



# CONNECTICUT POLICE OFFICER STANDARDS & TRAINING



## DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

### GENERAL NOTICE 25–11

To: Chief Law Enforcement Officers

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Subject: **Update to Hate Crime Reporting Form**

On August 12, 2024, the Police Officer Standards and Training (POST) Division of the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection (DESPP) issued General Notice 24-10, announcing adoption of the POSTC *Statewide Policy Concerning: Investigation and Reporting of Hate Crimes* and the POSTC *Hate/Bias Crime Reporting Form* in accordance with the mandates of General Statutes § 29-7d.

The *Hate/Bias Crime Reporting Form* has been updated to add space for officers to provide a more detailed summary of the incident and provide information at the bottom of the form about the law and where to send the form.

All agencies investigating an incident that meets applicable reporting requirements must within 14 days submit this updated form along with a copy of the incident report to the Connecticut State Police Hate Crimes Investigative Unit through the email [hate.crimes@ct.gov](mailto:hate.crimes@ct.gov). Before submission, the reporting agency shall redact any information that may identify a minor, victim or witness.

The updated *Hate/Bias Crime Reporting Form* is available here: [Download Form](#)

Questions or comments may be directed to the Certification Division by email at [POST.certificationdivision@ct.gov](mailto:POST.certificationdivision@ct.gov).