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## The Reality of Officer Involved Shooting Investigations

Date: December 3, 2012

Time: 0800-1700

*"This course is extremely informative and very useful for all levels of the organization, from top management to the involved officer." "Defend yourself always, but always be defendable."*

### COURSE DESCRIPTION:



This course outlines and provides the student with a template for the OIS investigation process, which includes the almost inevitable aspect of Civil litigation. Practical insight into the responsibilities of the Primary OIS Investigator and the unforeseen ramifications of uninformed decisions will be presented. The believed best practices for completing Fair, Neutral, and Transparent Investigations with an emphasis on mitigating civil liability will also be presented. Additionally, this course stresses and demonstrates the importance of training for Officers, Investigators, Staff and City Administrators on what to expect in the OIS investigation. How the Human Brain Works in the Use of Force Encounter will be explored and Post Incident Video Viewing Policy will be discussed. Students will be presented with tools, research and reference material to better analyze and defend an OIS from all aspects.

### COURSE TOPICS:

- Recent Case Law
- OIS Investigation Process
- Administrative Investigations
- Video/Walkthrough Issues
- POBAR
- District Attorney Policy
- Voluntary vs. Compelled Statements
- Analysis of Actual Cases
- "State of Mind"
- Aspects of Representation

**COURSE LENGTH:** 8 Hours      **COST:** \$60.00

**Law Enforcement Only – Credentials are Required to Attend**

**INSTRUCTOR:** Detective Al Parra is a 32-year Law Enforcement veteran of the Ontario Police Department. During his tenure, Detective Parra has been the Primary Investigator in at least 16 Officer Involved Shootings and has primarily worked as a Homicide Investigator since 2000. Detective Parra is also a Use of Force Analyst certified by Dr. Bill Lewinski's Force Science Institute at Minnesota State University. Due to his training and experience, Detective Parra offers the latest research and the most current information.

**HOSTED BY:** Orange County Sheriff's Department

**LOCATION:** OCSD Training Center - Room 201:  
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