

ATTENTION: Law Enforcement/Corrections Training Facilities

RE: New important program release – Fall 2009

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-USE OF FORCE INVESTIGATOR-
Credential Certification Course

COURSE PROFILE: Excessive force claims and lawsuits have and continue to increase substantially regardless of budget cuts. This cost-effective two-day extensive program is designed and developed to properly conduct a use of force investigation for a viable department defense. It is intended for administrators, supervisors, internal affairs, PIO's and training instructors. It fulfills a wide educational gap in the proper preparation, documentation and understanding investigative techniques in use of force parameters for a credible investigation.

TJA Use of Force Training, Inc. has been the nations leader in non-lethal and less lethal technology training for more than 26 years for law enforcement, corrections, U.S. Military and U.S. Government agencies. The author has been a use of force expert witness and investigator for several worldwide events. TJA developed the highly acclaimed "Ladder of Force" training and documentation system that is the foundation of this program. Successful completion results in a 5-year full support* certification and a credential as a TJA nationally credentialed "Use of Force Investigator." [NOTE: This program addresses only non-lethal and less lethal use of force conditions, not lethal situations] *24/7 expert support for department use of force investigations

Topics Covered in the Program Include:

- Understanding and knowledge of the "Ladder of Force." A national and Federally recognized use of force continuum used as a template for investigations.
- Proper identification of key subject investigative issues: conditions incurred leading to incident; force used by subject; subject history; location of incident; facility/area logistics. Engagement-Behavior-Action reporting criteria.
- Proper Identification key Officer investigative issues: Officer conduct at incident; training background & history; forced used by officer; equipment utilized; backup availability; subject vs. officer comparisons and much more.
- Key forms provided for investigator applications for an appropriate investigation of any use of force incident in field or facility conditions.
- Key components for additional proper investigative techniques for individual agency resource capabilities are thoroughly discussed.

TUITION: \$395.00 inclusive of course manual, training CD, investigation forms and "backed in court" five (5) year certification. [Laptop required at this course] Max 40 participants.