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Firearms Training Unit



Quarterly Handgun Qualification

Objective: Qualification is a test of basic marksmanship skills and basic weapon manipulation. Each officer must show basic shooting skills and basic reloading of their weapon from the slide lock position. Each officer will start with their weapon in their holster. This way each officer is familiar with removing their weapon from their holster. Officers may have to qualify in simulated work environments, i.e. low light or nighttime conditions.

Presentation Length: Approximately 15-20 minutes.

Qualification Scoring: This is a 30 round course of fire with a possible score of 300. You are required to obtain a minimum score of 210 points out 300 (70%) to pass the qualification course. All rounds in the 10 inch circle (center mass) and 5 inch circle (head) are 10 points. All rounds outside the 10 inch circle (hit on the milk bottle shape) are 5 point. Your score will be recorded as Pass or Fail. Your score will not be kept.

Instructor Equipment: Official IALEFI Q Training Target



Officer's Equipment: Department issued Glock 22, 2 Glock 22 magazines, duty holster and duty belt. Ballistic vest, hearing protection, eye protection, hat (optional). Flashlights: a Streamlight (3 cell style) flashlight, a small handheld flashlight and/ or weapon mounted light.

Range Safety: All firearms and magazines will remain holstered. Officers will be given the opportunity to load, unload or reload their weapons and magazines to the proper capacity at the firing line.

Procedure: Shooter will begin the course of fire with Glock 22 holstered and loaded with 11 rounds (1 round in the chamber, and a 10 round magazine loaded in the weapon) and at least 2 10 round magazines in a magazine pouch.

Course of fire:

Stage 1- 15 Yard Line (10 Rounds)

String 1: Draw, 2 rounds, 12 sec

String 2: Draw, 2 rounds, 3 sec

String 3: Draw, 2 rounds, 12 sec

Stage 2- 10 Yard Line (8 Rounds)

String 4: Draw, 2 rounds, 10 sec

String 5: Draw, 3 rounds, slide lock reload, 1 round, 18 sec



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Stage 3-5 Yard Line (8 rounds)

String 6: Draw, 2 rounds center mass, 1 round head, 8 sec

String 7: Draw, 2 rounds center mass, 1 round head, 2 rounds center mass, 1 round head, slide lock reload, 16 sec

String 8: Draw, 2 rounds Dominant Hand Only (DHO), 6 sec

Stage 4-3 Yard Line (7 Rounds)

String 9: Draw, 3 rounds DHO, transfer to support hand, 3 rounds Support Hand Only (SHO), 10 sec

String 10: Draw, Dominant Hand Supported, 1 round to the head, 4 seconds

Qualification Rankings:

300-270: Expert

265-240:

235-210:

205 and below: Did not qualify