



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION
Police Officer Standards and Training Council
Connecticut Police Academy

GENERAL NOTICE 22-04

To: Chief Law Enforcement Officers
Training Officers
Protective Services
Resident Troopers

From: Karen Boisvert [digital signature]
Academy Administrator

Date: May 18, 2022

Subject: **Revised Use of Force Policy**
Revision Date May 18, 2022
Reporting uses of force clarification

Clarification changes were made to the POSTC use of force policy (Adopted November 12, 2020) on when an incident needs to be submitted to the state; see pages 9 – 11 of the revised use of force policy highlighted in red. [Use of Force Policy](#)

POSTC policy requires the completion of a report based on the lower threshold than what the law requires to be reported to the state.

POSTC Policy requires “Any action that results in, or is alleged to have resulted in, injury to another person shall be reported internally”.

Use of force reports that do not meet the State reporting requirements by statute but are required by POSTC policy shall be stored in-house.

Questions or comments may be directed to my attention either by e-mail Karen.boisvert@ct.gov or phone 203-427-2601.

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