trainer with 30 years of experience, and has 20 years of experience as a contract instructor for the Illinois Liquor Control Commission and the federal Synar Grant program. He lectures at police academies across the US, as well as Northwestern University's Center for Public Safety's prestigious Traffic Institute and other national police training organizations.

Training Mandates Met by This Training

- Constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority
- Legal Updates

This class is partially funded and certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board