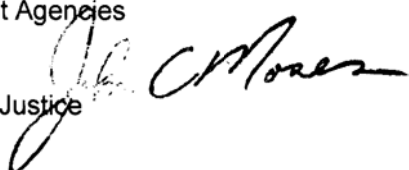


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## Course Announcement

**To:** All Law Enforcement Agencies

**From:** John C. Moses  
Director of Criminal Justice



**Date:** October 31, 2011

**Re:** **Comparative Compliance IV (Firearms Training)—49 hours (95-48)**  
**January 11, April 11, 16 to 19, May 4, 2012 (Session I) (A124503)**  
**January 11, April 11, 30, May 1 to 4, 2012 (Session II) (A124504)**  
**MPTC# P18394**

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**Location:** Eastern Shore Criminal Justice Academy  
Guerrieri Hall/Room 200  
32000 Campus Drive  
Salisbury, MD 21804  
410-572-8750  
FAX 410-572-8759

**Dates & Times:**

**Session I**

Wednesday, January 11	9:00 am to 4:40 pm
Wednesday, April 11	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Monday, April 16	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Tuesday, April 17	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Wednesday, April 18	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Thursday, April 19	1:00 pm to 10:00 pm
Friday, May 4 (Judgmental Shooting)	9:00 am to 11:00 am

**Session II**

Wednesday, January 11	9:00 am to 4:40 pm
Wednesday, April 11	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Monday, April 30	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Tuesday, May 1	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Wednesday, May 2	8:00 am to 4:40 pm
Thursday, May 3	1:00 pm to 10:00 pm
Friday, May 4 (Judgmental Shooting)	9:00 am to 11:00 am

**Fee:** Wicomico County \$156  
Worcester/Somerset Counties \$148  
Other Counties \$166

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While this course is designed for the certification of certified out-of-state officers who are beginning employment in Maryland, the course is very appropriate for currently certified Maryland officers who need refresher training in this area.

This course will include lectures on state law as it relates to weapons use, safety, nomenclature, and care of weapons. Emphasis will be placed on the use of the handgun, including sight alignment and trigger control. Instruction will include safety precautions for both on and off the range. This course is part of a requirement for certification by the Maryland Police Training Commission.

**Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:**

1. Identify liabilities that are attached to the officer and agency through the use of force.
2. Identify the limits of deadly force as identified by state law.
3. Demonstrate knowledge of safe and proper handling of handgun during weapons instruction.
4. Identify principles of good marksmanship, i.e., stance, grip, breath control, trigger control, and follow through.
5. Demonstrate familiarity with proper stance for handgun shooting positions including point shoulder, crouch, prone and kneeling.

This course is designed to meet requirements as mandated by the Maryland Police and Correctional Training Commissions and to meet the annual in-service requirements.

### **Firearms Equipment**

**Duty Belt**

**Departmental Handgun**

**Cleaning equipment**

**1500 rounds of ammunition for handgun**

**Duty Holster**

**3 Magazines**

**Eye & Ear protection**

Effective January 1, 2009, Maryland Police Training Commission regulations governing firearms training and qualification were changed. Regulation 12.04.02.04 covers entrance level firearms classroom instruction, training and qualification – primary handgun. Section B (4) of this regulation states the following:

“Use of ammunition authorized by the individual's law enforcement agency, or the ballistic equivalent when firing for qualification”

While we do not believe it is prudent, from a liability standpoint, to have officers qualify with ammunition that is not standard issue for street use, this regulation gives you the option of supplying a “ballistic equivalent”.

- Should you elect to proceed in this manner all 1,500 rounds of ammunition may be “ballistic equivalent” as approved by your agency
- Should you elect to have your officers qualify with duty ammunition, please supply 300 rounds of duty ammunition and 1,200 rounds of “ballistic equivalent” ammunition for training.

The academy will record the type of ammunition used by each recruit during qualifications. Should an inquiry be received from the Training Commission or as a result of a subpoena regarding the ammunition used in qualification it will be referred to your agency to establish ballistic equivalency.

**ALL AMMUNITION MUST BE FACTORY NEW. NO RELOADED AMMUNITION IS PERMITTED ON THE RANGE!**

Since we are restricted to the size of the class, we suggest a quick response be made to reserve your seat/s. Reservations may be made by telephone but **MUST** be followed up with the enclosed reservation form that can be faxed to Ms. Etta Smith, ESCJA secretary. **ALL class reservations** must be submitted to the ESCJA on the attached form via fax or mail, to ensure your reservation.

**NOTE:** **Anyone attending this course must be in attendance for the full session. Time missed will be deducted from the hours available for in-service credit. All officers wearing a handgun on campus in plain view MUST also wear his/her badge in plain view.**

You will be billed by Wor-Wic Community College billing office. If you need to contact them, their number is 410-334-2923.

## Reservation Section

To reserve seats for this school, please complete this form in its entirety and return it promptly. For all officers attending you must provide their **name and social security number** as well as all other pertinent information requested below.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION  
FAX 410-572-8759 or email to [esmith@worwic.edu](mailto:esmith@worwic.edu)

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**Name (Please Print)**

**SS#**

**Session I or II**

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Sheriff/Chief/Warden/Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Send Billing to: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Cancellation Section

**Please complete this section to withdraw any officer from the above course. This form must be completed and faxed (410-572-8759) to the academy office prior to the beginning of the class.**