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HOUSE BILL NO. 2224

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES JONES (117) (Sponsor), NANCE, KELLY, ST. ONGE, EL-AMIN, JONES (89), MEADOWS AND NASHEED (Co-sponsors).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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AN ACT

To repeal section 590.050, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to continuing education requirements for peace officers.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

- Section A. Section 590.050, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 590.050, to read as follows:
- 590.050. 1. The POST commission shall establish requirements for the continuing
- 2 education of all peace officers. Peace officers who make traffic stops shall be required to receive
- 3 [annual training] three hours of training within the law enforcement continuing education
- 4 three-year reporting period concerning the prohibition against racial profiling and such
- 5 training shall promote understanding and respect for racial and cultural differences and the use
- 6 of effective, noncombative methods for carrying out law enforcement duties in a racially and
- 7 culturally diverse environment.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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2. The director shall license continuing education providers and may probate, suspend and revoke such licenses upon written notice stating the reasons for such action. Any person aggrieved by a decision of the director pursuant to this subsection may appeal as provided in chapter 536, RSMo.

- 3. The costs of continuing law enforcement education shall be reimbursed in part by moneys from the peace officer standards and training commission fund created in section 590.178, subject to availability of funds, except that no such funds shall be used for the training of any person not actively commissioned or employed by a county or municipal law enforcement agency.
- 4. The director may engage in any activity intended to further the professionalism of peace officers through training and education, including the provision of specialized training through the department of public safety.

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