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Firearms (Patrol Rifle and Shotgun) Instructor Re-certification Program

Vista Law Enforcement Training and Consulting, LLC, in cooperation with [REDACTED], has scheduled this **8-Hour POST-approved training program**, titled **"Firearms (Patrol Rifle and Shotgun) Instructor Re-certification Program."** This training program is presented by current and retired law enforcement firearms instructors, who are certified in the training and instruction of patrol rifles/pistols/handguns/shotguns. Topics include:

- Required skills/preparation to be an effective firearms instructor in the classroom/on the range
- Essential requirements and forms that are mandated by Missouri POST for firearms qualifications including instructor records, POST course applications, and updated instructor certifications
- Proper way to field strip, clean, and apply lubricants to a patrol rifle, rifle magazines, and shotgun
- Applicable Missouri state statutes, federal laws, and U.S. Supreme Court rulings in the use of deadly force, as well as liability issues/concerns for firearms instructors
- Practical exercises utilizing a "Blue Gun" pistol/handgun, patrol rifle, and shotgun
- Presentation of a firearms course of instruction, including classroom and practical shooting
- Live-fire exercises on the firing range with a pistol/handgun, patrol rifle, and shotgun
- Live-fire qualification course on the firing range with a pistol/handgun, patrol rifle, and shotgun

THIS IS A 3-YEAR CERTIFICATION COURSE

Course Prerequisites:

- Documentation as a current or retired law enforcement/public safety/security officer, including being current in their firearms (pistol, rifle, and shotgun) training qualifications and/or certifications
- Prior documented attendance and successful completion of a certified Patrol Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training Program conducted by certified firearms instructors, conducted by a federal, state, or local law enforcement agency, the National Rifle Association (NRA), or a training entity (reviewed and approved by Vista Law Enforcement Training and Consulting, LLC Firearms Instructors).
- Ability to complete, with a passing score, a patrol rifle and shotgun course of fire conducted and evaluated by class instructors
- A department issued or authorized .223/5.56 AR 15 style patrol rifle, with fixed iron sights zeroed in (mounted non-magnified sights optional), which is approved by your individual department for on-duty use or for qualification purposes, which will be inspected and approved by course instructors before use in the Firearms Instructor Re-certification Training Program
- A patrol rifle shooting sling, which is applicable for use with your patrol rifle
- At least (4) .223/5.56 AR-15 style magazines, which are applicable for use with your patrol rifle (must be at least 30 round capacity), to be inspected and approved by course instructors
- 300 rounds of .223/5.56 ammunition, which will be inspected and approved by course instructors

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- A department-approved 12 gage shotgun, i.e., Remington 870, Mossberg 500, or equivalent, and 20 rounds of 00 Buck ammunition, and 10 rounds of shotgun slugs (as approved by Vista Law Enforcement Training and Consulting, LLC Firearms Instructors (shotgun sling optional if utilized by your individual law enforcement agency))
- A hand-held flashlight (smaller tactical type flashlight preferred) or rail-mounted flashlight
- A baseball-style cap with a bill, wrap-around eye protection, hearing protection (which will not interfere with shoulder shooting of your patrol rifle), and body armor (all mandatory)
- Approved duty handgun with a duty belt and duty holster, double magazine pouch, at least 3 magazines, and 50 rounds of ammunition
- A patrol rifle, shotgun, and handgun cleaning kit and lubricants
- Attendees must possess the physical strength and stamina to repetitively manipulate and fire their weapons during prolonged drilling, in all weather conditions. The student must be able to get up and down from standing, kneeling, and prone positions, as well as move forward, backward, and laterally
- Attendees need to possess excellent communication skills and the ability to adapt to the role of being a student-learner as well as an instructor. Disruptive or nonproductive attitudes need to be left at home

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