# SECTION 1 Agency Orientation/Department Policies

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#### Note to Administrators

In order for POST to review and approve your agency's *Field Training Guide*, you MUST submit the following electronic files:

- 1) The POST FTP Approval Checklist (Form 2-230)
- 2) Your department's Policy & Procedure Manual
- 3) Your completed Guide (Volumes 1 & 2), including ALL competency requirements covered in Part 5, Sections 1–18.

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1.1	AGENCY-SPECIFIC TRAININ	١G						
	During the orientation period	d, the traine	e shall be given an opportunit	y to becom	e familiar with the s	specific training requ	irements of his/her	agency.
	The trainee shall have succes	sfully comp	leted the following training pr	ior to starti	ng the uniformed p	atrol field training p	rogram.	
1.1.01	Firearms/Weapons Qualifica	tion (inclu	ding Shotgun)					
Reference(s	5):						Case # (If applicable)	Incident #
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrat	ed	How	Remedia	l Training	How
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**1.1.01 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.1.02	Arrest and Control Techniqu	ies											
Reference(s	Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     In												
	Received Instruction	Competency Demonstrat	How	Remedia	I Training		How						
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print	full name	Date	Remediated?				
FTO:					<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Written Test</li> </ul>				Field Perform  Role Play  Written Test				
Trainee:					Verbal Test				Verbal Test				
Comments	(field will expand automatically)												
Additional	Information:												

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**1.1.02 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.1.03	Impact Weapons Qualification	on							
Reference(s	5):	Case # (If a	pplicable)	Incident #					
	Received Instruction Competency Demonstrated				How	Remedia	al Training		How
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, prin	t full name Date		Remediated?
FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform Role Play
Trainee:					Written Test				<ul> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>
Comments	(field will expand automatically)								

#### Additional Information:

1.1.03	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	□ N/A
	UPD POLICIES- USE OF FORCE AND TRIMESTER TRAINING	
1.1.03	Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)	

#### **1.2 AGENCY ORIENTATION**

#### 1.2.01 Overview

The trainee will discuss his/her duties and obligations, and demonstrate a working knowledge of the agency's organization, functions, work schedule, chain of command, and rules and regulations.

Reference(s	;):	Case # (If a	pplicable)	Incident #					
	Received Instruction Competency Demonstrated		How	Remedia	Remedial Training		How		
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print	t full name	Date	Remediated?
FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform
					Role Play				Role Play
Trainee:					Written Test Verbal Test				Written Test Verbal Test
Comments	(field will expand automatically)								

#### Additional Information:

**1.2.01 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

#### 1.2.02 Agency Directives, Rules, and Regulations

The trainee shall discuss the agency's directives, rules and regulations, including:

- A. Standard of conduct on and off duty (values, ethics, principles)
- B. Rules governing outside employment
- C. Regulations on carrying weapons off-duty
- D. Hours of all shifts and absence reporting requirements

- E. Interaction with associated law enforcement agencies
- F. New media release laws, rules and regulations
- G. Security of agency facilities
- H. Any additional agency specific directives, rules and regulations

Reference(s	eference(s):												
	Received Instruction         Competency Demonstrate           When completed, print full name         Date         When completed, print full name				How Demonstrated?	Remedia When completed, print	Il Training	Date	How Remediated?				
FTO: Trainee:					Field Perform     Role Play     Written Test     Verbal Test				Field Perform     Role Play     Written Test     Verbal Test				
Trainee:     Verbal Test     Verbal Test													

#### Additional Information:

**1.2.02** Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)
 N/A

 UPD POLICIES- OUTSIDE EMPLOYMENT, TRIMESTER TRAINING, SICK LEAVE, AND MEDIA RELATIONS
 N/A

**1.2.02** Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)

### 1.2.03 General Orders

The trainee shall review and explain department general orders related to:

- A. Use of Force
- B. Use and Discharge of Firearms
- C. Domestic Violence
- D. Emergency Vehicle Operations
- E. Use of Less-lethal Weapons

- F. Protective Orders
- G. Hate Crimes
- H. Child Abuse Investigations
- I. Any additional agency-specific directives, rules, and regulations

Reference(	Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     In											
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrat	Competency Demonstrated		Remedial Training		How				
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print full name	Date	Remediated?				
FTO:					Field Perform			Field Perform				
Trainee:					Written Test Verbal Test			Written Test Verbal Test				
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#### Additional Information:

**1.2.03** Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)

UPD POLICIES- USE OF FORCE, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, OFFICER RESPONSE TO CALLS, HATE CRIMES, AND CHILD ABUSE

**1.2.03 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

□ N/A

#### 1.2.04 Work Area

The trainee shall be oriented to the work area, including:

A. Introduction to personnel

B. Equipment and supply locations

Reference(	Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     Inc.											
	Received Instruction Competency Demonstrated		How		al Training		How Remediated?					
FTO: Trainee:	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, prin	t full name	Date	Field Perform Role Play Written Test			

#### **Additional Information:**

1.2.04	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	🛛 N/A
1.2.04	Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)	

1.2.05	<ul> <li>Authorized Equipment</li> <li>The trainee shall know the op officers in the field:</li> <li>A. Authorized personal equ</li> <li>B. Safety equipment</li> <li>C. Agency equipment</li> </ul>		and agency policy regarding au	ithorized p	ersonal equipment,	safety equipment, a	and agency	equipmer	nt used by
Reference(	5):						Case # (If a)	oplicable)	Incident #
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrat	ed	How	Remedia	al Training		How
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, prin	t full name	Date	Remediated?
FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform
					Role Play				Role Play Written Test
Trainee:					<ul><li>Written Test</li><li>Verbal Test</li></ul>				Verbal Test
Comments	(field will expand automatically)								

#### Additional Information:

**1.2.05** Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)

UPD POLICIES- BODY ARMOR, BICYCLE PATROL, PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT, AND VEHICLE USE

**1.2.05 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

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1.2.06	Unauthorized Equipment The trainee shall review and explain what constitutes unauthorized equipment.										
Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     Inc.											
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrat	ted	How	Remedia	l Training		How		
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FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform		
					Role Play				Role Play		
Trainee:					Written Test Verbal Test				Written Test Verbal Test		
Comments	(field will expand automatically)										
Additional	Information:										

1.2.06	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	🛛 N/A
1.2.06	Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)	

1.2.07	Uniforms/Equipment Damagent Damagent Damagen United States and The trainee shall review and		ency policy on uniforms and eq	uipment da	amage.				
Reference(	s):						Case # (If a	pplicable)	Incident #
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FTO: Trainee:					<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>				<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>
Comments	Comments (field will expand automatically)								
Additional	Additional Information:								
1.2.07	.2.07 Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)								

UPD POLICY- DIRECTIVE MEMO FROM CHIEF OF POLICE ON UNIFORM STANDARDS

**1.2.07 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.2.08	Procurement and Use				
	The trainee shall demonstrate the procedures for obtaining and using t	the following i	tems:		
	A. Vehicle	Ε.	Special equipment [helmet, face sh	ield, gas mask, oleore	esin capsicum
	B. Hand-held radio		(OC) spray, etc.]		
	C. Firearms/weapons	F.	Report forms		
	D. Flares				
Reference	(s):			Case # (If applicable)	Incident #

	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrated		How	Remedial Training		How
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print full name	Date	Remediated?
FTO:					Field Perform Role Play			<ul><li>Field Perform</li><li>Role Play</li></ul>
Trainee:					<ul> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>			<ul> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>
Comments	(field will expand automatically)							

#### Additional Information:

1.2.08	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	N/A

**1.2.08** Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)

1.3	COMMUNITY ORIENTATIC	N/GEOG	RAPHIC LOCATIONS						
1.3.01	Community Facilities								
	The trainee shall know how t	o locate th	e following facilities which serv	vice their ag	gency's jurisdiction:				
	A. Hospitals				D. Community ser	vice organizations			
	B. Firehouses				E. Park and recrea	ation areas			
	C. Schools								
Reference(	s):						Case # (If a)	oplicable)	Incident #
	Received Instruction Competency Demonstrated How Remedial Training								How
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FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform
					Written Test				Written Test
Trainee:					Verbal Test				Verbal Test
Comments	(field will expand automatically)								
Additional	Information:								

1.3.01	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	🛛 N/A

**1.3.01 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

#### **1.3.02 Problem Areas** The trainee shall identify and discuss locations and businesses that may attract crime and require frequent police response. These locations may include:

A. Bars and taverns, nightclubs, etc.

C. Known gang territories

B. Local "hang outs" and/or "hot spots"

D. Areas known for drug and prostitution activity

Reference(	5):						Case # (If a	pplicable)	Incident #
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrat	ed	How	Remedia	al Training		How
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print	t full name	Date	Remediated?
FTO:					Field Perform				Field Perform
Trainee:					Written Test Verbal Test				Written Test
Comments	(field will expand automatically)								

#### Additional Information:

1.3.02	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)	N/A

**1.3.02 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

Incident #

Case # (If applicable)

1.3.03	Roadways	
	The trainee shall know the names and locations of important types of roadway	s in the community or assigned area, including:
	A. Major arteries	D. Freeways
	B. "Through streets"	E. Fire trails or other special access routes

C. Dead-end streets

#### Reference(s):

	Received Instruction	1	Competency Demonstrat		How Demonstrated?	Remedial Training	Data	How Remediated?
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrateur	When completed, print full name	Date	
FTO:					Field Perform			Field Perform
FIO.					Role Play			Role Play
					Written Test			Written Test
Trainee:					Verbal Test			Verbal Test
Comments	(field will expand automatically)					-		

#### Additional Information:

1.3.03	Part A - Reference A	gency Policies	/Procedures,	if applicable	(600 characters maximum)
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🛛 N/A

**1.3.03 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.3.04	<b>Agency Jurisdiction</b> The trainee shall know the ju	ırisdictiona	l boundaries, beats, districts, o	r sector as:	signments utilized by	the agency.			
Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     Incident #									
	Received Instruction Competency Demonstrated How Reme								How
	When completed, print full name	Date	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, prin	int full name Date		Remediated?
FTO: Trainee:					<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>				<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Written Test</li> <li>Verbal Test</li> </ul>
Comments (field will expand automatically)									
Additional Information:									
1.3.04	Part A - Reference Agency P	olicies/Pro	cedures, if applicable (600 cha	racters ma	ximum)				🗌 N/A

UPD POLICIES- LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY AND PATROL FUNCTIONS

**1.3.04 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.4	SUPPORT SERVICES										
1.4.01	Municipal Agencies and Departments										
	A. City Hall or County Ad	ministration	Building	J.	State and Fede	ral law enforcement	t agencies:				
	B. County/City Jail(s)	. District Attorney's Office				<ol> <li>Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (ATF)</li> <li>Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement (BNE)</li> <li>California Highway Patrol (CHP)</li> </ol>					
	C. District Attorney's Off										
	D. Emergency Hospital (i										
						4. Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV)					
	utilized rooms or department(s)				5. Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI)						
	E. Health Department ar	<ol> <li>Health Department and/or Coroner's Office</li> </ol>				6. Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS)					
	<ul><li>F. Juvenile Hall</li><li>G. Municipal, Superior, and Juvenile Courts</li></ul>				<ol> <li>7. Military Police</li> <li>8. Postal Inspectors</li> </ol>						
	H. Probation Department				9. Railroad Police						
	I. Welfare Department	Welfare Department				<ol> <li>Secret Service</li> <li>US Marshall Service</li> </ol>					
						port services [e.g., S	ervice Cent	ers, Child	Protective		
Reference(s):							Case # (If a	pplicable)	Incident #		
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		Received Instruction		ed	How		al Training	1	How		
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#### Additional Information:

Comments (field will expand automatically)

FTO:

Trainee:

1.4.01	Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)					

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Role PlayWritten Test

Verbal Test

Field Perform

Written Test

Verbal Test

Role Play

#### **1.4.01 Part B - Agency Training Details** (field will expand automatically)

1.4.02	Special Teams/Units The trainee shall explain the proper utilization of agency special teams/units, including:									
	A. SRT SWAT C. Search and Rescue									
	В. К-9			I	D. Additional ager	ncy-specific units (M	ental Health Units/	Liaisons, Bomb		
					Squad, etc.)					
Reference(	Reference(s):     Case # (If applicable)     Incident #									
	Received Instruction		Competency Demonstrate	ed	How	Remedia	l Training	How		
	When completed, print full name Da	ate	When completed, print full name	Date	Demonstrated?	When completed, print	full name Date	Remediated?		
FTO:					<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> </ul>			<ul> <li>Field Perform</li> <li>Role Play</li> </ul>		
Trainee:	Written Test							Written Test		
	Image: Comments (field will expand automatically)     Verbal Test     Verbal Test									
Additional Information:										
1.4.02	<b>1.4.02</b> Part A - Reference Agency Policies/Procedures, if applicable (600 characters maximum)       N/A									
	UPD POLICy- THREAT ASSESSMENT TEAM									
1.4.02	<b>1.4.02</b> Part B - Agency Training Details (field will expand automatically)									

#### See next page for Attestation

#### **Part 5 – Section 1:** Agency Orientation/Department Policies

#### **ATTESTATION FOR SECTION 1**

#### TO ENTER YOUR ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE:

- Export your file as a PDF. (Go to File > Export > Create PDF/XPS Document)
- Click on "Fill & sign" > Click on "Sign" icon at top of page > Click on "Add signature"
- Click on the "Image" icon > Click "Select image" > Locate your signature file > Click "Apply" to place your signature.
- Enter your full name next to your signature.

**YOUR ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES VERIFY** that the Field Training Officer (FTO) and Trainee attest to the following:

- 1. The FTO(s) provided all instruction, training, and related feedback/comments to the Trainee in accordance with the agency's training requirements for this portion of the Field Training Program.
- 2. The Trainee demonstrated all competencies required for this portion of the Field Training Program.
- 3. If remedial training was performed, the results were reviewed by the appropriate FTO(s) and accepted by the Trainee.
- 4. The final evaluation of the Trainee's performance for this portion of the Field Training Program were approved by the FTO(s) and accepted by the Trainee.

Primary Field Training Officer:	Χ	Print Full Name:
Trainee:	Х	Print Full Name:

**IMPORTANT:** After signing the Attestation, the file will be "locked" and **CANNOT BE MODIFIED**. If you need to make changes, both signatures must be removed and re-entered after the final revisions have been made.

**To remove the electronic signature:** Click on the signature > Click on the trash icon.

#### See the following pages for Instructions to Administrators and FTOs

#### How to Complete Part 5 (Sections 1–18)

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO ADMINISTRATORS

**VOLUME 2 OF THE FIELD TRAINING GUIDE CONSISTS OF 18 SECTIONS WHICH MAKE UP PART 5.** Each section is provided as a separate file on the POST website (https://www.post.ca.gov/field-training--police-training.aspx). Prior to submitting your FTP Guide to POST for review, you must complete all 18 sections and include them as part of your Guide.

- 1. Set up: Keep an unchanged copy of each section file as a master for reference. Make a copy of the file to use for your agency-specific entries.
- 2. *Front cover* (*optional*): To keep a hard copy of Volume 2 for internal use, you can add your agency name and date to the front cover.
- 3. For each section (1–18):
  - Open the applicable file and add your agency name and date to the header on page 1. (DO NOT change any other headers or footers or alter any other sections of the file.)
  - Below each table:
    - Part A: Enter applicable references from your agency's Policies & Procedure Manual.
    - Part B: Enter your agency's training details.
- 4. *After completing ALL sections (1–18),* you MUST submit the following materials via flash drive, CD, or DVD to POST for review and approval (do not send printed copies):
  - 1) Your completed FTP Guide
  - FTP Approval Checklist (POST Form 2-230)
     NOTE: Guides submitted without this form *will NOT be reviewed*.
  - 3) Your Department's Policy & Procedure Manual
- 5. MAIL YOUR ELECTRONIC MEDIA TO:

Commission on POST 860 Stillwater Road, Suite 100 West Sacramento, CA 95605 Attn: Basic Training Bureau (BTB)

6. You will receive status notification within 90 days from the date received.

See next page for Instructions to Field Training Officers

#### How to Complete Part 5 (Sections 1–18)

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO FIELD TRAINING OFFICERS (FTOs)**

**VOLUME 2 OF THE FIELD TRAINING GUIDE CONSISTS OF 18 SECTIONS WHICH MAKE UP PART 5.** Each section has been customized by your agency administrator(s) to include references to policies and procedures and training details to meet your agency's Field Training Program requirements. Each file is provided as a separate file. For each section (1–18), complete all tables for each topic.

- 1. Set up: Keep an unchanged copy of each section file as a master for reference. Make a copy of the file to use for your training sessions.
- 2. Tracking your training sessions:
  - Upon completing each competency, enter the FTO and trainee names and dates, and how the competency was demonstrated, into the applicable tables.
  - Enter any note-worthy comments related to the trainee's performance.
- 3. If trainee requires remedial training:
  - Enter the FTO and trainee names and dates, and how the competency was remediated, to show that each competency was completed.
  - Enter any additional note-worthy comments related to the trainee's performance.
- 4. **Attestation:** After all competencies have been performed, including any remedial training, the primary FTO and Trainee MUST enter their electronic signatures on the Attestation page (see instructions) to verify that the Trainee has completed this portion of the Field Training Program.

**End Section**