

Course Outline

Lidar Operator Course

I. Introduction

A. Welcome and Staff Introductions

- 1.) Housekeeping Issues
 - a) No Weapons Allowed
 - b) Breaks / Down Time
 - (1) Ten Minute Hourly Breaks
 - (2) One Hour Lunch Break
 - c) Building Layout
 - (1) Bathrooms
 - (2) Breakroom
 - (3) Emergency Exits

B. Registration

- 1.) College Applications
- 2.) POST Roster
 - a) POST credit and certification
- 3.) Department Roster
 - a) For Department tracking and certification
 - b) Provides legal protection for supervisors
 - c) Permanent training record

C. Student Introductions

- 1.) Pair off and interview your partner. Be thorough as you want to be introducing your partner to the group. Answer the following questions:
 - a) Name and Agency
 - b) Time served
 - c) Unit Assignments
 - d) Hobbies
 - e) Something interesting that most co-workers didn't know about them.

D. Schedule

- 1.) Handout and go over class schedule.
- 2.) Course Topics
- 3.) Hour Allotment

II. Lidar Speed Enforcement

A. Basic Principles and History

- 1.) Laser Energy
- 2.) Types of Laser
- 3.) Health Considerations
- 4.) How Lidar Works

- 5.) Characteristics of a Lidar Signal
- 6.) Behaviors of a Lidar Signal
- 7.) Lidar vs. Other Speed Measurement Devices
- 8.) Lidar Interferences and Effect

B. Pre-Operational Considerations

- 1.) Inspection
- 2.) Transportation
- 3.) Pre/Post-Shift Calibration Checks

C. Deployment Considerations

- 1.) General Safety
- 2.) Specific Operational Considerations
- 3.) Enforcement Issues
- 4.) Care and Handling

D. Laws Applicable to Lidar

- 1.) Statutory Law
- 2.) Fundamental Issues
- 3.) Case Law

E. In the Courtroom

- 1.) Courtroom Testimony
- 2.) Evidence Kits
- 3.) Citation Notes
- 4.) Sample Testimony

F. Departmental Policy

- 1.) Lidar Certification Requirements

G. Set-up and Preparation

- 1.) Facilities and Environment
- 2.) Lidar Unit Demonstration
- 3.) Demonstration of Various Effects

H. Review

I. Exam